

RESIDENT DINING

DIVINE WINES AND ATMOSPHERE

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Wine glorious wine. We crave a glass after a tough day at work, we sip its deliciousness with our meals, and we sosh in it on weekends, but there's nothing more comforting than relaxing with it at the dimly-lit, sultry Stone House, Darwin's first real wine bar in Cavenagh Street.



Enjoy a chilled rosé.
Skirt by Raw Cloth.
Shoes from Stomp Shoes.



Wine in or takeaway from their large selection.



Casual elegance with fine wine, tap beer and cheese board.

Situated in the only surviving Chinatown building, the national heritage registered 1888 Sue Wah Chin Building or Stone House, is constructed of local porcellanite stone and the wine bar shopfront had extra fortification to protect its opium back then. You know you're at the right place when the walls are packed with bottles of your favourite liquid. True connoisseurs of classy alcoholic goodness Stone House, is firmly the locals' meeting place. The polished concrete floor, rustic exposed interior, simple wooden furnishings and long welcoming bar retain the building's history, character and charm. Step out the back and be surrounded by a tropical oasis, complete with a cosy covered verandah. 'Hidden behind the bar is the Salty Plum Room, another sizeable air-conditioned room used for wine tastings and private events,' said owner Rebecca Bullen. 'In fact, all areas are great for functions, just call us to discuss your needs, we'll do the rest.' Naturally, the emphasis at Stone House is on vino. Their menu of carefully selected speciality wines from Australia and around the globe will ensure you're in grapey heaven in no time. If you're not sure, have a chat with the extraordinarily friendly staff to get a real winerific education. Not a wine lover? No worries. They also like to mix it up with a wide range of cocktails, craft beers and spirits.

'And we have a takeaway liquor licence until 10pm so patrons can take selected wines home. Or ask the staff what will pair with the food you're cooking for the next dinner party,' adds Rebecca. 'I'm overjoyed that Darwinians have embraced our unique set-up and the changing world of wines that we are continually sourcing.' So sit back, relax and let them make all the hard choices, Stone House is the perfect destination for a night filled with fun and of course, wine.

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Birthday parties in the Salty Plum Room.

Take your corporate function to the next level in the private Salty Plum Room. From cheese boards to delivered meals from Little Miss Korea, why not include a wine tasting to complete your most memorable meeting ever.



Corporate meetings in the Salty Plum Room.



Enjoy a tasting as an elegant meeting break in the Salty Plum Room.



After work drinks with colleagues and new friends.

Girls dressed by Sarah Lyn Lingerie and Fashion Boutique. Boys dressed by Connor, Casuarina Square.