SGC HOUSE WINE

SGC HOUSE RED - CABERNET / SHIRAZ

120 / 40

2022 - Produced by Kowie Du Toit. Vibrant red in colour. Herbs and spices on the nose with dark fruit and berries on the palate. Very well balanced with soft tannins.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

MERLOT

STELLENBOSCH HILLS 190 MERLOT

2020 - Stellenbosch Hills' enchanting whiffs of violet and cherry blossom are the first impression. The wine is beautifully balanced and the velvety smooth palate rewards with luscious ripe plum and melting chocolate flavours on the lingering finish.

~ WINE OF ORIGIN - STELLENBOSCH

VILLIERA - MONRO MERLOT 520

2020 - Intensely aromatic with forthcoming berry fruit and hints of chocolate, spice and vanilla. It is well balanced with velvety texture but with enough grip to ensure good length. The complexity will ensure that Monro Merlot should keep for up to 10 years.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

STELLENBOSCH RESERVE - 220 KWEEKSKOOL MERLOT

2020 - Aromas of bramble and damson plum combine with dark chocolate, cherry molasses and tobacco. The ripe aromas on the nose follow through onto the palate, with sweet, ripe fruit balanced by savoury notes of bay leaf and thyme. Fine, ripe tannins and fresh acidity support the plush midpalate, culminating in a clean, fruity finish.

~ Wine of origin - Devonvalley, Stellenbosch

GUARDIAN PEAK MERLOT 180 / 60

2023 - Bright tropical fruit, with typical notes of granadilla, cape gooseberry and lime cordial. Intense fruit on the palate is lifted by a crisp and refreshing acidity, with a touch of salinity that encourages another sip

 \sim Wine of origin - Western Cape

VILLIERA MERLOT

220

2021 - The colour of the wine is brilliant red. The aroma shows hints of wood spice and mint with attractive red berry fruit. On the palate the wine is rich and full with juicy soft tannins ensuring drinkability. It will however mature for up to six years from vintage.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

RAINBOW'S END MERLOT 390

2021 - Dark deep crimson colour. Aromas of blueberries, ripe. Full velvety mouth feel with hints of berry compote, mulberries and ripe plums. This is a well structured wine with rounded tannins balancing out opulent fruit and a long lingering finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

MURATI - ALBERTA 375 ANNEMARIE

2019 - Redolent of lusciously ripe plums in its youth, this wine has complex layers of dark cherries, cocoa, cinnamon and toasted hazelnut (from 16 months in French oak barrels) that come to the fore over time. Its appealing sweetness and full-bodied richness are balanced by fresh acidity and a pinch of mixed herbs.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

NIETGEGUND MERLOT 250

2015 - This classic Merlot was matured in French barrique for 12 months and only 2300 bottles of this sought after wine have been produced. This is a smooth, mild to medium bodied wine and can be enjoyed with seafood, pasta, mild cheeses and meat dishes.



PINOTAGE

BEYERSKLOOF - DIESEL PINOTAGE

1600

2020 - A big structured wine with intense dark fruit flavours and pleasant hints of chocolate from the barrel toasting. This wine has great depth and balance with a lasting finish. The wine will age superbly for 10 years or longer and will pair well with matured Sirloin/Rib eye on the bone and spicy Indian curries. ~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

BEYERSKLOOF PINOTAGE

180 / 60

2022 - An exuberance of red berries and plums, a touch of spice and cherry tobacco. More plums, red and black, tumble along with red cherry fruit, so fruit-forward and friendly; great drinkability with its medium-body and featherweight tannins. Cut with freshness all the way through. ~ Wine of origin - Western cape

BEYERSKLOOF PINOTAGE 1.5 LITRE MAGNUM

330

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~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

BEYERSKLOOF KRIEKBULT PINOTAGE

800

2021 - The Kriekbult Pinotage expresses an abundance of black fruit flavours from blackberries to cassis with balanced oak aromas from barrel maturation. A wine with excellent balance, a lovely core, and a long juicy aftertaste that will develop well for 10 years or longer.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

KANONKOP ESTATE PINOTAGE

800

2021 - Bright purple-red colour. Bold aromas of plums, blackberries, hints of liquorice and tar, layers of smoke, roasted nuts and rich vanilla on the nose. The palate is packed with flavours of plums, cherries, black figs, dark chocolate, blackberries and spicy oak. The beautifully integrated plush, creamy tannins with satisfying acidity result in a wonderfully balanced wine with a long finish, promising great maturation potential.

