Editors' CHOICE



CURRENTLY IN ITS 76TH YEAR OF BUSINESS under the leadership of CEO Chris Adams, President Michael Yurch, and COO Shyda Gilmer, Sherry-Lehmann is long renowned for its commitment to providing excellent products and service. Catering to wine pundits and amateurs alike, the Sherry-Lehmann store combines old-world charm with modern sophistication. Situated at 505 Park Avenue at 59th Street in New York, Sherry-Lehmann is consistently rated the number-one wine shop in New York by the Zagat Survey, and referred to as the most 'justly celebrated wine store in the nation' by Vanity Fair. Today, the company boasts a staff of over 70 employees and produces five catalogs per year for their hundreds of thousands of clients worldwide.

Wine lovers will find a wide variety of wines to choose from, not only from wellknown regions like Bordeaux, Burgundy, and Champagne, but also from countries like Chile, Germany, and South Africa. Sherry-Lehmann has been offering Bordeaux Futures since the



1959 vintage. Their current offering of the 2008 vintage in Bordeaux is a rare combination of very high quality with very fair prices. Robert

Parker calls the vintage "at least excellent in quality." Futures offerings include the mediumbodied Beychevelle, a sensual Saint-Julien with pretty raspberry and cranberry fruit, as well as hints of darker fruits on the palate; the elegant La Chapelle de La Mission Haut-Brion, which exhibits spicy, earthy, forest floor-like notes intermixed with red currants and black fruits; and the luscious deep ruby/purple-colored Talbot that offers roasted herb, berry fruit, coffee, and soil characteristics.

Sherry-Lehmann also caters to the guest shopping for spirits and carries a variety of cognacs, blended scotchs, and tequilas, among others. In addition, they offer an outstanding selection of vintage port.

The company has been a *Forbes* Favorite Best of the Web pick since 2001, and offers shoppers their impressive selection online at www.Sherry-Lehmann.com. ●

Sherry-Lehmann at 59th and Park in New York (top); Chris Adams, CEO (below center)