

ESTD 1692

HARTENBERG

FAMILY VINEYARDS

RIESLING 2017

One of the world's noble grape varieties. It has the smallest bunches and berries of all white varieties, thereby imparting immense flavour and concentration to the resultant wines. Added to this, is the distinction that few other white varieties are able to mature to their betterment, for decades, like the best global examples of Riesling are able to.

TASTING NOTE

The bouquet displays beautiful elements of chalky, flint and mineral notes. The wine is juicy and opulent on palate entry and then a fine acidity arrives to provide a perfect foil to the inherent fruit "sweetness". Despite being bone dry, the wine finishes with an appealing sweet/sour character, begging a second taste.

FOOD MATCHING

Smoked trout terrine, Thai inspired foods, bobotie, peri-peri chicken livers

TECHNICAL & PRODUCTION

Maturation	Up to 6 years from vintage
Alcohol	13.29 % by volume
Residual Sugar	4.6 g/l
Total Acid	6.1 g/l
pH	3.19

AWARDS

2016 Vintage	Tim Atkin 92 points
2015 Vintage	Tim Atkin 92 points
2014 Vintage	Tim Atkin 93 points
2013 Vintage	Tim Atkin 91 points
2013 Vintage	Veritas 2015 Gold Medal
2013 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2012 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2011 Vintage	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide
2010 Vintage	Gold medal Riesling du Monde
	Strasbourg 2012
	Gold Medal Veritas 2012 (SA)
	4 stars Platter's SA Wine Guide,
	91 points Robert Parker
2009 Vintage	Gold medal Veritas (SA)



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