



In China, red is the symbol of fire and the South.

In Central Africa, Niemba warriors rub themselves with red during celebrations as a symbol of life and health.

And in Turkey red banners were carried by the early Ottomans to symbolize Sovereignty.

At Desert Palm, 'Red' is the heart of our retreat.

This is where people from all walks of life can meet, relax and catch up on the day.

Sláinte • Skål • Prost • Kampai • Salut • Cheers

And after a hard game in the world's greatest polo playing nation

'Salud, Amor, Dínero.... y tiempo para disfrutarlo todo!'

(Health, love, money... and time to enjoy it all!)

## signature | origins

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### Castle of Pasagad | long

70

Over two millennia ago the Persian Empire laid claim to vast expanses of the Middle East. To pass the time between all their battles, they invented a fantastic game called polo - how very nice of them!

Matusalem Platino rum, J. Bally '97 rhum agricole, Bacardi Black, Grand Marnier, lime, pistachio, pomegranate & bitters

### Southside of Manipur | short

70

The modern game became decidedly more civilised, as players decided to leave their swords at home and trade the battlefield for the polo fields of India.

Black rice-washed Hendrick's gin, coriander, mint, fresh lemon, Jing Assam tea & egg white

### Hidden Oasis | short

70

Fast forward to the present day, and there is no better way to rejoice at victory (or commiserate in defeat!) with this multi-cultural libation in hand.

Yerba mate-infused pisco, basil leaves, sumac served with olive and shanklish cheese

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**The Patron | long**

70

They are the cornerstones of polo who pay their way to saddle up, and ride side by side with their heroes. Who says that dreams can't come true?

Patron blanco tequila, pressed ginger, pink grapefruit, honey, tonic water

**Heads & Canes | short**

70

As the saying goes 'you can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear'. Our selection process has been as thorough as the craftsmen who equip players with their weapon of choice.

Círoc Coconut vodka, Martini Bianco, rosé wine, fresh lemon juice, club soda

**The Pro | long**

70

From a standing start to a full gallop in a stride these horseback warriors will fight tooth and nail, and leave no stone unturned to overthrow their enemies.

Malbec, tawny port, fresh green apple, Coca-Cola reduction, Fernet Branca bitters

## signature | sport of kings

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### Right Hand Spritz | long

70

Tradition dictates that you can only play polo with your right hand. We have decided to take a break from the norm to bring together two of Europe's finest aperitifs to create something that's a bit special.

Pimm's, Aperol, Matusalem Platino rum, fresh green apple, lemon juice, ginger ale, mixed summer fruits

### Chukka Mule | long

70

Players typically switch steeds between chukkas, to allow them to recover between the intense periods of play. This energising blend of aromatic ingredients is ideal to refresh and revive.

Bombay Sapphire gin, basil leaves, fresh lime, agave nectar, homemade ginger beer

### Nomadic Gaucho | short

70

We play homage to polo's unsung heroes, the globe-trotting horse whisperers who have a mystical bond with our four legged friends.

Roasted hay-infused Courvoisier, Dolin rouge, Cointreau, Fernet Branca

## signature | royal celebration

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### Gold Cup | short

70

A drink as exquisite as its sparkling, lustrous components. Rich honey and fresh mango, balanced with bittersweet Aperol; given a kick and a fizz with shōchū and prosecco.

Shōchū [Japanese spirit], Aperol, puréed mangoes, honey, prosecco

### A Royal Toast | short

70

A cocktail of royal standards; Gordon's gin with fresh strawberries and lemon juice, rounded out with a touch of orange marmalade and Taittinger Champagne – truly fit for a Queen.

Gordon's gin, strawberry, fresh lemon, orange marmalade, Taittinger Champagne

### The Trophy Room | short

95

Raise a glass to triumph, with an elegant concoction of the most refined ingredients, imported from across Europe – and given a local touch.

Hennessy VS, Grand Marnier, Drambuie, orange & za'atar bitters, Taittinger Champagne, maraschino cherry

## signature | water of life

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### Rare Manhattan | short

75

This well-travelled NYC classic picks up influences from across the globe on its way East. Put your feet up and savour the extra-fine, buttery finish.

