

# VC lounge

Mr. Frederick William Vanderbilt inaugurated what was to be the first luxury hotel in Puerto Rico on October 16, 1919. The Spanish Revival style designed by Warren and Whitmore created a timeless iconic structure that is the epitome of luxury to this day.

Strolling through its lobby, gardens and hallways you would have found the likes of Errol Flynn, Charles Lindberg, Carlos Gardel or Arthur Rubinstein; perhaps playing a few notes on the piano.

The Condado Vanderbilt became the hub of the social scene in Puerto Rico and the dames of society would revel in "Te-Danzant" a local version of the traditional British tea with Puerto Rican Danzas to accompany them.

Our prized gem went through many facets in its laudable history, always maintaining its special charm and distinction.

We are now celebrating our centennial by bringing back those bygone days of splendor and unsurpassed luxury. The Vanderbilt Court is proud to welcome you to take a step back in time; our ambiance, music and cocktails have all been designed to evoke that nostalgia of the glory years and those to come.

Sit back, relax, and feel enveloped by the luxury that only the Condado Vanderbilt and your VC Lounge can bestow.

## *Bespoke Cocktails*

### VANDERBILT MOJITO 20

Ron del Barrilito 3\*, Lime,  
Brown Sugar, Mint

### SMOKY NEGRONI 19

Campari, Tanqueray,  
Sweet Vermouth

### LUCHETTI COLADA 20

Ron del Barrilito 3\*, Pineapple  
& Coconut Syrup, Fresh Lemon  
Juice, China China Amer

### SUEÑOS LOCOS 21

Tanqueray Gin, Fresh Lemon  
Juice, White Crème de Cacao,  
Giffard Banane du Bresil,  
Absinthe Rinse

