



~ aperitivo ~

aperitivo is derived from the latin word, aperire, meaning to open.

the pre-dinner drink and spread of spuntini is meant to open

the palate, awaken the taste buds, and stir the stomach.

italians indulge their senses in preparation for the meal ahead.

spritz and aperitivi - nine dollars

low a.b.v. cocktails for the liminal hour between work and play

ceres' spritzer meletti apéritivo | dry vermouth | prosecco | soda

aperol betty aperol, orange, grapefruit, prosecco, soda

negroni sbagliato campari | sweet vermouth | prosecco

bitter intentions campari | carpano antica | soda | lime | orange

rome with a view campari | bianco vermouth | soda | lime | orange

house cocktails - eleven dollars

organized from light and refreshing to rich and stirred

julietta vodka | 'fraises de bois' liqueur | aperol | lemon soda

mildly fruity, balanced with tartness; the perfect foil to the romeo

miele mule cdco ceres vodka | lime | miodula honey liqueur | ginger beer

an italian riff on the classic moscow mule: thirst-quencingly spicy

safe passage amaro nonino | aperol | lemon | olive brine | prosecco

a salty and bitter twist on a traditional spritz

pompelmo su gin | pamplemousse rose | prosecco | lemon | tarragon

a refreshing gin riff with herbal hints & light palate opening bitterness

negroni bianco cdco finn's gin | luxardo bitter bianco | carpano bianco | orange

the classic negroni dressed 'en blanc' and crystal clear

bittersweet symphony cdco finn's gin | amaro | cherry syrup | lemon

a bittersweet gin cocktail striking a balance between cherry and botanicals

hemingway in italy aged white rum | maraschino | aperol | grapefruit | lime

making the hemingway daiquiri a litte bit italian

out like a lamb blanco tequila | grapefruit | lime | lemon-lime soda

paloma-style: refreshing, slightly fruity, not too sweet

trade wind chilean pisco | aperol | lime | egg white | angostura bitters

an aperitivo-adjusted riff on the classic pisco sour

siciliano aged rum | amaro averna | lime juice | fresh mint

a southern-italian inspired smash with a rich character and a hint of bitter

bella ragazza islay scotch | carpano antica | campari

a spirited and smoky variation of the classic negroni

romeo on broadway bonded rye whiskey | amaro x3 | orange essence

riffing the manhattan towards the bitter end of the spectrum

tip of the boot bourbon | pistachio | cherry & vanilla liqueurs | bitters

the other end of the manhattan spectrum: slightly sweeter

white & sparkling wines by the glass

n.v. ferghettina 'franciocorta brut' | chardonnay / pinot nero 17 / 34 / 70

n.v. sorelle bronca 'brut' prosecco di valdobbiadene | glera 10 / 20 / 40

n.v. livio sasseti 'spumante rosé' | incrocio manzoni blend (pink) 12 / 24 / 48

2015 venica & venica 'jesera' | pinot grigio 13 / 26 / 52

2016 parusso 'langhe bianco' | sauvignon blanc 12 / 24 / 48

2016 angelo negro 'wine not filtered' arneis 12 / 24 / 48

2016 buglioni 'il disperato delle venezie' | garganega 12 / 24 / 48

2015 la ganghija 'langhe bianco' | chardonnay 13 / 26 / 52

2016 banfi 'la pettegola' | vermentino 12 / 24 / 48

2016 barone di valforte 'colli aprutini' | passerina 11 / 22 / 44

2016 terre nere 'etna bianco' | carricante, catarratto 12 / 24 / 48

2015 poggio anima 'uriel' | grillo 10 / 20 / 40

2015 san salvatore 'campania bianco' | falanghina 13 / 26 / 52

2016 terre nere 'etna rosato' | nerello mascalese 12 / 24 / 48

vino della casa 'spumante' | prosecco 8 / 16 / 30

vino della casa 'bianco' | vermentino / trebbiano 8 / 16 / 30

vino della casa 'rosato' | merlot 8 / 16 / 30

red wines by the glass

2012 cantina del pino 'barbaresco' | nebbiolo 15 / 30 / 60

2011 bergadano 'barolo' | nebbiolo 16 / 32 / 64

2014 lucignano 'chianti colli fiorentini' | sangiovese 11 / 22 / 44

2014 de forville | dolcetto d'alba 12 / 24 / 48

2016 nicodemi 'terrana' | montepulciano d'abruzzo 10 / 20 / 40

2006 caiarossa 'pergolaia' | sangiovese / merlot / cabernet 16 / 32 / 64

2015 terre nere 'etna rosso' | nerello mascalese 12 / 24 / 48

2013 foradori 'vigneti delle dolomiti' | teroldego 14 / 28 / 56

2015 pala 'i fiori' | cannonau di sardegna 12 / 24 / 48

vino della casa 'rosso' | sangiovese / merlot 8 / 16 / 30

beers on tap

off color apex predator | farmhouse ale • chicago • 6.5% | 7

castello di udine birra 'moretti' | euro pale lager • lombardy • 4.6% | 8

forbidden root 'money on my rind' | witbier with botanicals • chicago 5% | 8

band of bohemia 'noble raven' | european ale • chicago • 6.2% | 8

lagunitas i.p.a. | india pale ale • chicago • 6.2% | 6

beers in bottle or can

oskar blues 'mama's little yella pils' 12oz | czech pilsner • colorado • 5.3% | 6

three floyds 'yum yum' 12oz | american pale ale • indiana • 5.5% | 7

glutenberg i.p.a. 16oz | gluten-free ale • quebec • 6% | 9

stone 'arrogant bastard' 16oz | american strong ale • so. california • 7.2% | 7

menabrea 'ambrata' 330mL | vienna amber lager • piedmont • 5% | 8

menabrea 'bionde' 330mL | european blonde ale • piedmont • 4.8% | 7