Butter washed-JW Black Label, Dolin rouge, crème de cacao, maraschino cherry, cherry & chocolate bitters

### Ride Off | short

70

This thunderous, ball-stealing manoeuvre requires one to outride an opponent, without causing danger to either horse or player. We blend a series of heavyweight flavours, to come together in harmonious balance.

Tullamore Dew, Johnnie Walker Double Black, Patron Café XO, honey, Angostura bitters, orange oils

### Square Deal | short

95

Who says you can't mix business with pleasure?  
The perfect night cap.

Spiced date-infused Johnnie Walker Platinum, jallab syrup, Angostura bitters, cream, cinnamon

## signature | innocent

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### The Peacock | long

35

Vivid colours are mimicked by bright flavours in this fresh combination. Fruit, citrus and spice combine for a zesty long drink.

Blueberry, pineapple, fresh lime, sumac, soda

### Feathers & Fauna | short

35

Relax on the terrace, take in the distant Burj and appreciate exotic avian species – while this fragrant drink mirrors the richly scented air.

Basil leaves, mint, watermelon juice, fresh lime, jallab syrup

### Autumn Cocktail | short

35 | 65

A work of art to drink. Inspired by the painting which adorns the wall of the Red Bar, this is our re-imagining of the enticing drink depicted therein.

Strawberry, fresh lemon, honey, sparkling wine [alcohol-free] or Scavi and Ray Prosecco

## mocktails

	AED
<b>Strawberry Lemonade</b> Fresh strawberry muddled with lychee, lengthened with lemonade.	35
<b>Ginger Lime Beer</b> Fresh ginger muddled with lime juice & muscovado sugar, topped with soda water.	35
<b>Fruity Fizz</b> Fresh blueberries infused with cream de mure, finished with soda water.	35
<b>Strawberry Orange Crush</b> Fresh strawberries laced with a dash of lime, topped with sour orange.	35
<b>Elephant Walk</b> Mango juice laced with passion fruits & peach, topped with lemonade.	35
<b>Lou la Bel</b> White grape juice, fresh strawberry & hint of rose water, topped with lemonade.	35
<b>Elderflower Mint Cider</b> Fresh mint leaves muddled with lime & elderflower, shaken with green apple juice & topped with lemonade.	35
<b>Ginger Shape Up</b> Fresh ginger muddled with beetroot, fresh coriander, lime juice, cardamom, & coconut syrup, shaken with watermelon juice.	35

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	AED
<b>Bora Bora</b>	<b>35</b>
Banana blended with our home made vanilla ice cream & coffee.	
<b>Kiwi &amp; Ginger Passion</b>	<b>35</b>
Fresh kiwi muddled with brown sugar, lime juice, coconut syrup, topped with gingerale.	
<b>Plumy Fresh</b>	<b>35</b>
Fresh plums muddled with ginger, lime juice & muscovado sugar, shaken with watermelon juice.	

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## classic | day

AED

Aperol Spritz | wine

60

Aperol, prosecco, soda

Mint Julep | tin

60

Woodford Reserve bourbon, mint, sugar

Americano | collins

60

Sweet vermouth, Campari, soda

Southside Fizz | collins

60

Tanqueray gin, mint, fresh lime, soda

Bloody Mary | surprise

60

Stolichnaya vodka, tomato juice, fresh lemon, spices

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classic | dusk

	AED
French 74   flute	160
Stolichnaya vodka, fresh lemon, Taittinger Champagne	
Sidecar   coupe	60
Courvoisier VS, Cointreau, fresh lemon	
Cosmopolitan   coupe	60
Grey Goose vodka, Cointreau, cranberry, fresh lime	
Negroni   rocks	60
Tanqueray gin, Campari, sweet vermouth, orange oils	
Dry Martini   dry, dirty or wet	60
Your choice of gin or vodka, dry vermouth	

## classic | night

	AED
Espresso Martini   coupe	60
<i>Stolichnaya vodka, Kahlua, fresh espresso</i>	
Manhattan   dry, perfect or sweet	65
<i>Maker's Mark bourbon, sweet / dry vermouth, bitters</i>	
Brandy Alexander   coupe	60
<i>Courvoisier VS, crème de cacao, cream, nutmeg dust</i>	
Old Fashioned   rocks	60
<i>Your choice of dark spirit, sugar, bitters, orange oils</i>	

If these do not whet your whistle, then why not order one from our fantastic collection of spirits.