### SPANISH SLANG 17

Don Q Reserva 7, Aperol, Fresh  
Lemon Juice, Cherry Heering,  
Mezcal Rinse

### EL SOÑADOR 19

Bulleit Bourbon, Fresh Lemon  
Juice, Cardamom Syrup

### LOS LOBOS 21

Tequila Milagro Añejo,  
Montelobos Mezcal,  
Drambuie, Orange Bitters

### VESPER 18

The Botanist Gin, Belvedere Vodka,  
Lillet Blanc, Lemon Twist

### SLOWLY WITH TIME 17

Beefeater Gin, Cointreau,  
Fresh Lime Juice, Honey,  
Egg Whites, Mint Leaf

### SPICED RUM

### OLD FASHIONED 20

Ron del Barrilito 3\*

## *Non-Alcoholic Cocktails*

### VANDERBILT SUNSET 10

Pineapple, Passion Fruit,  
Acerola, Guanábana Marmalade,  
Egg White

### RELAXING SUNSET 10

Passion Fruit, Minced Ginger,  
Chamomile Tea

### DREAMSICLE 10

Orange Reduction, Orange Juice,  
Homemade Whipped Cream,  
Chocolate Bitters

## *Fresh Juices 7*

### PASSION FRUIT

### ORANGE

### GRAPEFRUIT

### COCONUT WATER

### TAMARIND

### SOURSOP

## Bubbles

MOET CHANDON  
BRUT IMPERIAL 25 / 129  
Champagne, France

JOSEPH PERRIER  
CUVÉE ROYALE  
BRUT NATURE 23 / 119  
Champagne, France

JEAN COMYN  
BRUT ROSÉ 22 / 105  
Champagne, France

JEIO 17 / 60  
Prosecco, Italy

KRUG 99 half-bottle 375 ml  
Champagne, France

LAURENT PERRIER BRUT 129  
Champagne, France

LAURENT PERRIER ROSÉ 189  
Champagne, France

BOLLINGER  
SPECIAL CUVÉE BRUT 195  
Champagne, France

DOM PERIGNON 399  
Champagne, France

## White

CHATEAU  
STE MICHELLE 15 / 50  
Riesling, Columbia Valley

MOHUA 16 / 60  
Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand

SAN ANGELO 16 / 60  
Pinot Grigio, Italy

SANTA MARGHERITA 20 / 75  
Pinot Grigio, Italy

TORRE LA MOREIRA 15 / 50  
Albariño, Rias Baixas

MER SOLEIL 20 / 75  
Chardonnay, Monterey County

CAKEBREAD 29 / 109  
Chardonnay, Napa Valley

## Red

JOSH 15 / 50  
Pinot Noir, Central Coast

NORTON SELECCION  
PRIVADA 15 / 50  
Malbec, Argentina

WILLAMETTE VALLEY 19 / 65  
Pinot Noir, Oregon

BANFI 20 / 75  
Rosso di Montalcino, Tuscany

BELLE GLOS  
LAS ALTURAS 35 / 120  
Pinot Noir, Santa Lucia Highlands

RANCH 32 15 / 50  
Cabernet Sauvignon, Monterey

CONUNDRUM 16 / 55  
Red, California

SIMI 20 / 75  
Cabernet Sauvignon, Alexander Valley

DOMINIO DEL PIDIO 35 / 120  
Tempranillo, Ribera del Duero

JORDAN 43 / 150  
Cabernet Sauvignon, Alexander Valley

## *Rosé*

WHISPERING ANGEL 20 / 75  
Cotes de Provence

## *Port*

OTIMA TEN 20  
Tawny

GRAHAM'S 40 39  
Tawny

GRAHAM'S 30 30  
Tawny

## *Sherry*

TIO PEPE PALOMINO 15  
Fino

LUSTAU 15  
Amontillado

LUSTAU 17  
Pedro Ximenez

# *Rum*

## THE SPIRIT OF THE CARIBBEAN

Few spirits have so complete a connection to their place of origin as rum does with the islands of the Caribbean. The economic and cultural development of the islands cannot be separated from the development and evolution of rum and the rum trade. Like the islands themselves, the story of rum begins humbly, as a local beverage used to quench the thirst of early colonialists.

Today rum has become one of the world's great spirits, diverse in style and ranging in price and quality, with the same diversity and interest as the world's other classic aged spirits.

Rum can be most easily defined as a distilled spirit made from sugarcane or from sugarcane byproducts. Most specifically in the Caribbean this means molasses, as early sugar plantations found they could produce fair quality spirits from this previously discarded byproduct of the sugarmaking process. How the molasses or sugarcane is treated before and during distillation, the methods of distillation, and the methods of aging and maturation of the finished spirit will give different character to the spirit. The great diversity of rum styles has grown from the cultural and traditional rum-making practices as they developed throughout the Caribbean and beyond.

This collection aims to showcase the broad diversity of fine rum styles from around the Caribbean, as well as fine spirits from around the world. We aim to provide the opportunity for tasting these exceptional spirits and a sophisticated forum for discussing them.

## *Puerto Rican Rum*

Puerto Rico is considered the rum capital of the world. With over 30 rum brands and home to the top rum distillers this undoubtedly rings true.

Most of the rum consumed each year around the world comes from Puerto Rico. We are home to the world's largest rum producer and the rum industry continues to serve as an integral component of the local economy.

Showcased amongst our vast selection is Ron del Barrilito. In 1880 Pedro Fernández started distilling rum with brandy and cognac production techniques that had peaked his interest whilst studying in France. Frequent guests at the Hacienda Santa Ana would ask for rum from “the little barrel” that Fernández produced for personal use. When he launched production of his rum the name “Ron del Barrilito” stuck and became the brand, a label that remains to this day.

Our other superstar is Don Q, with its legacy beginning in 1865 when it was first produced by the Serrallés family. Don Q carries a wide diversity of labels and styles. In 1954 Ramón “Monchito” Marrero made history by creating the piña colada using Don Q Rum. Their special edition, “Reserva de la Familia Serrallés” is comparable to the finest cognacs of the world.