~ Wine of origin Stellenbosch

VILLIERA PINOTAGE

230

2021 - A new style Pinotage with subtle oak spice, plums and a hint of vanilla on the nose. On the palate it is soft but well structured with good length. The wine is well balanced and can be enjoyed now with the potential to age for a further 5 years.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

VISIO VINTNERS PINOTAGE

150

2020 / 2021 A soft and elegant wine with a nose of ripe dark plums and blackberries. On the palate the wine delivers juicy, ripe berry fruit but with a dry finish. The natural acidity and tannin structure will allow maturation over the next 3-5 years.



RED BLENDS

RUST EN VREDE ESTATE

780

2018 - Named to reflect the planting on the property, the grapes for this wine come from 22 hectares of Cabernet Sauvignon, 7 hectares of Syrah and 1 hectare of Merlo. Rich cassis and mulberry with cedar and tobacco reveal Cabernet as the backbone to the blend, after which fresh red and black cherry with black pepper spice show the Syrah component. Intense fruit flavours are layered with mocha, Christmas cake, sandalwood and leather, bringing complexity to the wine. Fresh, fruity acidity balances the firm, coating tannins, culminating in a clean, dry finish that indicates good ageing potential.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ALTO ESTATE BLEND

700

2021 - Minerality and dark berries follow through onto the palate A multi dimensional and engaging wine with a good combination of freshness and concentration on the mid palate. This wine perfectly complements smoked red meat and poultry and is excellent served with charcuterie and mature cheeses

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ALTO ROUGE

220 / 75

2021 - The dark ruby Alto Rouge consists of an exquisite blend of five varietals – Cabernet Franc, Shiraz, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot. It is the ideal pairing for flavoured red meat, game and duck dishes. Colour: Deep and rich red. Bouquet: Rich, dark fruit flavours supported by cedarwood spice and hints of chocolate dominate the nose. Taste: Fresh red and rich dark fruit flavours on the palate, backed up by soft, elegant tannins. Rich, balanced finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

BEYERSKLOOF SYNERGY CAPE BLEND

240

2020 - Baking blueberries, mulberries on the vine, leafy and sweet, cedar and spice. Generous and broad on the palate with fleshy, juicy fruit, cherries dipped in chocolate. A cleansing acidity plays against a supple tannin structure, drawing the wine into a moreish, fruity finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

KANONKOP KADETTE CAPE 220 BLEND

2020 - The bright ruby colour of the Kadette Cape Blend 2019 has vibrant crimson hues, with complimenting aromas of raspberries, dark cherries, plums, cinnamon and cloves. Supple, elegant tannins and a fresh seam of acidity are beautifully balanced with a vibrant explosion of fruit on the palate. Juicy flavours of red and black fruits, and a hint of chocolate, dominate the lengthy finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

DROMER 400

2020 - This Bordeaux styled blend Cabernet Sauvignon (66%), Merlot (28%) and Cabernet Franc (6%) grapes were hand selected from various sites, including the warmer Polkadraai area, and the cooler Helderberg Basinse Bay. We also look at soils, that vary from Malmesbury-schale, decomposed granite to Clovelly. We aim to do things as natural as possible, which is why we do both alcoholic- and malolactic fermentation all naturally.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

BELLEVUE KUMI 2022

200

2022 - This Shiraz Cinsaut blend captivates the senses with aromas of woodsmoke, raspberry, and strawberry. On the palate, it reveals a combination of charcuterie, spiciness, and maraschino cherry flavors. This approachable wine showcases purity of fruit and friendly tannins, which is perfectly in balance.



