

Allee Bleue Cape Ruby 2013

Intense aromas of cherries, ripe plums and Christmas pudding. Well supported by rich vanilla, liquorice and an intriguing spiciness. A truly complex and layered wine.

This wine is ideal for any rich decadent chocolate dessert or any of one of its sinful friends. Also great with some of our fantastic local cheeses and preserves.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : Allee Bleue Estate

winemaker : Van Zyl du Toit

wine of origin : Franschhoek

analysis : alc : 18.2 % vol rs : 81.0 g/l pH : 3.73 ta : 5.2 g/l

type : Red **wooded**

pack : Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

ageing : Will age beautifully over the next 5-8 years.

in the vineyard : Farm location: R45 Franschhoek Valley.

in the cellar : The Pinotage grapes were left on the vines until they reach 28, 5 °B and then harvested by hand. After crushing, yeast was added and then the wine was allowed to ferment to a sugar level of 90 grams / liter. The wine was then pressed and fortified using grape spirits. This was followed by aging in French oak barrels.