### *Rón del Barrilito*

2 STARS 18

4 STARS 94

3 STARS 20

5 STARS 85 1oz / 160 2oz

#### RÓN DEL BARRILITO FLIGHT

2 Stars / 3 Stars / 4 Stars / 5 Stars (1oz each) 150

*Dan Q*

CRISTAL 14

RESERVA 16

GRAN AÑEJO 24

SPICED 16

150 ANNIVERSARY  
170 1oz / 325 2oz

*Bacardi*

SUPERIOR 14

8 YEARS 18

10 YEARS 20

RESERVA LIMITADA 33

*Guatemala*

ZACAPA 23 26

ZACAPA XO 44

*Perú*

PISCO 100 21

*Dominican Republic*

BRUGAL 1888 22

BARCELO IMPERIAL 16

*Jamaica*

MYER'S 14

*Martinique*

CLEMENT VSOP 23

CLEMENT XO 53

CLEMENT 10 YEAR 34

*Panamá*

ABUELO 7 16

ABUELO 12 20

ABUELO CENTURIA 53

ZAFRA 21 25

ZAFRA 30 56

*Brazil*

LEBLON 19

*Vodka*

*Barley*

FINLANDIA PLATINUM 20

*Corn*

TITO'S 19

*Wheat*

ABSOLUT 19

GREY GOOSE 20

GREY GOOSE CITRON 20

KETEL ONE 19

ABSOLUT ELYX 24

*Potato*

CHOPIN 23

*Rye*

BELVEDERE 20

*Wheat & Rye*

STOLICHNAYA ELITE 24



## *Gin*

BEEFEATER 14

BOMBAY 18

FIFTY POUNDS 20

HAYMAN'S OLD TOM 21

HENDRICK'S 23

BOLS GENEVER 29

TANQUERAY 16

LONDON#1 19

TANQUERAY TEN 20

THE BOTANIST 23

BARR HILL TOMCAT  
RESERVE 28

## *Whisky*

JACK DANIEL'S 16

GENTLEMAN JACK 20

MAKER'S MARK 21

MAKER'S 46 21

WOODFORD RESERVE  
VANDERBILT CASK 24

WOODFORD  
DOUBLE OAK 24

JACK SINGLE BARREL 24

KNOB CREEK 24

BAKER'S 28

BULLEIT BOURBON 19

BULLEIT RYE 19

MICHTER'S  
AMERICAN WHISKY 28

MICHTER'S  
BOURBON 28

MICHTER'S  
SOUR MASH 29

MICHTER'S  
STRAIGHT RYE 29

WHISTLEPIG  
STRAIGHT RYE 31

## *Scotch Whisky*

### *Blended Malt*

CHIVAS 12 19

CHIVAS 18 26

CHIVAS 25 81

DEWAR'S 12 18

DEWAR'S 18 28

DEWAR'S 25 61

MONKEY SHOULDER 20

JOHNNIE WALKER  
BLACK 20

JOHNNIE WALKER  
DOUBLE BLACK 23

JOHNNIE WALKER  
GOLD RESERVE 26

JOHNNIE WALKER  
PLATINUM 36

JOHNNIE WALKER BLUE 61

JOHNNIE WALKER  
BLUE GHOST 106

### *Single Malt*

#### *Islay*

BRUICHLADDICH  
CLASSIC LADDIE 29

BRUICHLADDICH  
OCTOMORE 7.1 56

#### *Highlands*

GLENMORANGIE 10 25

GLENMORANGIE  
QUINTA RUBEN 25

GLENMORANGIE  
LASANTA 28

GLENMORANGIE  
EXTREMELY RARE 18 44

GLENMORANGIE  
NECTAR D'OR 28

#### *Speyside*

BALVENIE 12 28

GLENFIDDICH 12 24

BALVENIE 17 56

GLENFIDDICH 15 26

BALVENIE 21 69

GLENFIDDICH 18 44

GLENLIVET 12 23

GLENFIDDICH 21 74

GLENLIVET 18 38

GLENROTHER'S 23

#### *Japan*

AKASHI 31

KAMIKI 36

YAMAZAKI 12 86

## *Macallan's Experience*

MACALLAN 12 28

MACALLAN 21 61

MACALLAN 15 41

MACALLAN ESTATE 71

MACALLAN 18 74

MACALLAN RARE CASK 84

## *Cognac*

COURVOISIER  
NAPOLEON 33

ARMAGNAC LARRESINGLE  
VSOP 26

COURVOISIER XO 44

HENNESSY VS 23

REMY MARTIN VSOP 26

HENNESSY VSOP 31

REMY MARTIN 1738 28

HENNESSY XO 56

REMY MARTIN XO 53

HENNESSY PARADIS IMPERIAL  
195 1oz / 375 2oz

## *The Perfect Pour*

LOUIS XIII 295 1oz / 565 2oz

## *Brandy*

GRAN DUQUE DE ALBA 23

CARTA REAL 31

CARDENAL MENDOZA 23

## *Tequila*

### *Silver*

MILAGRO 18

PATRÓN 24

CINCORO 61

JOSÉ CUERVO RESERVA  
DE LA FAMILIA PLATINO 23

DON JULIO 24

### *Reposada*

MILAGRO REPOSADO 19

PATRÓN 26

CINCORO 74

MILAGRO BARREL SELECT 28

DON JULIO 26

### *Añejo*

MILAGRO AÑEJO 20

PATRÓN VANDERBILT  
BARREL 29

CINCORO 94

JOSÉ CUERVO RESERVA DE  
LA FAMILIA EXTRA AÑEJO 31

DON JULIO 29

GRAN PATRÓN BURDEOS 113

## *Beer*

### *Local*

MEDALLA 8

MAGNA 9

### *Artisanal*

OCEAN LAB IPA 12

OLD HARBOR  
SANTO VIEJO 12

### *USA*

COORS LIGHT 8

BLUE MOON 10

SAMUEL ADAMS 10

### *International*

HEINEKEN 10

STELLA ARTOIS 10

HEINEKEN LIGHT 10

CORONA EXTRA 10

### *Non-Alcoholic*

HEINEKEN 0.0 8

# *Tapas*

BURRATA CHEESE / OSETRA CAVIAR 34  
Crostini, Extra Virgin Olive Oil

CROQUETA DE BACALAO 19  
Aioli

JAMÓN IBÉRICO DE BELLOTA 34  
Grilled Country Bread, Whipped Ricotta

TUNA TARTARE 18  
Truffle Ponzu, Wasabi, Cilantro

TRUFFLED CHURROS 14  
Parmesan, Chive

ARTISANAL FARMSTAND CHEESE 21  
Coconut Arepa, Tropical Fruit Marmalade

GRAIN SALAD 21  
