

Zandvliet Le Bistro Crème 2012

Colour: Crisp white.

Nose: Fruit flavours of quince, Granny Smith apples and guava welcome you to this wine.

Palate: Crisp and dry, summery white wine with good balance of flavour and aroma. The nose follows through with a fresh zesty liveliness. The ultimate quaffing wine.

Appreciation: Good value wine. Serve well chilled on its own or with food. Food pairing: Excellent as an aperitif. Good with salads, pizzas, wraps and sandwiches.

variety : Colombard | 80% Colombard, 20% Sauvignon Blanc

winery : Zandvliet Wine Estate

winemaker : Jacques Cilliers

wine of origin : Robertson

analysis : alc : 12.0 % vol rs : 2.1 g/l pH : 3.24 ta : 6.1 g/l

type : White **style :** Dry **taste :** Fruity

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

2011 Vintage

John Platter - 1½ Stars

ageing : Drink now till end 2013.

in the vineyard : "Le Bistro" is our range of classy, yet unpretentious wines, modern in their fruit rich appeal, timeless in their understated elegance, the hallmark of all Zandvliet wines. This range tempts with its accessibility and anytime enjoyment, not only in style and value, but also with its quick-and-easy screwcap closures. Wines to enjoy as aperitifs or with good food as you would in any fine Bistro.

Origin Wine of Origin Robertson

Zandvliet Estate, established 1867 / 150ha

Owners: Paul de Wet; Dan de Wet

Terroir

Slope: Very gently, southerly

Soil: Rocky, chalk rich

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

Wind: Cool south easterly (summer)

about the harvest: Grapes are harvested at night when fully ripened.

in the cellar : Oenology

Grapes are harvested at night when fully ripened, crushed, de-stemmed and cold-soaked on skins for about 8 hrs. Juice drawn off, settled, fermented. Kept on lees until bottling. Part of wine goes through malolactic.

Maturation: Both components un-oaked

The team

Winemaker: Jacques Cilliers (2012) | Etienne Malan (2011) | Johan van Wyk (2000-2010)

Advised by: Paul de Wet (1971)

Viticulture: Dan de Wet (1993)

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