2022 CARRICK
Arthur's Vineyard
Bannockburn, Central Otago, NZ



The Arthur's Vineyard is part of our Limited Release Range – rare, age-worthy wines crafted from exceptional parcels and vintages. 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.

Season Summary
A later budburst and variable spring conditions gave way to a hot, dry summer, though intermittent rain through late January and February increased disease pressure and slowed ripening. Careful canopy management proved crucial in maintaining fruit health. A warm, dry finish enabled an early and compact harvest, beginning on 17 March.

Vineyard
Derived from a small parcel of vines planted in 1996 at Arthur's vineyard, which has soils defined as Manuherikia Moderately Deep Fine Sandy Loam, a schist and greywacke fine loess. Fruit for this wine was harvested on the 29th March 2022

Winemaking
Hand-picked and sorted in the vineyard, 100% 10/5 clone from 26 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 17 days, pressed, settled and racked to barrels - for 10 months, 23% new.

Tasting Note
"The 2022 Arthur's is floral with brambly fruit and a brooding depth to the palate. Whilst having a lightness to the palate, it is complex and contemplative. Incredibly elegant this wine will reward those who cellar it."
- Winemaker Rosie Menzies

Technical
Total Acidity: 5.4g/L, Residual Sugar: <1g/L,
Alcohol: 14.0% abv
Clone: 10/5
Vegan Friendly
Bottled: 7th March 2023
Cases: 320 x 6 bottle cases produced.

Recommendations
Cellaring Potential: 2024-2034
Pairing: Beef tartare tartlets, truffle mayonnaise, aged parmesan & horseradish balsamic.

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