

Zandvliet Le Bistro Cabernet Sauvignon 2008

Colour: Ruby red

Nose: Powerful berry nose - sweet, ripe, rich aromas with a hint of oak

Palate: Rich, full opulent flavours, yet light on the palate which is persistent, soft and pleasing. A wine with a good, well-structured backbone of ripe tannins.

Appreciation: Not necessary to decant, but please chill. Food pairing: A good wine to enjoy with spicy foods, red meats and bolognaise

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Zandvliet Wine Estate

winemaker : Johan van Wyk

wine of origin : Robertson

analysis : **alc** : 14.0 % vol **rs** : 3.2 g/l **pH** : 3.65 **ta** : 5.2 g/l

type : Red **body** : Full

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

John Platter: 3 Stars (2005) This vintage not yet tasted

ageing : Drink now or keep till 2012.

in the vineyard : Terroir Slope: Very gently, southerly

Soil: Kalkveld, rocky, chalk rich

Climate: Moderate summer, with low night temperatures, cold winter

Wind: Cool south easterly (summer)

about the harvest: Yield: 8 ton/ha

in the cellar : Maturation: Lightly oaked

Oenology: Fermentation at 25° - 30° C, vigorous pump-overs to onset of fermentation.

Malolactic fermentation in tank.

The Team

Winemaker: Johan van Wyk (2000)

Advised by: Paul de Wet (1976)

Viticulture: Dan de Wet (1993)



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