

RIESLING, REGIONAL SERIES, KIRRIHILL

Vintage

2021

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Part of the Kirrihill 'Regional Series', characteristic of the region, fruit driven, soft and approachable wines.

TASTING NOTE

The 2021 Riesling is as refreshing as a dip in the ocean. A bright and crisp style with fragrant citrus, floral and orange blossom notes. Fresh acidity leads to a clean, dry and mouth-watering finish.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

A late winter and early spring rain led to an even budburst with good early canopy growth. Dry conditions prevailed from November onwards, with rainfall well below average and a generally cool growing season. Working with both Kirrihill vineyards and loyal Clare growers, this wine is a blend of multiple vineyards throughout the Valley to showcase the fine expression of Riesling.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

With the Riesling grapes picked in the early morning, when the temperatures are at their coolest, crushing and pressing of the chilled fruit occurred immediately with the aim of limiting any skin contact. After cold settling, the clean racked juice was then fermented in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks. It was then chilled immediately after fermentation to retain and protect the varietal aromas to remain pristine until bottling in mid 2021.

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol Residual sugar

12.5 2.7

pH Acidity

3.20 6.0

AWARDS

Decanter: 91 pts

IWC: Silver

ATTRIBUTES



Origin

Australia



Variety

Riesling



Malolactic Fermentation

No



Bottle Size

75cl



Vegetarian

Yes



Fining Agent



Closure

Screw top



Region

Clare Valley



Vegan

Yes