

LABRI 1694
FRANSCHHOEK



Limited Release Cabernet Sauvignon 2012

WINEMAKERS NOTES

This is the first bottling of this Limited Release since the 5* 2009 vintage. Only 4200 bottles produced.

THE HARVEST

Only the grapes from a specific vineyard site at La Bri are used for this classic Cabernet Sauvignon.

Yields are kept low: 4-5 tons/ha.

IN THE CELLAR

Cold soak for 1 week before fermentation in stainless steel tanks. Malolactic fermentation took place in barrel. Matured for 24 months in 100% French oak (225L, 56% new).

BOTANICAL SKETCH

Each of our wines is linked to a specific flower- the characteristics of the wine are symbolized by that particular flower on the label.

***Watsonia alba* (White watsonia)**

Watsonia alba is a very striking plant, with attractive foliage and gorgeous spikes of cup-shaped white flowers. Our **Cabernet Sauvignon** is a very pure and powerful wine much like the *Watsonia alba*.

Alcohol	14.3 %vol	pH	3.41
RS	2.14 g/l	Total Acid	6.4 g/l

AWARDS (2012 VINTAGE)

SPI – Christian Eedes Cab Report 2015 – 90 points
Platter Wine Guide – 4*Star

AWARDS (2009 VINTAGE)

SPI – Christian Eedes Cab Report 2013 – 5* Star

FURTHER AGEING/CELLARING

The quality and enjoyment will be further enhanced if decanted 30 minutes prior to consumption.