



2021 CARRICK ARTHUR PINOT NOIR

Arthur's Vineyard, Carrick, Bannockburn, SWNZ BIOGRO-5056

This single-block, single clone wine is named for the couple who established this Bannockburn vineyard, Sue and Bill Arthur. The northwest-facing aspect and the silty loam soils combine with the own-rooted old vines to carry a unique sense of place into this limited production wine.

Winemaking: Hand-picked and sorted in the vineyard, 100% 10/5 clone from 25-year-old vines. De-stemmed to tank, fermented wild using a combination of pump-overs and punch-downs to manage the cap. On skins for 27 days, pressed, settled, and racked to barrels - for 9 months, 15% new.

Origin: Arthur's Vineyard
Additions: Tartaric Acid, Sulphur Dioxide
Filtration and/or Fining: No fining, coarse filtration only
Acidity:
Residual Sugar: <2g/L
Alcohol: 13.5%
TSO2 at bottling: 28.8ppm
Bottled: 9/03/2022
Cases: 298 x6

"The 2021 Arthur's is the inaugural release of this wine, having always stood out as a unique and interesting portion of the Bannockburn Estate blend, we felt that the wine could easily hold its own as a single vineyard offering. It's elegant yet broody, with savoury, cherry and dark chocolate notes sitting amongst firm chalky tannins. One to savour it's complex and long, with plenty to offer."

- Winemaker Rosie Menzies

Organically certified since 2008, to EU equivalence.

