



DOMAIN ROAD *vineyard*

Pinot Noir Rosé 2014

Domain Road Vineyard is tucked away in the village of Bannockburn, near Cromwell, Central Otago, an area famous for its 19th century gold fields. A unique micro-climate of hot summers and snowy winters provides perfect conditions for growing diverse grape varieties.

The Pinot Noir vines have been planted to take advantage of the shelter provided by the surrounding hills. This gives the grapes a complex mix of flavours that create a superbly flavoursome wine.

The Wine

The fruit was hand harvested on 2 April 2014 from the Domain Road vineyard.

The fruit was destemmed, crushed and held cold for 24 hours so the juice could pick up some more colour from the extra skin contact time. The fruit was then pressed before fermenting. The fermentation was stopped retaining a touch of residual sugar to balance the wines natural acidity.

The clear pale pink of our Rosé gives a hint of what is to come on the nose and palate. Lifted aromas of strawberry, grapefruit and hints of ripe melon and passionfruit on the nose, followed by strawberry and cream flavours with some pear and grapefruit on the palate. A dry style wine with a creamy texture and balanced acidity which has an attractive crisp, clean finish

Variety	100% Pinot Noir
Appellation	Central Otago
Sub Region	Bannockburn
Vineyards	Single - Domain Road
pH	3.4
TA	5.8g/L
Harvested at	2nd April 2014
Residual Sugar	6g/L
Alcohol	13%
Fining Agent	Nil

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