SECKFORD AGENCIES

DARLING CELLARS

# SMG, DARLING CELLARS

Vintage 2021




## A well-balanced wine with great drinkability. Serve with oven roasted lamb or smoked duck.

## TASTING NOTE

An easy drinking red blend that displays a wide range of flavours including red plums, cherries, candyfloss and fresh crushed black pepper. The entry on the palate is smooth and juicy with a lingering finish. A well-balanced wine with great drinkability. 95% Shiraz, 3% Malbec, 2% Grenache

## VINIFICATION DETAILS

The yield for 2021 overall was between 5.5-6.5 t/ha and balling at Harvest was between 24-25˚Brix. Once the grapes arrive in the cellar, they are crushed and destalked, then given 5-7 days fermentation at 20-30˚C. After malolactic fermentation the wine is transferred into stainless tanks to which staves are added.

## TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

| Alcohol | Residual sugar |
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| 14.4 | 2.7 |
| **pH** | **Acidity** |
| 3.56 | 5.1 |

## ATTRIBUTES

| Origin | Variety | Malolactic Fermentation | Bottle Size | Vegetarian |
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| South Africa | Red Blend | Yes | 75cl | Yes |

| Winemaker | Fining Agent | Closure | Region | Vegan |
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| Pieter Niel & Maggie Immelman | Vegan suitable | Screw top | Darling | Yes |