MULDERBOSCH FAITHFUL HOUND

2020 - Mulderbosch Faithful Hound celebrates the virtues of Bordeaux's great tradition of blending. Aside from investing considerable effort in our own vineyards in close proximity to False Bay, our quest to find the perfect sites for each of the five varieties used in the blend led us from cooler sites to the rich, shale soils of Bottelary. The goal with each bottling of Faithful Hound is to produce a rich, complex wine that comfortably expresses old world class and the generosity of fruit associated with Stellenbosch.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

THELEMA RABELAIS

990

2015 - During our annual vintage review individual barrels are identified and earmarked for the Rabelais blend. Concentrated aromas of dark berries and cedar wood on the nose are complemented by lovely sweet fruit and polished tannins on the palate. The wine finishes long and firm and will reward cellaring.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

STELLENBOSCH HILLS 1707 320 RESERVE - RED

2018 - A full bodied, seamless blend boasting an abundance of dark berry fruit, plums, dark chocolate and hints of black pepper & cigar box aromas. The structure is well-balanced with juicy, yet firm tannins. The tannin structure is mid palate focused and the wine has a long lingering finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

GUARDIAN PEAK SMG

350

350

2021 - 60% Syrah | 30% Mourvèdre | 10% Grenache. Bold black fruit and spice are followed by red cherry and raspberry. Notes of rhubarb combine with black pepper and cumin. Tangy acidity balances fine, supple tannins and juicy fruit. Cherries, cinnamon and smoky meat create layers in this refreshing, medium-bodied wine.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch, Breedekloof & Piekenierskloof

GROENLAND - ANTOINETTE 250 MARIE

2019 - A magical blend of 61% Merlot, 27% Shiraz and 12% Cabernet Sauvignon. A deep red colored wine with an abundance of fruit and hints of vanilla and chocolate on the nose. Smoky and spicy aromas. Named after Kosie & Heléne Steenkamps two daughters.

 \sim - Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

VILLIERA - THE CLAN

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

1450

2016 - Intensely perfumed with dark berry fruit, liquorice, violets and underlying tobacco, spice and graphite. It is full bodied with ripe succulent tannins and great length. The wine is complemented by a small percentage of Carignan, which freshens the wine, improving drinkability while creating a point of difference.

STELLENBOSCH RESERVE - VAN DER STEL

290

2021 - 70% Cabernet Sauvignon | 15% Merlot | 6% Cabernet Franc | 6% Petit Verdot | 3% Malbec. Deep, bright ruby in colour, this wine shows expressive cassis and black cherries with Christmas cake spice, thyme, and mocha adding richness. Full-bodied with intense plum and black cherry notes well integrated with spicy notes of clove and cedar. Grippy yet refined tannins compliment the bright, fresh acidity culminating in a dry, dark chocolate finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

LE RICHE - RICHESSE

430

2021 - Aromas of sweet plums, fresh prunes and burst of red cherries, balanced with a touch of oak on the nose. A firm yet succulent entry with juicy mouth filling flavours of red berries are supported by a delicious rounded finish. The Cabernet Sauvignon adds body and complexity whilst the Cinsaut brings great perfume and accessibility to this versatile wine.



DONKIESBAAI SUIDERKRUIS

2019 - 49% Cinsault, 46% Grenache Noir and 5% Syrah. Expressive cranberry, watermelon and notes of blueberry and cinnamon are very inviting on the nose. The juicy, sweet fruits are balanced beautifully on the palate by delicate tannins and savoury notes of earthiness and new leather. The finish shows juicy flavours of cranberry and redcurrant, and has very good length.

~ Wine of Origin - Piekenierskloof

LE CHANT - ROUGE

2019 - The maiden release of Le Chant is a 2019 blend of mostly Merlot, Cabernet sauvignon and Cabernet franc with small quantities of Sangiovese and Shiraz. It is aromatically complex with red berries and cinnamon spice, medium bodied with a soft, supple tannin structure, well-crafted with a long, elegant finish.