## spirits | aperitif

	AED
Aperol	45
Campari	45
Fernet Branca	45
Pimm's	45
Ricard	45
Dolin Rouge	45
Martini (Bianco, Extra Dry, Rosso)	45

## spirits | vodka

42 Below	55
Absolut	45
Belvedere	60
Chopin	60
Grey Goose	60
Grey Goose L'Orange	60
Grey Goose La Citron	60
Grey Goose La Poire	60
Hammer & Sickle	60
Kauffman	250
Ketel One	45
Smirnoff Red	45
Stolichanaya	45
Stolichnaya Flavoured	50
Stolichanaya Cristal	50
Stolichanaya Gold	55
U'Luvka	65
Wyborowa Single Estate	65
Zubrowka	50

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## spirits | gin

Bombay Sapphire	AED 50
Beefeater	45
Diplome Dry Gin	50
Gordon's	45
Hayman's Old Tom	45
Hendrick's	55
Hoxton	55
Plymouth	45
Tanqueray	45
Tanqueray 10	50

## spirits | r(h)um

Bacardi Carta Blanca	45
Bacardi Oro	45
Bacardi 8	50
Bacardi Black	45
Captain Morgan Black	45
Gosling Black Seal	45
Gosling Old Rum	85
Sailor Jerry	50
Havana Club 3 Years Old	45
Havana Club 7 Years Old	55
Havana Club 15 Years Old	510
10 Cane	60
Ron Zacapa 23 Years Old	210
Ron Zacapa XO	380
<b>Rhum Agricole</b>	
J Bally 1998	70
<b>Cachaça</b>	
Germana 2 Years Old	50

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## spirits | brandy

	AED
<b>Cognac</b>	
Hennessy VS	50
Hennessy VSOP	70
Hennessy XO	210
Hennessy Paradis	500
Hennessy Richard	3200
Martell VSOP	65
Martell Cordon Bleu	250
Remy Martin VS	45
Remy Martin XO	250
Remy Martin Louis XIII	3200
<b>Armagnac</b>	
Castarede Armagnac Hors D'Age 20 Yr.	110
Castarede Armagnac 1969	240
<b>Calvados</b>	
Calvados Pays d'Auge	45
Calvados Boulard XO	75
<b>Pisco</b>	
Barsol Primero Quebranta	40
1615 Pisco Puro Italia	40
1615 Pisco Acholado	40
1615 Mosto Verde Quebranta Pisco	40
1615 Mosto Verde Torontel Pisco	40
<b>South Africa</b>	
Klipdrift	45

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## spirits | single malt

	AED
<b>Lowland</b>	
Glenkinchie 12 Years Old	60
<b>Highlands</b>	
Aberfeldy 12 Years Old	50
Dalmore Cigar Malt	60
Dalmore 12 Years Old	80
Glenmorangie Original	80
Glenmorangie Quinta Ruban	80
Glenmorangie Nectar D'Or	90
Glenmorangie Lasanta	95
Glenmorangie Signet	200
Glenmorangie Quarter Century	450
<b>Speyside</b>	
Balvenie Doublewood 12 Years Old	60
Balvenie Caribbean Cask 14 Years Old	70
Balvenie 21 Years Old	250
Longmorn 16 Years Old	60
Glenfiddich 12 Years Old	60
Glenfiddich 15 Years Old	75
Glenfiddich 18 Years Old	95
Glenfiddich 26 Years Old	490
Stathisla 12 Years Old	80
Glenlivet 12 Years Old	60
Glenlivet 15 Years Old	75
Glenlivet 18 Years Old	95
Glenlivet 21 Years Old	285
Macallan 12 Years Old	70
Macallan 18 Years Old	210
Macallan 25 Years Old	300

