

December 2023

It was the 20th night before Christmas and all was well as 19 hardy individuals descended upon 'The Kitchen' for their final meeting of the year.

A mixture of bubbles, Germanic whites, French reds, a homemade sloe gin, cheese and biscuits and mincemeat shortbread were the order of the day.

To open the proceedings we started with a La Gioiosa Asolo Prosecco (11%); a very popular start to the evening.

Onto the three whites:

Pinot Gris Urmeer Löss, 12.5% RRP £9.49

Grey Slate Dr Loosen Riesling Private Reserve, 10.5% RRP £9.99

Sauvignon Blanc Kalkstein, 12.5% RRP £10.99 we paid £8.99

Interestingly the lowest alcoholic based wine (Reisling) was the most popular.



Next the reds:

Chateau Liversan Cru Bourgeois Haut- Medoc, 13% RRP £15.99 we paid £10

Georges Duboeuf Fleurie, 13.5% RRP £14.99 we paid £12.99

La Perrière à l'Origine Pinot Noir, 13% RRP £10.99

Unusually the most expensive red was not the preferred wine with the Fleurie easily being the most popular.