220

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

JOURNEY'S END - THE HUNTSMAN

2021 - Shows the expected hedgerow fruit, scrub, dried herbs and white pepper which comes from these varieties, along with an evenly balanced oak structure. Full bodied and smoothly luscious, it is ready to drink, the freshness adding lift and vibrancy to the dark fruit and liquorice richness.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

NIETGEGUND THE ULTIMATE 250 BLEND

2017 - Nietgegund is a boutique winery and situated in the heart of The Golden Triangle of the Stellenbosch Wine Region. This is a typical Bordeaux style blend with 3 noble varieties – Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc. The Platter Wine Guide gave it 4 stars. Enjoy this smooth, medium to full body wine with any meat dishes but also pasta and mild cheeses.

~ Wine of origin: Stellenbosch

VERGELEGEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON / MERLOT

280

2020 - Bright dark red. On the nose striking cassis underlined with cedar and a fresh ripe fruit character. On the palate the freshness carries through with a sprightly, lingering finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

MEERLUST RED 400

2020 - Weather vagaries and Meerlust's exacting quality requirements determine that not every vintage is worthy of our flagship red blend Rubicon. Thus is born, in rare years, our collector's Meerlust Red 2019. The Red 2019 is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot aged in French oak for 17 months. Intense fresh red fruit combines with floral, spicy notes in a medium-bodied wine with a soft, silky texture for immediate enjoyment or up to 8 years' bottle maturation.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

COMPAGNIESDRIFT CABERNET SAUVIGNON / MERLOT

230

2021 - This wine has a dark ruby colour with vibrant hue showing the youth of this wine. On the nose dark fruit aromas of black current and plums with notes of spice are detected. The Merlot adds to the sweet and Cabernet adds to the dark fruit.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

RAINBOW'S END MYSTICAL CORNER

180

2022 - Cabernet Sauvignon 53%, Merlot 20%, Petit Verdot 14%, Malbec 13%. Deep red colour. Aromatic blackcurrant and dark cherries with a undertone of dark moist soil. Juicy palate with firm, fine tannins. Ready to drink now.

 \sim Wine of origin - Banghoek Valley, Stellenbosch



490

330

BEYERSKLOOF FAITH

2020 - Intense dark fruit and cassis upon entry with delicate spice and cedar aromas from the new oak. A big structured Cape blend with excellent complexity but still great balance. Hints of dark chocolate add to a long smooth finish. Pairs well with matured sirloin, beef bourguignon and Oxtail. Optimum drinking time will be 5-8 years after the vintage, but the wine should age well for 10-15 years.

~ - Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

GLENELLY ESTATE RESERVE 5

2020 - Glenelly Estate Reserve is based on the classic claret blend from the 1700's, if it were not for the presence of 15% Syrah in the mix, it would be a four way Cabernet Sauvignon lead blend. Structures and stylish this wine offers plenty of aging potential. Vibrant aromas of plum and cherry. Flavours of mulberry and blackcurrant leaf, some fresh herds with fine, granular tannins to support it all.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ZONNEBLOEM LAURÉT

340

1150

2017 - This blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot is the flagship of the Zonnebloem range. Richly coloured, full-bodied and generous, it is velvet on the palate with an explosion of fruit and a hint of spice. ~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

BEYERSKLOOF CABERNET / 180 MERLOT

2021 - As a tribute to the classic Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot cultivars, we present this medium - bodied blend made, made with carefully selected grapes in the definitive easy drinking Beyerskloof style.

~ Wine of Origin - Coastal region

LE POMMIER - MAC

220

2023 - This rich blend of Cabernet Franc and Malbec shows dark fruit characters of blackberry and mulberry on the nose. The wine has firm but mouth filling structure and velvety tannins on the palate with a long lingering aftertaste.

