

Riebeek Cellars Reserve Chenin Blanc 2008

Complex nose of upfront tropical fruit such as guava and whiffs of citrus, enhanced by good French cooperage. The palate follows through with fruit and oak in perfect harmony for a lingering taste sensation.

Slightly chilled with rich white meat, creamy pasta dishes and mild curries.

variety : Chenin Blanc | 100% Chenin Blanc

winery : Riebeek Cellars (replaced by Riebeek Valley Wine Co)

winemaker : Eric Saayman

wine of origin : Swartland

analysis : alc : 12.92 % vol rs : 4 g/l pH : 3.55 ta : 5.8 g/l

type : White **style :** Dry **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

ageing : Drink now or within a year.

in the vineyard : Vineyard: No irrigation and trellised vines

Production: 5 to 12 tons per hectare

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested in early in February at an average of 22,5° Balling.