

Blaauwklippen De Blaauwe Klip 2020

In Blaauwklippen De Blaauwe Klip 2020, dark graphite, plush cassis and blueberry notes combine with nuances of dark chocolate and floral spices. A creamy entrance and plush fruit tannins lead to a velvet mid palate and a pure, vibrant and aromatic finish.

A stunning wine for serious venison dishes.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, 26% Cabernet Franc, 26% Malbec, 13% Petit Verdot, 5% Merlot

winery : Blaauwklippen Vineyards

winemaker : Narina Cloete

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.81 % vol rs : 3.30 g/l pH : 3.53 ta : 5.70 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Fragrant

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

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Founded in 1682, Blaauwklippen is one of the oldest wine farms in Stellenbosch. Etched between ancient blue granite boulders on the slopes of mineral-rich mountain soils, we produce authentic wines in harmony with the simplicity of country living

in the vineyard : Grapes (from all 5 Bordeaux varieties) originated from 9 vineyard sites on our farm and are situated in the Stellenbosch Golden Triangle. The soil potentials on the sites varied from medium - high potential Tukululu soils to poorer Klapmuts soils. A combination of very narrow plantings (1,8m x 1.0m) and wider plantings (2,3m x 1,4m) were implemented. Annual yield of 5 and 7 tons/ha.

about the harvest: The grapes were handpicked and transported to the cellar for processing.

in the cellar : Cultivars were separately destemmed and fermented in French oak casks and stainless-steel tanks. Twice daily pump-overs ensured the delicate extraction of tannins. Prolonged skin contact of around 14-18 days were given after fermentation before pressing. Malo-lactic fermentation followed in 300L French oak barrels. The separate batches were matured for 18 months in French oak barrels before blending and bottling. 36% first fill French oak barrels were used.



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