



Chenin Blanc 2022

This is the wine that put Tierhoek on the map – an elegant Chenin overflowing with expression and flavour. 8 months of French oak add fullness and complexity to this mouth-watering wine, while the minerality and stone-fruit acidity provide a long lasting after-taste. This wine will age for 4 to 5 years.

Winemakers Word:

The grapes were taken from old vines planted in 1977. They produce a full bodied wine overflowing with expression and flavour. 8 Months of old French oak add fullness and complexity to this mouth-watering wine, while the minerality and stone-fruit acidity provide a long lasting after taste.

80% were tank-fermented to provide elegance and acidity, and to add complexity, 20 % were wild fermented and matured in 2nd and 3rd fill French oak barrels

Viticulture:

The Chenin Blanc vines are all rooted on weathered sandstone. They are trellised on an east-facing “skuinskap” system, so the bunches are only exposed to the late morning sun. Irrigation is only done during drought conditions, and all farming methods are organic. Yields are 4-6 tonne per hectare.

Analysis:

Alcohol:	14 ,00%
Total Acidity:	6,8 g/l
Residual Sugar:	3,3 g/l
pH:	3,23
Free SO ₂ :	53ppm
Total SO ₂ :	147ppm
Bottling Date	29 November 2022
Total Litres	6567

