

TASTING NOTES

2024 Singlefile Great Southern Riesling

Great Southern, Western Australia

VINEYARD & WINEMAKING

The 2024 growing season delivered early ripening conditions for growing premium riesling in the Great Southern region. There was good rainfall over winter. Spring was reasonably dry and summer was hot which resulted in the riesling harvest being four weeks earlier than normal.

The parcels of fruit were brought into the winery, the free run juice undergoing a long and slow cold fermentation in stainless steel immediately after the pressing. This ensures the pristine floral and citrus fruit characters are preserved. The wine underwent very gentle lees stirring to add subtle texture before preparation for bottling. The wine was bottled in June 2024.

THE WINE

The colour is bright and pale gold, and the wine is highly perfumed with classic Great Southern riesling characters of apple blossom and citrus. A dry styled riesling, the palate displays lime zest, tart Granny Smith apple and a balanced, stony minerality. The finish is clean, with mouthwatering acidity and a lingering fruit presence. The light lees work adds an elegant, softly textured mouthfeel. The wine will evolve with time in the bottle, developing pronounced minerality and richness, while retaining refreshing acidity.

95 points, Wine Showcase Magazine, New Releases Tasting, August 2024

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Alc: 12.1% pH: 2.97 TA: 7.2 g/L rs: 1.3 g/L Cellaring: Up to 15 years

