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Grenache Rosé

Grenache Rosé- Rosé, as a wine, has certainly gained prominence in recent years with consumers. The darker, sweeter versions have given way, though, to much tighter and drier styles that reflect real elegance and style. We chose Grenache to be the basis of our Rosé in 2020.

Our Estate Grenache Rosé was sourced from Block 1B-N (12.53 acres) and Block 4A (3.38 acres). Harvested earlier than the fruit destined for our Limited Release Grenache, it was crushed and left on skins for 48 hours before the required volume was drained and settled for ferment. At this point the juice is basically treated as a white and fermented quite cold at 57°F for 31 days. Yeast selection is critical and we utilize a specific strain that focuses on fruit retention and aroma enhancement.

The result is a wine that is bright, fresh and highly perfumed. While it is very dry on the palate the flavours are dominated by strawberry. Great length of flavour and wonderfully balanced acidity make for the perfect summer drink. Note the pale colour that maintains some of the pigments (anthocyanins) from original skin contact. Certainly a wine for all seasons, enjoy this chilled on its own or accompanied by dishes that suit similarly dry white wines.

CHRIS CAMERON
Winemaker



Alcohol..... **12.4%** pH..... **3.27** R/S..... **1.0 g/L** TA..... **5.9g/L**
Harvest Date..... **Sept 2020** Bottling Date..... **May 2021**



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