~ - Wine of origin - Banghoek valley Stellenbosch

AFRIKAANS VOL. IV

320

2021 - Soft, ripe white peach with spanspek are prominent, layered with subtle vanilla, beeswax and lemon curd. The rich fruitiness follows through boldly on the palate, rounded out by delicate creaminess, providing body to the wine. Bright citrussy acidity lifts the creaminess on the palate creating a beautiful balanced wine.

 \sim Wine of origin - Stellenbosch 80% and Piekenierskloof 20%

VILLIERA DOWN TO EARTH RED

150 / 50

2021 - An explosion of spice and dark berry flavours with the tannin caressing the palate. The extra dimension of integrated oak was all that was needed to complete the picture of a modern wine that illustrates the art of blending.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape



CABERNET SAUVIGNON

KANONKOP ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

780

2019 - A classic Simonsberg Cabernet, exuding a sense of coolness, despite the warm vintage conditions. A perfumed nose filled with notes of blackcurrants, fennel, cigar box, tea leaf and "fynbos" shrub. The palate is delicate and fresh, with an austere old-world charm about it. Grainy tannins compliment the earthy profile, with subtle hints of liquorice on the lengthy finish.

~ Wine of origin - Simonsberg, Stellenbosch

BEYERSKLOOF EERSTE RY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

1100

2020 - Translating to 'First Row', the Eerste Ry is our first Cabernet Sauvignon in the Beyerskloof portfolio, produced from the first grapes ever planted on Beyerskloof. Eerste Ry symbolically refers to the oldest vineyards planted and pays homage to where it all started. This Cabernet Sauvignon boasts notes of intense dark fruit and cassis upon entry with delicate spice and savoury aromas from the new oak. A structured wine with excellent complexity and great balance. Hints of dark chocolate add to a long smooth finish. This wine will develop well for 10 years or longer.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ALTO CABERNET SAUVIGNON

450

2018 - Complexity and great structure The tannins are dense, yet relaxed with a good, dry grip and a long, lingering finish. Excellent enjoyed on its own or served with red meat dishes like ostrich, beef fillet or lamb It is also a great accompaniment to game fish like yellowtail or tuna.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

KLEINE ZALZE VINEYARD SELECTION - CABERNET SAUVIGNON

380

2021 - This wine is a classically structured Cabernet that showcases its provenance. Upfront herbal notes open up in the glass, to reveal intense dark fruit. These flavours follow on the palate with cassis and black cherries being supported by a subtle herbaceous note. An elegantly structured wine with fine tannins and beautifully integrated oak that lingers almost unendingly on the back palate. A fantastic companion to most meat dishes and will also reward careful cellaring for at least 10 years.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

KLEINE ZALZE CELLAR SELECTION CABERNET SAUVIGNON

180 / 60

2022 - The juicy mid-palate leaves the mouth-watering for another sip. A fun wine to be enjoyed on its own or with friends over a great meal! This Cabernet show lots of red fruit and crushed herbs on the bouquet. The palate follows with ripe cranberries and just enough tannin to give the typical Cabernet "backbone". ~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

RUST EN VREDE ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

650

2021 - Expressive black fruit jumps out of the glass. Juicy black cherry and cassis combine with blueberries, liquorice and sandalwood. Full bodied and intense on the palate. Fine grained, grippy tannins balance well with a fresh, black-fruit acidity. Tobacco, nutmeg and savoury spice bring complex layers to mulberry and bramble fruit that round out the palate. A typically well-structured Cabernet with excellent length. ~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

NEETHLINGSHOF ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

200

2018 - A full-bodied wine with well-integrated flavours of sweet to bacco and cherry with spicy characteristics coming through on the palate \sim Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

THELEMA CABERNET SAUVIGNON

550

2020 - Complex and stylish, with aromas of ripe blackcurrant, dark chocolate and pencil shavings. This wine is bone dry, yet exhibits a lovely sweet fruit character on the palate, with a lovely long finish. A perfect accompaniment to grilled beef, especially with a Béarnaise sauce and rocket salad.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

