

## Groote Post Sauvignon Blanc 2014

Gooseberries are the standout fruit of this vintage. Ripe figs and granadilla abound on the nose and palate. This vintage is fruit driven with a vibrant acidity and a hint of grass on the finish.

**variety :** Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc

**winery :** Groote Post Vineyards

**winemaker :** Lukas Wentzel

**wine of origin :** Darling

**analysis :** alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 1.4 g/l pH : 3.43 ta : 6.2 g/l

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

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

2014 John Platter's Wine Guide - 4 stars

2013 Wine of the Month - June

2013 Veritas Wine Awards - Bronze

2012 Veritas Wine Awards - Bronze

2012 Michelangelo CCL Label International Wine Awards - Gold

2012 FNB Sauvignon Blanc Top 10 Wines - Finalist

**in the vineyard :** Vines planted: 1993 - 2002

Soil: Hutton & Oakleaf

Trellising: 5 wire Perold

Elevation: 280m

**about the harvest:** The Sauvignon Blanc vineyard bare vigorous growth so canopy management with the breaking out of side shoots and tipping the vertical shoots is crucial. This vintage produced a big crop so we started picking earlier and this gave us a wide spectrum of flavours from green to ripe.

Yield: 10 t/ha

**in the cellar :** The challenge in the cellar is to capture the full potential of each batch of grapes delivered. After sorting, destemming and crushing, 50% of the grapes had skin contact. The best free run juice made up the components of this wine. The wine had lees contact for 2 months.



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