



## Swiftburn Sauvignon Blanc 2024

### winemakers comments:

Our Central Otago grown Sauvignon Blanc is made to display classic Sauvignon herbaceousness, a touch of tropical fruit and a textural structure we only see in Central Otago Sauvignon Blanc. It is something a little different. The wine is full and textural in the mouth and has long lasting flavour. Handpicked and whole bunch pressed this is a small batch wine.

### wine description:

Lively and uplifting aromas of fresh grape, melon, passionfruit and citrus. The fresh fruit flavours continue onto the palate where savory herbal notes create nice complexity and pleasing length.

Harvest: 2nd April 2024

Brix: 22.3

pH: 3.01

TA: 9.2g/L

in bottle:

pH: 3.30

TA: 7.2g/L

Alc: 13.5%





## Judge and Jury Chardonnay 2023

### winemakers comments:

The Judge & Jury chardonnay is grown on The Tiger, Viper and Mason Vineyards in the Lowburn and Parkburn regions of the Cromwell basin. A steep slope overlooking the Tiger vineyard in Lowburn produces the same aromatically spicy/floral profiles that we find in the Pinot Noir grown there, as well as similar persistence and very long-lived flavours. The Viper Vineyard in Parkburn grows intensely lemony and weighty Chardonnay, the palate length showing the rich mineral acid and saline notes typical of this vineyard. While the Mason Vineyard provides good fruit weight, texture, and depth of flavour to round out the palate.

### wine description:

Rich aromas of ripe lemons and baked apples, white blossoms and nutty herbal notes. The palate is fleshy and alive with salty citrus and white fruits brought into focus with a savoury background of nut and dried herb. Detailed structure and length providing the frame and backbone.

harvest: 14th, 15th, 25th March 2023

Brix 20.5-22.3

pH 3.05-3.21

TA 7.9g/L-8.7g/L

in bottle:

pH: 3.33

TA: 6.0g/L

Alc: 12.8%





## Mata-Au Pinot Noir 2023

### winemakers comments:

Our Mata-Au vineyards are in the Lowburn and Parkburn areas of the Cromwell basin. The vineyards are planted on terraces of schist-based soils formed by ancient glaciers that pushed in to the Cromwell basin. The Mata-Au (Clutha) River (pronounced – martar-o) follows the course of those ancient glaciers on its journey past the vineyards. The unique combination of site, soil and mild continental climate produces perfumed wines with elegant texture, structure and mineral length. It is made from the best blocks in our best vineyards in the Lowburn/Parkburn sub-region. Mata-Au showcases the succulent red fruits and silky tannins that are the hallmarks of this sub-region, delivered in our elegant, textural and length driven style.

### wine description:

Revealing a rich, complex bouquet of ripe cherry fruit and lifted spice, with background savoury herbs and subtle a truffle note. The palate is harmonious, showcasing cherry and plum fruit supported by finely integrated tannins that lend texture and structure. Balanced acidity provides line and energy, driving the wine to a long, elegant finish laced with subtle mineral nuances.

### vineyards:

The Tiger Vineyard 11% – Lowburn, Cromwell  
The Viper Vineyard 16% – Parkburn, Cromwell  
The Mason Vineyard 73% – Parkburn, Cromwell

harvest: 15th March, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023

Brix: 22.0 - 23.01

pH: 3.12 - 3.39

TA: 7.15 - 9.15g/L

in bottle:

pH: 3.59

TA: 5.3g/L

Alc: 13.0%





## Finla Mor Pinot Noir 2023

### winemakers comments:

Finla Mor is grown on selected vineyards in the Cromwell basin. The vineyards are farmed with organic practices on elevated terraces in the Lowburn and Parkburn areas. The vineyards feature schist gravel-based soil giving the wine its purity and minerality. Each vineyard is hand harvested and fermented in small lots.

### wine description:

The bouquet is a pleasant mélange of fruit and forest aromas, featuring fresh red cherry, black currant and violets. Beautifully balanced palate with expressive red berry fruit. The silky tannin and fine acid drive provide freshness and energy.

harvest: 23rd March 2023

Brix: 22.1

pH: 3.29

TA: 7.4g/L

in bottle:

pH: 3.57

TA: 5.2g/L

Alc: 12.5%





## Viper Vineyard Pinot Noir 2022

### winemakers comments:

Viper Vineyard Pinot Noir is made from grapes grown in the Grandstand Block of the Viper Vineyard in the Parkburn area on the western side of Lake Dunstan. The vineyard takes its name from the wildflower "Vipers Bugloss" that covers the area. This vineyard sits on an undulating terrace above the valley floor. The soils are predominantly sandy loam over red clay cemented schist gravel. The terrace enjoys moderate temperatures and a long growing season. Ripening tends to be late into the season as the daytime temperatures are cooling. The cooler ripening tends to produce spicy wines with dark fruit flavours and density on the palate. The Viper is always made from the Grandstand block in the vineyard, and the wine always stands out as uniquely in the cellar as it does in the bottle.

### wine description:

Lovely red cherry fruit and florals with deeper savory and earthy undertones make up a complex bouquet. Velvety tannins wrap around a mineral core providing nice movement and balance on the palate. Dark red cherries and umami notes feature in a long finish.

harvest: 19th March 2022	in bottle: 30th November 2023
Brix 22.7	pH – 3.61
pH 3.32	TA – 5.6g/L
TA 7.5g/L	Alc. – 13%







## Hawkesburn Vineyard Pinot Noir 2022

### winemakers comments:

The Hawkesburn Vineyard was planted in 2002 on a picturesque terrace situated directly above the Bannockburn inlet. This single vineyard wine is made from the fruit grown on this small 1.25Ha vineyard. A mix of clones featuring CL 5, CL 6, CL 667, CL 777. The terrace has sandy loam and loess topsoil's on top of deeper schist gravels with mixed in clay. This complex combination of soils and the unique micro-climates give the wine grown there lovely fineness along with the rich fruit and plush tannins that are hallmarks of wines from this sub-region.

### wine description:

Attractive red cherries on the nose with a floral spray and white button mushroom undertones. Satiny and textured with plush red cherry fruit and dried herbs flavours. There is richness and elegance at play on the long satisfying finish.

harvest: 28th March 2022	in bottle: 30th November 2023
Brix 23.6	pH – 3.70
pH 3.35	TA – 5.1g/L
TA 7.3g/L	Alc. – 13.5%