GUARDIAN PEAK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

180

2022 - Bright aromas of blackberry, plum and redcurrant with a savoury note of bay leaf. Fruit forward on the palate, with supple tannins and juicy flavours of blackcurrant, mulberry, vanilla, and chocolate.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape



CABERNET SAUVIGNON

STELLENBOSCH RESERVE - OU HOOFGEBOU CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2022 - Deep, opaque ruby. Rich notes of cassis, blackberry and bramble, combined with pencil shavings and tobacco. A classic Cabernet, showing fine, coating tannin with balanced acidity to support intense black fruit flavours. Dark chocolate and cedar are accompanied by a savoury tomato puree character that adds complexity. Polished, with well integrated oak, resulting in classically styled Cabernet.

~ Wine of origin - Polkadraai & Simonsberg, Stellenbosch

CAELUS TERRA - MIDNIGHT OIL

180

2022 - This full bodied Cabernet Sauvignon shows perfume along with dark spicy fruit on the nose. A rich ripe example of Stellenbosch Cabernet Sauvignon. The palate shows concentrated cassis and black cherry fruit with well integrated but finely structured tannins and balanced acidity.

~ - Wine of origin - Helderberg, Stellenbosch

WEBERSBURG 410

2016 - Attractive deep colour and intensity reflecting the quality of the 2016 vintage. Aromas of red plum and dark berry fruit with earthy notes. There are also hints of blueberry and mulberry that adds to the complexity of this wine. Soft and rounded tannins with fine oak nuances with a vibrant finish A true expression of our exceptional Helderberg Terroir.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ROCK OF EYE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

450

2022 - Tailored from grapes from four specific sites, 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, 100% Stellenbosch in 300 litre French oak barrels (20% new) into a full-bodied wine with complex layers of fruit, juicy tannin and a dry finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

MURATIE - MARTIN MELCK

460

2019 - Anna Catherina's second name means 'purity', a virtue Melck valued, and one that this Simonsberg Stellenbosch Cabernet Sauvignon seeks to express with its concentrated dark fruit (black cherries, berries and plums) underscored by fresh acidity and framed by cedar wood and spice from 20 months in French oak (10% new). Sourced from three different blocks on the estate, it's opulent yet polished, a wine of Integration, balance and great length, true to its terroir just as Melck stayed true to his beliefs. ~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

TWO CUBS

2022 - Cabernet Sauvignon with abundance of blackberry and cassis. Lovely mix of fruitiness and old world elegance. Pairs well with red meat dishes and grilled steak.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

ZONNEBLOEM 200

2018 - Colour Deep red with purple edges. Bouquet Elegant aromas of red berry fruit and oak spice. Palate A full-bodied wine, bursting with cherry flavours and spice. Seamless integration of spice, cloves and plum flavours, creating a long lingering finish on the palate.

 \sim Wine of origin - Devon valley, Stellenbosch Kloof, Helderberg & Jonkershoek

LE RICHE 550

2018 - Classic Cabernet fruit aromas of blackcurrant and cassis are complemented by a hint of violet. Lead pencil shavings and cedar aromas add to the overall complexity and sophistication. On entry the palate is rich, velvety and voluptuous yet remarkably fresh showcasing dark fruit, cherry and dark chocolate. The firm, appetising acidity is balanced by round, structured and juicy tannins. A lingering finish reveals the power to improve with time.



SHIRAZ

ALTO SHIRAZ

450

2019 - Our award-winning Shiraz is bright and rich in colour with a perfumed nose of floral notes backed up by violets and delicate spice undertones. A beautifully balanced wine with excellent fruit purity and complexity on the palate.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

RUST EN VREDE ESTATE VINEYARD SYRAH

590

2021 - Floral perfume of jasmine with black cherry and tobacco. Full bodied with bold fruit, showing red cherry, blueberry and black forest gateau. Subtle pink peppercorn and cumin compliment savoury notes of smoky meat. Balanced acidity, fine spicy tannins and a juicy finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

GUARDIAN PEAK

180 / 60

2022 - Bright ruby with a purple rim. Typically spicy Shiraz with notes of pepper, toast and cured meat that combine with cranberry and a perfumed floral note. On the palate, mixed red and black berry flavours are supported by zesty acidity and crunchy tannins.

