



AUNTSFIELD
NEW ZEALAND

Single Vineyard

PINOT NOIR ROSÉ

SOUTHERN VALLEYS + MARLBOROUGH

Auntsfield continues the proud heritage of Marlborough's first vineyard and winery established in 1892.

Our Single Vineyard wines are made from grapes grown at Auntsfield Estate. Each wine shows the distinctive characteristics of ripeness, texture and minerality - qualities unique to the ancient Greywacke rock and Loess clay soils of the vineyard.

Pinot Noir holds a special place in our hearts. We grow the grapes and make this wine with particular care and attention.

TASTING NOTES

COLOUR: Pale salmon.

AROMA: Fragrant lifted aromas of strawberry and rock melon, lifted with candied citrus rind and dried rose petal.

PALATE: The palate is refreshing with a lovely density showing white peach, floral notes and citrus zest. The finish offers lifted spice, salinity and fresh watermelon lightness. The wine strikes a balance between attractive fruit, taught phenolics and mineral acidity.

ANALYSIS: Alc % 13.0 | pH 3.27 | TA. 6.7 g/L

WINEMAKER NOTES

Fruit was hand harvested from Auntsfield's Hillside. The fruit was chilled and hand sorted before being whole bunch pressed. This gentle extraction removed the lightly coloured Pinot Noir juice off skins before grippy phenolics, resulting in an elegant and light style of rose. The wine was kept on yeast lees with stirring for three months. The light lees providing a softening and slipperiness to this ethereal wine.

VITICULTURALIST NOTES

The 2024 season was characterised by a low cropping level and a very dry Summer. Regular winter rainfall and a very cool Spring encouraged canopy growth but reduced cropping levels. A Summer drought further reduced cropping levels and produced disease free vines with a lot of ripening capacity. The slow progression into Autumn, along with the long-drawn-out ripening period, allowed the fruit to reach optimum ripeness in perfect harvest conditions.



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