

## Allee Bleue Black Series Single Vineyard Syrah 2017

A brooding Shiraz with heaps of white pepper spice, ripe plums, violets, cinnamon and a hint of liquorice on the nose. The palate is super elegant and soft with all the flavours pulling through to the palate.

**variety :** Shiraz | 100% Syrah

**winery :** Allee Bleue Estate

**winemaker :** Van Zyl du Toit

**wine of origin :** Franschhoek

**analysis :** alc : 14.5 % vol    rs : 2.6 g/l    pH : 3.37    ta : 5.8 g/l

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

**pack :** Bottle    **size :** 0    **closure :** Cork

2023 Platter's Wine Guide - 4.5 Stars

**ageing :** The enjoyment will be further enhanced if decanted 30 minutes prior to consumption. This wine can be cellar for at least 7 to 10 years

**in the vineyard :** Most of the work happens in the vineyard. In the cellar, 5 days of cold soak and with enough delestage.

**about the harvest:** After fermentation, the wine spends another 30 days on the skins. Malolactic fermentation in barrel .

**in the cellar :** So in the cellar the 5 day cold soak, enough delastages, 30 days on the skins, the best yeast to lift the floral notes and knowing and trusting your coopers and our work is done. A winemaker's selection of the six best barrels, 80% new French Oak, matured for 16 month prior to being bottled unfiltered and unfined.