~ Wine of origin - Western Cape

MERAKI SHIRAZ

2021 - This vintage has beautiful, concentrated black berry fruit flavours with hints of violets, chocolate and sweet spice undertones. The palate shows a balanced acidity, with rich tannins and a long clean fruit dominated aftertaste.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

JOURNEY'S END - THE GRIFFIN

480

2023 - An expressive aromatic delivery of redcurrants and violets with white pepper and notes of dried coriander. This wine showcases its carbonic component which adds an element of playful candified fruit while softening the tannins for easy drinkability. Generous oak aging in larger format barrels allows the vineyard character to shine, with great natural acidity and a silky long-lasting finish. Already drinking well. Best drunk now and until 2029.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

STELLENBOSCH RESERVE - KRUITHUIS SYRAH

290

2022 - Perfumed aromas of violet combine with rich black fruit – plum, cassis and black berry. The bold fruit is tempered by savoury spiciness on the palate, with bay leaf, allspice and a hint of cured meat. Fine tannins add a bit of grip, and the wine has a long dry finish.

~ Wine of origin - Devon Valley & Simonsberg, Stellenbosch

KEERMONT SYRAH 300

Keermont Syrah 2017 has a bright red colour with a lighter hue. The bouquet is explosive with spicy red fruit and notes of sandalwood, tea leaf, cloves, and orange rind. The wine has a dry, gentle entry onto the palate, and opens up with cherry and raspberry flavours complimented by savoury spice and a black pepper note. A gentle, but tight tannin structure and good natural acid keep the flavours focused into a tidy succulent finish.



MALBEC

NEETHLINGSHOF ESTATE MALBEC

2022 - Medium to full bodied wine with a flavour profile of black plum, stewed fruits and cedar, rounded off with silky tannins and a savoury finish. Pairs well with roast chicken, red meat and spicy vegetable curry

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

SPIJKER MALBEC

330

250

2021 - Named after the late Stellenbosch Golf Club President and legendry Wine Master, Duimpie Bayly's favourite Boran Bull. This 100% Malbec has hints of spice, fynbos, cherry and red plum on the nose. Flavours of black plum, tomato cocktail, kirch and cloves on the palate. Delicious with pasta, pizza, braai, bobotie, curry and Mexican food. A true masterpiece by Annelie Viljoen.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

BLAAUWKLIPPEN MALBEC

280

2021 - Dark chocolate, mineral and tobacco nuances support the abundant notes of mulberry, cassis, blueberry, black berry and plums. Plush chalky tannins with vibrant texture on the palate. A fine aromatic finish with lingering length and creamy flinty texture. ~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

LE POMMIER JONATHAN'S 220 MALBEC

2021 - Perfumed notes on the nose, give way to rich mulberry and dark cherry tones on the palate. The wine shows full but finely structured tannins, that although restrained now will reward well with a couple of years of bottle maturation.

~ Wine of origin - Banghoek Valley, Stellenbosch

PINOT NOIR

THELEMA - SUTHERLAND 420

2020 - This Pinot Noir was aged in French oak barrels for 9 months and shows pure strawberry fruit aromas and lovely perfumed spice and earthy characters on the nose. The wine is wonderfully balanced with a long, refined finish. Food Pairing Pinot Noir is a great option for food pairings. It pairs well with lightly flavoured dishes like risotto, salmon and mild beef dishes.

~ Wine of origin - Elgin

CIRRUS

640

2021 - Ceres Plateau has offered us the opportunity to produce one of the highest altitude Pinot Noirs in South Africa. The vines are planted at an elevation of 1026m (3366ft) above sea level and produce wine that reflects the high altitude, snowy winters, high rainfall, and moderate summers.

