

Arniston Bay Original Merlot 2014

Dark cherry and plum nose with a spicy palate. Well balanced ripe fruit with a persistent soft tannin finish.

This wine will pair well with tomato basted lamb dishes and turkey. This wine is not suitable for vegetarians nor vegans.

variety : Merlot | 100% Merlot

winery : Stellenbosch Vineyards

winemaker : Abraham de Villiers

wine of origin : Western Cape

analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 5.81 g/l pH : 3.44 ta : 5.36 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **size :** 3000ml **closure :** Tap

ageing : The wine is ready to drink now but will mature further for 4 years.

Arniston Bay is a place where the pace of life is slow. Where you can sit back, relax and soak up the South African sun. It's a place so special, it inspired a wine. It doesn't matter who or where you are, you can always enjoy a quiet moment from a busy lifestyle – an Arniston Bay moment – with a glass of Arniston Bay.

in the vineyard : **Viticulturist:** Francois de Villiers

about the harvest: Average Yield: 5 - 12 tons / ha

in the cellar : 15% of the wine was aged in 2nd and 3rd fill French oak barrels for 8 months. The balance was fermented in stainless steel tanks.

