

Cape Classics named Uno Chicago Grill's Wine Supplier of the Year

Amelia Island, Florida, October 28, 2009 - Cape Classics was named Uno Chicago Grill's Wine Supplier of the Year 2009 during the Uno Annual Convention, held October 26-28 at Amelia Island Plantation Resort in Amelia Island, Florida. The award, presented by Uno's Corporate Beverage Manager Marc Sachs, was accepted by Cape Classics Director of Sales Gregg Perkins.

Cape Classics' partnership with Uno Chicago Grill began in 2005, when Sachs – a longtime supporter of South African wine – added Indaba Chardonnay to the Uno wine list, replacing a prominent label. Sachs noted that while some naysayers initially questioned his choice of a South African wine, he knew that he was offering his customers better wine and better value. After demonstrated success with Indaba, Uno expanded its wine program to include a second Cape Classics label, Excelsior Cabernet Sauvignon, in October 2007. This was quite a coup for both Cape Classics and South Africa, as the Uno wine list is comprised of only 12 selections. Both Indaba Chardonnay and Excelsior Cabernet remain staples in the Uno beverage program, continuing to deliver great quality and extraordinary value.

While presenting the "Wine Supplier of the Year" award, Marc Sachs praised Cape Classics founder and CEO André Shearer as "a winner" and someone to look to for great wines before reflecting on the solid partnership Cape Classics has developed with Uno Chicago Grill. Molly Choi, Senior Vice President of Cape Classics, who also attended the conference, commented: "We are thrilled that Uno's has chosen to honor Cape Classics with this Supplier of the Year award. Our two companies have a shared mission of delivering excellent value to our customers, and we deeply value our Uno's relationship. We look forward to continuing our successful partnership well into the future."

About Uno Chicago Grill

Based in Boston, Massachusetts, Uno's franchises and operates over 200 full-service, casual dining restaurants in 31 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, South Korea and the United Arab Emirates. Famous for their signature Chicago-style deep dish pizza, the chain also offers a full-range, high quality grill menu. They recently developed a new fast casual concept called *Uno Dué Go*.

About Cape Classics

Cape Classics was established by André Shearer in 1991, with a mission of bringing South Africa's best wines to the American market. Today the company remains the preeminent US importer of Cape wine, representing an award-winning portfolio of 18 of South Africa's finest estates and labels, including Kanonkop, Mulderbosch, Rustenberg and Thelema. With a focus solely on South African wine, Cape Classics remains committed to providing a unique range of selections that are exciting and delicious and that offer outstanding value.