

2021 Struckman Petite Cabernet Franc-Syrah-Monte Waiheke Island

Style: Co-fermented and Barrel aged

Location: Church Bay, Waiheke Island

Varietal: 40% Cabernet Franc, 30% Whole-bunch Syrah, 30% Montepulciano

Yield: 3 Tonnes/Ha

Harvest Date: March/April 2020

Brix: 23

Alcoholic Fermentation: Spontaneous/Cultured

Malolactic Fermentation: 100% (in Vat)

Peak Fermentation Temp: 30°C

Cuvaison: 25 days

Elevage: 15 months

Coopers: Old barrels

Oak Percentage: 100% barrel aged 228L barriques, no new oak

Fining: None

Filtration: Light Filtration

Production: 480 Bottles (750ml)

Closure: Screwcap

Alcohol: 13.5%

Winemakers tasting note:

“Bright red edge with a deep ruby centre. Redcurrants, red cherry, sweet plum, dried herbs, and spice. The wine has a soft tannin structure and smooth juicy palate. Enjoy drinking now.”