

Broken Stone Sauvignon Blanc 2006

Aromas of green fig, grass and gooseberry on the nose. The palate is well balanced with a good weighty mid-palate and a fresh lingering finish of lemon and lime aromas. Bottled with screw caps for your convenience.

variety : Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc

winery : Slaley Wines

winemaker : Marius Malan

wine of origin : Coastal

analysis : alc : 12.36 % vol rs : 1.3 g/l pH : 3.51 ta : 5.8 g/l

type : White **style :** Dry

pack : Bottle **closure :** Screwcap

in the vineyard : Age of vines: 1985

Trellising: 5 wires

Pruning: Cordon with spurs

Soil: Cotton Loam & Escort

Position: South facing slope of Simonsberg

Irrigation: Overhead sprinklers ; Drip

Yield: 4.96 Ton/ Ha

about the harvest: A very balanced growing season delivered excellent fruit with lots of 'cooler' varietal flavours than usual. The average yield was low but of consistent quality. A portion of the fruit was picked very early to conserve the greener Sauvignon Blanc aromas, and a higher natural acid. The balance was given a longer hang time for higher sugar levels, balancing the alcohol and giving more structure to the wine.

Harvest Date: 31 January 2006 & 3 February 2006