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	AED
<b>Islay &amp; Islands</b>	
Ardberg 10 Years Old	55
Laphroaig 10 Years Old	60
Talisker Storm	65
Isle of Jura Superstition	70
Isle of Jura 16 Years Old	110

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## spirits | whisk(e)y

	AED
<b>Scotch</b>	
Dewar's White Label	50
Dewar's 12 Years Old	50
Famous Grouse	50
Monkey Shoulder	60
J & B Rare	45
Johnnie Walker Red Label	45
Johnnie Walker Platinum Label	150
Johnnie Walker Black Label 12 Years Old	60
Johnnie Walker Gold Label 18 Years Old	125
Johnnie Walker Blue Label 25 Years Old	260
Royal Salute Chivas 12 Years Old	55
Royal Salute Chivas 18 Years Old	120
Royal Salute Chivas 25 Years Old	280
Royal Salute 21 Years Old	140
Royal Salute 100 cask	280
Royal Salute 38 Years Old	950
62 Gunn Salute	2900
Whyte & Mackay 13 Years Old	45
Whyte & Mackay 30 Years Old	195
<b>Irish</b>	
Bushmills Black Bush	45
Bushmills Malt 10 Years Old	45
John Jameson	50
Kilbeggan	55
Tullamore Dew	40

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## spirits | whisk(e)y

	AED
<b>Japanese</b>	
Suntory Hibiki	90
Yamazaki 12 Years Old	120
<b>Bourbon</b>	
Buffalo Trace	50
Fighting Cock 6 Years Old	50
Jim Beam	50
Maker's Mark	60
Woodford Reserve	60
<b>Tennessee</b>	
Jack Daniel's	45
Jack Daniel's Single Barrel	75
<b>Wheat</b>	
Bernheim Wheat	70
<b>Canadian</b>	
Canadian Club	50
Crown Royal	45

## spirits | tequila

Jose Cuervo Silver	40
Jose Cuervo Gold	45
Patron Blanco	50
Patron Reposado	70
Patron Anejo	80

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## spirits | liqueur

	AED
Amaretto Disaronno	45
Amarula	45
Baileys	45
Chartreuse	45
Cointreau	45
Drambuie	45
Frangelico	45
Grand Marnier	45
Jaegermeister	45
Malibu	45
Patron Café XO	50
Sambuca	45
Southern Comfort	45

## bottle | beers

Amstel Light	38
Asahi	38
Budweiser	38
Corona	38
Franziskaner Weissbier	50
Guinness	40
Heineken	38
Kingfisher	38
Peroni	38
Stella	38

## draught | beers

Peroni (small)	28
Peroni (large)	42

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## cider

	AED
Bulmers	50
Magners	50

## soft | soda

Coca Cola	15
Diet Coke	15
Ginger Ale	15
Soda	15
Tonic	15

## soft | juice

Cranberry	20
Green Apple	20
Orange	20
Pineapple	20
Pink Grapefruit	20
Watermelon	20

## soft | water

VOSS sparkling (small)	17
VOSS sparkling (large)	29
VOSS still (small)	17
VOSS still (large)	29

## White Wine

	GLS	BTL
Carmen, Chardonnay Central valley, Chile	45	200
Italia Pinot Grigio Veneto, Italy	50	240
Dr. Ernst Loosen, Riesling Mosel, Germany	65	295
Villa Maria, Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough, New Zealand	75	350

## Red Wine

Chateau L' Eglise Saget Bordeaux, France	55	240
Matua, Pinot Noir Marlborough, New Zealand	65	300
Rioja Crianza, Navajas Rioja, Spain	65	300
Gaja, Ca' marcanda, Promis IGT Toscana, Italy	95	450

## Rose Wine

Sauvion, Rose de Anjou Loire valley, France	60	275
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## Champagne

GLS BTL

Taittinger

165

750

Reims, Champagne, France

## Sparkling

Scavi & Ray, Prosecco-Spumante

55

250

Veneto, Italy

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