



RED WOLF



ABOUT THE WINERY

The name "Kaapzicht" (Cape View) comes from the fantastic view this winery has over Cape Town and Table Mountain.

Since the first vintage was bottled in 1984, Kaapzicht has become highly respected for both quality and value, having earned a multitude of local and international awards. The Steytler Family has been running their 190 hectare large estate hands-on for three generations: Brothers Danie and George are winemaker and viticulturist, respectively, and their wives are in charge of marketing and finances, as well hiring out a venue and a self-catering cottage. Son, Danie Junior, assumed responsibilities as winemaker in 2009 as the family tradition lives on.

WEBSITE

Kaapzicht.co.za

KAAPZICHT

CHENIN BLANC

VINTAGE

2018

VARIETAL

100% Chenin Blanc

ORIGIN

Bottelary Hills, Stellenbosch

COUNTRY

South Africa

WINE MAKING NOTES

This chenin comes from old bush vines planted in weathered granite topsoil and crumbly clay sub-soil. Some of the fruit is from from a vineyard planted in 1947 (the second oldest chenin vines in the country).

The wine is made reductively. Grapes were harvested during early morning hours in cool temperatures then given 8-10 hours skin contact. Wine lay on the lees for 3 months before being racked, cleaned and bottled.

TASTING NOTES

Ripe quince, pineapple and stone fruit with unique savory undertones on the nose. The palate is lightly textured with a hint of sweetness and balancing crunchy acid results in a brisk finish.

FOOD PAIRING

Roasted turkey (Thanksgiving), sweet and sour pork, smoked salmon.

AGING RECOMMENDATIONS

2-4 years.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 13.33%

RS: 1.8 g/l

TA: 5.5 g/l

pH: 3.49

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