Heirloom Beets, Herbal Goat Cheese, Pistachio, Arugula

GRILLED OCTOPUS 25  
Spicy Aioli, Pickled Red Onions, Cilantro



## AVO CIGAR LOUNGE

FOR THE TRUE CONNOISSEUR OF CIGARS,  
AVO CIGAR LOUNGE OFFERS THE MOST  
SELECT VARIETY OF HIGH-END CIGARS IN  
SAN JUAN. THE WARM WOODS AND  
FURNISHINGS PROVIDE THE PERFECT  
SETTING FOR BUSINESS AND PLEASURE.

## *Avo*

AVO is the harmony of two cigar legends, famed musician and composer Avo Uvezian and master cigar blender Hendrik Kelner. Produced by the makers of Davidoff in the famous Tabadom factory, AVO is known worldwide for its top quality Dominican premium cigars. When it comes to balanced, ultra-refined blends, AVO is at the top of the list. For a mellow to medium-bodied cigar give AVO Classic a chance, this fantastic blend provides a smooth and creamy character with notes of pepper. If you like a full-bodied cigar AVO Heritage is the cigar for you. This complex Dominican blend offers full bold flavor, whichever you prefer, AVO cigars are phenomenally blended and affordably priced.

## *Davidoff*

Zino Davidoff, born to a tobacco merchant in 1906, Zino was destined to take over his father's tobacco shop after spending time in South America in the 1920s studying the product extensively. Located in Geneva, Switzerland, Zino's shop has flourished through the years specializing in high-end tobaccos as well as a copious amount of other luxury goods ranging from wine and champagne all the way to cologne. Davidoff cigars are equivalent to the Bentley in cars. Luxurious and worth every penny. Searching for a taste of Davidoff history? Look no further and try the Davidoff Grand Cru Series that stays true to its roots. Want to kick it up a notch? Indulge in premium cigar bliss with Davidoff Escurio, one blend introducing your palate to a rush of flavor and complexity. There's little doubt, when it comes to luxury, Davidoff cigars is your brand.



## *H. Upmann*

Stemming back to 1844, two brothers August and Hermann founded H. Upmann cigars that is now one of the oldest brands in the industry. Committed to excellence, H. Upmann has delivered top-notch cigars to connoisseurs for well over a century and a half. Produced and distributed by Altadis U.S.A., makers of such premium brands as Romeo y Julieta and Montecristo, each H. Upmann undergoes rigorous quality control to ensure each cigar sent to retail shelves will have a great burn, flavor, and draw every time. Today, H. Upmann continues to build upon their heritage by releasing award winning blends for the contemporary aficionado. H. Upmann Havoc is a true testament to their modern blends. A medium-bodied Honduran made cigar that delivers notes of leather, coffee, and vanilla from the San Andres Criollo '98 wrapper and Nicaraguan long-fillers. H. Upman Legacy and Media Noche are other great cigar additions to the historic portfolio, and with decades of cigar craftsmanship you know H. Upmann is a quality brand worth stocking in your humidor.

## *Montecristo*

Montecristo cigars started from humble beginnings in Cuba in 1935. At the time, there was a tradition of reciting stories to the cigar rollers over their long work days. One of the most popular of these was The Count of Montecristo. So popular, in fact, they named a brand after it. Since that day, Montecristo cigars has become one of the most popular brands in the world. Today they set standards for quality, flavor, and consistency among the top manufacturers. Montecristo now operates out of the Tabacalera de Garcia factory in the Dominican Republic. From mellow-bodied, Connecticut Shade-wrapped blends like the Montecristo Classic and Montecristo White series, to the bold, rich flavors of Montecristo Epic and Montecristo Media Noche, this brand is available in a variety of premium handmade blends for all palates.

