

Roussanne 2019

Bright straw yellow with green tinge. Citrus, pear, honey with some almond and white flowers chiming in, with more almond and lemon curd aromas as the wine opens. The palate is round and textured with just enough breadth before refreshing acidity cleans up the finish. Nice mid weight wine which is fresh and neat, reflecting the slightly earlier pick.



Varieties

100% Roussanne

Terroir

Granite soil that sits over layers of ancient river gravel in the Box Grove vineyards in Nagambie, Victoria.

Viticulture

Grapes grown by Sarah Gough of the Box Grove vineyard. She uses her own compost and focuses on well aerated canopy to reduce the need for sulphur and copper.

Vintage Notes

A warm, dry year where vines dug deep to access limited water and winegrowers offered the developing fruit plenty of shade through sound canopy management. Disease pressure was low and picking of perfectly clean fruit commenced a little earlier to preserve acid and freshness.

Yield

Three tonnes/acre.

Vintage Date

27th February 2019

Vinification

Hand picked and whole bunch pressed. Fermented with indigenous yeast in French oak barrels.

Ageing

Long contact with lees and solids, no stirring. Racked just before bottling.

Bottling Date

28th November 2019

Figures

Alcohol 13%

pH 3.40

TA 5.20



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