~ Wine of origin - Ceres Plateau, Witzenberg Mountains

CABERNET FRANC

RAINBOW'S END CABERNET FRANC

420

2022 - Intense, dark purple colour. Black cherry with a balance of sweet and red pepper with hints of sage, thyme and sofrito.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

LE POMMIER CABERNET FRANC

180

2021 - This spicy wine shows wonderful aromas of raspberries, plums and blackcurrant leaves. A delicate and perfumed wine with ample juice on the mid-palate and with great length.

~ Wine of origin - Banghoek Valley, Stellenbosch

ZORGVLIET CABERNET FRANC

285

2019 - There are very few wards in South Africa that can ripen Cabernet Franc properly like we do in the Banghoek Valley. Overripe and it becomes jammy – under ripe and it becomes weedy. On Zorgvliet we use a Single Vineyard to create this delicate and harmonious wine

~ Wine of origin - Banghoek Valley, Stellenbosch



STELLENBOSCH RESERVE - 360 STADSAAL CINSAULT

2022 - Bright ruby in colour, with vibrant aromas of cranberry, cherry, and toffee apple. Intense red fruit flavours follow through on the palate, maraschino cherry, boiled sweets, vanilla and a savoury note of cedar spice. Tangy acidity and firm spicy tannins that make this a very expressive Cinsault with a long, fruity finish.

~ Wine of origin - Firgrove, Stellenbosch

BELLEVUE CINSAUT

220

2021 This medium bodied wine reveals flavours of raspberry, strawberry and beetroot. It is accompanied by a silky tannin structure, leading to a refreshing mineral finish. This Cinsaut can be savoured by itself or paired with a variety of light meat dishes.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ROCK OF EYE CINSAULT

400

2022 - The colour is bright vibrant red. The nose is expressive with a complex spicy top note reminiscent of ground black pepper and sandalwood and fruits of fresh red cherry and ripe mulberry. There is an opulent fudge-like aroma that plays with the fresh red fruit aromas and adds a perception of richness to the wine. The elegant palate shows the pepper spice with the mulberry and cherry fruits and finishes dry with a touch of juiciness. As the maiden vintage, this wine is showing tight, dry tannin at this youthful stage and I am curious to see how the wine evolves with maturation.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

OTHER RED VARIETALS

380

DONKIESBAAI GRENACHE NOIR

2020 - A lively combination of red cherries and black currant jump out of the glass. A floral aroma of lavender overlays notes of flint and iron. The fruit profile develops into blueberries on the palate with sour red cherry notes adding to the tangy acidity. Cedar spice lends some savoury complexity to this medium bodied wine, with light yet firm tannins. Vibrant and fresh, with a long sour cherry finish.

~ Wine of origin - Piekenierskloof

BLAAUWKLIPPEN ZINFANDEL

240

2019 - Sour cherry and ripe cranberry with licorice, dark chocolate, cinnamon and allspice notes are supported by delicate floral notes. A savoury textured wine with chalky tannins and a mineral mid palate concludes in a fresh focused finish with hints of tobacco lingering on the palate.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

ZORGVLIET PETIT VERDOT

335

2019 - This Petit Verdot has an intense black colour with a vibrant purple rim, The nose is deep and brooding, with black cherry on the nose and aromas of violets, printers' ink, iodine, dried sage, and cassis. Tight and focused structure on the mid palate with a medium length finish.

~ Wine of origin - Banghoek Valley, Stellenbosch

BEYERSKLOOF LAGARE

50 per glass

2019 - Cinnamon, prune and caramelised nuts, dark juicy plum and blackberry pastille; lashings of dark fruit are driven and deep, a plum pudding sweetness lifted with liquorice and seasoned with exotic spice, like grains of paradise, a gingery tone that follows on the finish.

~ Wine of origin - Stellenbosch

THELEMA - VIN DE HEL MUSCAT

45 per glass

2020 - A golden dessert wine with very typical Muscat characters on the nose. The wine shows upfront aromas of pineapple, citrus, apricots, a touch of honey and subtle floral notes. The palate is lush with the perfect balance between sweetness and fresh acidity.

