

## Landskroon Blanc de Noir 2012

A fresh fruity off-dry white wine made from red grapes. Lovely floral whiffs.

Attractive on its own but also good company to snacks and light meals. Serve well chilled.

**variety** : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

**winery** : Landskroon Wines

**winemaker** : Abraham van Heerden

**wine of origin** :

**analysis** : **alc** : 13.00 % vol **rs** : 8.74 g/l **pH** : 3.22 **ta** : 6.22 g/l

**type** : Red **style** : Off Dry **taste** : Fruity

**pack** : Bottle **size** : 0 **closure** : Screwcap

**ageing** : To be enjoyed while young and fresh.

**in the vineyard** : Landskroon (established 1692) is situated in the heart of the Cape Winelands of South Africa. The vineyard comprises approximately 200 hectares and is owned by the families of brothers Paul and Hugo de Villiers, direct descendants of the French Huguenots who settled at the Cape during the late 17th Century.

**Climate**: Winter Rainfall approximately 600mm per annum. The estate is situated along the south western slopes of Paarl Mountain at an altitude of between 140 and 250 meters above sealevel and benefits from cooling summer breezes from the Atlantic Ocean.

**Irrigation**: Limited irrigation of between 50mm and 100mm is applied during drier summers in order to allow for optimum development and ripening of grapes.

**Soils**: Vary from decomposed granites to well drained sandy loam with gravel underlays.

Vineyard Information:

Age of Vines: 5 - 10 years

Clones: P148A, P148B

Rootstock: 101/14,R99

Vines per hectare: 3000

Soil: Sandy loam and decomposed granite

Trellising: 100% Trellised.

**about the harvest**: Grapes were harvested at 22.5° Balling.

**in the cellar** :

