

2021 Thomas Legacy Cabernet Franc

Style: Barrel aged

Location: Church Bay Vineyard, Waiheke Island (Farmed Organically)

Varietal: Cabernet Franc 100% Clones: 214 (51%), 326 (49%) Vine Density: 5000 vines/Ha Yield: 3 Tonnes/Ha

Harvest Date: 17th March 2021

Brix: 24

Alcoholic Fermentation: Spontaneous/Cultured
Malolactic Fermentation: 100% (in Vat)

Peak Fermentation Temp: 30°C

Cuvaison: 25 days
Elevage: 12 months
Coopers: Damy
Oak Percentage: 40%

Fining: None

Filtration: Light Filtration **Production:** 1411 Bottles (750ml)

Closure: Cork (Diam)
Alcohol: 13.5%

Winemakers tasting note:

"Dark garnet edge with a deep crimson centre. Concentrated redcurrant, red plum, lavender, dried herbs, spice and vanilla. Plush tannin structure, supple mid palate, followed by a velvety finish. Enjoy drinking now, decanting recommended, will benefit from careful cellaring for 8 to 10 years."