

Kleine Draken Pinotage 2004

Colour: Bright ruby red

Nose: Berry and red cherries

Palate: Medium-bodied and well rounded with some ripe tannin undertones supporting longevity.

Enjoy with flavourful curries, spicy meat dishes and barbeques.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : Zandwijk

winemaker : Neil Schnoor

wine of origin : Paarl

analysis : alc : 13.76 % vol rs : 2.6 g/l pH : 3.71 ta : 5.5 g/l fso2 : 14 mg/l

type : Red **body** : Medium **wooded** **kosher**

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

in the vineyard : Irrigation: Drip

Trellis System: Bush vines

Soil: Shallow Loam

Climate: Hot dry summers & heavy winter rains

about the harvest: Type: Handpicked

Date: 3 February 2004

Yield: 7 tons / ha

in the cellar : After destalking and crushing the mash was flash pasteurized and then re-cooled to 24°C . The mash was inoculated with a specially chosen yeast strain and fermented dry at ±25°C and then pressed at 1 bar. Barrel matured in French Oak for 6 months prior to filtration the wine was bottled in April 2006.

