



ALLAN SCOTT BLACK LABEL KEKERENGU SAUVIGNON BLANC 2020

VITICULTURE

Kekerengu is located 70km South of Blenheim and is still part of the Marlborough Geographical Appellation. This vineyard is located virtually next to the sea has a unique soil structure and a microclimate like no other in Marlborough that produces complex and curious wines.

VINIFICATION

Harvest 2020 was unpredictable. Right at the start, we had the CV-19 lockdown introduced, so we had to adapt to the newest ways. Once all systems in place, we went out “all harvesters shaking” and picked all our fruit. In hindsight, after seeing what fruit came in, it has been a super harvest, maybe one of the better ones Marlborough has seen for the last 20 years. Great sunshine hours, low disease pressure, light crops, and ripe fruit, all come together to produce some outstanding fruit and in turn some great wines.

DESCRIPTION

The highly skilled and multinational team in the winery have produced another fantastic Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc. The grapes are machine harvested and immediately pressed in the cool of the night. The juice is maintained at cool temperatures to ensure the aromatics are not lost. Cleared juice is then fermented to dryness at cool temperatures with specifically selected yeasts. We then selected the pick of the tanks for blending into a wonderful fresh expression for bottling.

SERVING SUGGESTION

The 2020 wine shows ripe tropical fruit, a flinty palate and finishes with a crisp herbaceousness. Unfiltered and un-fined, some beneficial sediment may remain. Enjoy chilled or match with seafood or creamy dishes.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS *(at bottling)*

Grape Variety	100% Sauvignon Blanc
Alcohol	12.5%
Residual Sugar	0.9g/l
pH	3.27
TA	7.7g/l
Oak Treatment	None
Malolactic Fermentation	None
1st Year of Production	2020
Barcode	9416917000872

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