

Darling Cellars Reserve Bushvine Malbec 2024

main variety Malbec

analysis alc: 14.27 | ph: 3.52 | rs: 3.7 | ta: 5.4 | ts02: 137

type Red producer Darling Cellars

style Dry winemaker Maggie Immelman, André Scriven

vintage 2024

taste Fruity wine of Darling

body Medium

tasting notes

Deep ruby red in colour, this wine has an expressive range of flavours which include ripe plums, raspberry, strawberry and candyfloss followed by hints of spice, white pepper and sweet tobacco. The wine is backed by a good structure with soft supple tannins which lends to good length of fruit on the palate.

blend information

100%

food suggestions

This wine will pare well with meat, creamy pasta, or semi-hard cheeses that are not too salty (Cheddar or Gouda)

in the vineyard

Sourced from strategically selected sites with warm sunny days and the cooling effect of the Atlantic Ocean. From weathered decomposed Granite and deep red soils that are clay rich with good drainage.

Vineyard type: Bush Vine, no irrigation

about the harvest

Yield: 6 - 8 t/ha

Balling at Harvest: 24-25°B

in the cellar

Destalk and crush, 5-10 days fermentation at 24-26°C

Maturation: 8 months aged on French and American oak staves