SECKFORD AGENCIES

DARLING CELLARS

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Vintage 2020



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

TASTING NOTE

An easy drinking red blend (40% Shiraz, 21% Mourvedre, 21% Grenache,18% Red Blend) displaying 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.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

The yield for 2020 overall was 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
13.9	3.1
pH	**Acidity**
3.55	5.1

ATTRIBUTES

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

Winemaker	Fining Agent	Closure	Region	Vegan
Pieter Niel & Carel Hugo		Screw top	Darling	Yes