## *Camacho*

Since 1961 the Camacho brand has been gracing humidors with delicious Cuban-esque handmade cigars. Though the designs may have changed, Camacho has stayed true throughout the ages. Truly the first premium cigar brand to accurately recreate Cuban growing traditions on non-Cuban soil, Camacho is the undisputed master of complex and subtle blends. If you're looking for a brand that combines the luxury aesthetic and individualized attention to detail that the best boutique companies do, with the resources and blending expertise of a national powerhouse, Camacho is absolutely the cigar for you. For fans of bold and mellow profiles alike, Camacho delivers in spades on all categories. Coming from the lush soils of Honduras, Camacho is a boutique line of cigars, deserving of the many 90-plus ratings it has acquired.

## *Arturo Fuente*

Established in 1912, Arturo Fuente has become a global benchmark for the cigar industry. When Arturo Fuente started his company over one hundred years ago, he would never imagine the success the brand would grow into. A real family business, Fuente cigars were originally rolled and blended in the back of Fuente's family house. Now, four generations later with Carlos Fuente Jr, the brand is a household name that is internationally recognized for making some of the world's finest cigars. Handmade in their factory in the Dominican Republic, their flagship line is a medium-bodied, sun-grown wrapped gem that has become an everyday favorite for many smokers. Fuente also makes some ultra-premium cigars including Fuente Fuente OpusX, one of the highest-rated and rarest cigars available today. When you experience Fuente cigars, you become part of a story that has been developing for over a century.

## *Pérez Carrillo*

The Pérez Carrillo have a century long tradition in Central America. As a boutique line, they do not mass produce any single blend and their goal is to focus on quality, rather than quantity. This blend was created using a 5 year aged Cuban seed habano maduro grown in Nicaragua and aged in our factory in Honduras. Binder and filler are aged just as much. Although the wrapper is dark in color, the cigar is medium body. The blend itself proprietary and we cannot go into too much detail. The tobacco used in our cigars is 100% naturally grown, and naturally aged. The flavor profile is robust and complex, yet its interpretation comes across very balanced. This cigar can be enjoyed by all, novice and/or seasoned cigar smokers. Like the foundation of any great structure, consider this blend the foundation of the Kafie 1901 Cigars line up.

## *Oliva*

Oliva, one of the most famous tobacco families in the cigar industry, began with Melanio Oliva growing tobacco in Cuba in the 1880s. The Oliva Cigar Company has since migrated to Nicaragua, where they are the second largest grower of Cuban-seed tobacco. Countless magazines awarded Oliva blends 90+ ratings and Cigar of the Year awards. The Oliva Serie 'V' Melanio was named after the family's founder, and is a '95' rated full-bodied blend with a silky smooth wrapper and plies of complex flavors. Oliva Series 'G' and Series 'O' are impeccable premium selections from the fine portfolio as well. Flor de Oliva is handmade with 100% Nicaraguan long-filler, and the price is unbelievably low. Oliva cigars are a true testament of the fine art of cigar creation and maintaining some of the highest standards in quality control has earned them the highest accolades in the business.

## *Drew Estate*

From humble beginnings to the largest cigar factory in Nicaragua, the Drew Estate story is that of a true underdog rising to the top. In 1998, Jonathan Drew & Marvin Samel began their operation in NYC, selling cigars in the World Trade Center. Later that year, Drew moved to Nicaragua, trying to start the "rebirth of cigars." With hard work and persistence came great rewards, and the Drew Estate brand has gone on to create some of the most successful blends in the business. Within the halls of La Gran Fabrica Drew Estate, cigar rollers handcraft blends like Undercrown and Liga Privada No. 9 to the highest standards of quality. Drew Estate has something for everyone—from their sweet, infused ACID creations, to the rich complexities of Liga Privada, to the experimental blending of the Kentucky Fire Cured, this company's got it all. Constantly innovating, Drew Estate cigars are the definition of a trendsetter.

## *Romeo y Julieta*

Rooted in over a century of prestigious tradition, Romeo y Julieta is a premium handmade cigar that has been enjoyed by cigar enthusiasts since 1875. Originally these cigars were made in Cuba, and became overtly popular in the mid-20th century. Winston Churchill famously enjoyed Romeo y Julieta and liked them so much that in 1946, they named a size after him. Today, these cigars are handmade in the Dominican Republic, although they haven't forgotten their Cuban heritage, they are noted for innovating the industry with their specialized figurado sizes such as perfecto and piramide. Romeo y Julieta has won numerous awards at tasting exhibitions around the world. From Romeo y Julieta 1875 to Romeo y Julieta Reserve, and every other blend in between, these delicious premiums, Romeo y Julietas are always sought after, and always a good decision.