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Rhebokskloof Pearlstone Shiraz 2008

Medium bodied, with spice, red fruit and black pepper, this is a typical Shiraz. Delicate oaking with a smooth palate.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz
winery : Rhebokskloof Wine Estate
winemaker : Rolanie Lotz
wine of origin : Paarl & Malmesbury
analysis : **alc :** 14.0 % vol **rs :** 2.49 g/l **pH :** 3.54 **ta :** 5.98 g/l **so2 :** 123 mg/l **fso2 :** 37 mg/l
type : Red **style :** Dry **wooded**
pack : Bottle **closure :** Screwcap



ageing : Drink now or age for another 4 years.

in the vineyard : Soil type: Decomposed granite

about the harvest: Harvested in March 2008 at 25° B. Average yield of 8 tons/ha.

in the cellar : Fermentation: Cold maceration in stainless steel tanks with regular pump overs. Estended maceration for 2 weeks with MLF in barrels.
Oaking: 225 litre French (90%) and American (20%) oak barrels.
20% new, 80% second and third fill.
Aging: Matured in oak barrels for 16 months
Tank matured for a further 2 months.