



Darling Reserve Bush Vines Cabernet Sauvignon 2024

main variety Cabernet Sauvignon

vintage 2024

analysis alc: 14.23 | ph: 3.61 | rs: 3.4 | ta: 5.4

type Red

producer Darling Cellars

style Dry

winemaker Maggie Immelman, André Scriven

taste Fruity

wine of Darling

body Medium

tasting notes

This wine displays flavours of black berries, black current, red berries, chocolate, tobacco and a tinge of vanilla. On the palate a good amount of fine tannins which gives this wine a good length and an exciting journey awaits those who want to put this wine away.

ageing potential

It will truly blossom with time. Ageing potential, 5 – 8 years.

blend information

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

food suggestions

Enjoy this wine with slowly braised beef short ribs. Slow-cooked beef pot roast will also be an ideal partner as well as a Cape Malay curry or bobotie.

in the vineyard

Terroir: Warmer sites are selected to give full ripe grapes with dark colour and soft tannins. Soils from decomposed granite. Hutton soils dominate the sites selected for this wine.

Vineyard type: Bush Vine, no irrigation

about the harvest

Yield: 5-6 t/ha

Balling at Harvest: 24-25°B

in the cellar

Crush and destalk, 5-10 days fermentation at 20-28°C. After malolactic fermentation, wine is aged in tanks for 12 months. Staves are used to add complexity and structure.