

# CRAIG BANCROFT

NORTHCOTE MANOR, LANGHO

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## WINE PACKAGES FOR THE FESTIVAL OF FOOD 2005

Every evening, tasting Wine menus will be offered at a packaged price that will vary depending on my selection. Full details will be available once the menus have been decided. But if you are willing to trust me, you can reserve the special tasting menu and enjoy the surprise on the evening.



“ The incredibly talented and charismatic chefs that gather to celebrate our fifth Festival of Food & Wine are a wonderful endorsement of the respect Nigel holds within our industry. Without their invaluable time and generosity this Festival would not be possible

In five short years it has become a highlight of our calendar presenting, as it does, many new challenges, providing countless opportunities to learn and, most of all, allowing us all to succumb to a fabulous week of gastronomic indulgence. But this year the Festival marks

another major milestone as it heralds the start of our 21st year in business.

For my own part, I have the unenviable task of matching five different wines, by the glass or bottle, to each of the seven different menus...wines that will be daring, adventurous or truly classical and which I hope will deliver flavour combinations that will inspire and enhance a truly memorable experience.

Unfortunately we cannot allow you an insight into these menus and wines within this brochure as all our chefs reserve the right to do what they do best ...invent, improvise and deliver impromptu genius as only they can...masters of their art rising to the occasion and serving up a Bravura performance. ”

*“I am delighted to have the assistance this year of Simon Woods, Wines of Portugal and Julian Kaye of the Wright Wine Company. The Wright Wine Company has been a tremendous supporter of our Festivals over the years and their understanding relationship and willingness to enhance the overall Northcote delivery is always appreciated.”*

Craig's food and wine matching skills were recognised recently when he beat the best restaurants nationwide to win French Wines' 'Match 2004'. In 2004 he also won the Trophée Gosset Celebris prize for the Best North West Champagne List.

