

2017 OAKDENE 'LY LY' PINOT GRIS



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TASTING NOTE

Appearance

Pale bronze/pink in colour

Bouquet

Lifted bouquet of spiced mulled wine, guava and tropical fruits, with mineral notes rounded out with barrel ferment characters.

Palate

Pure, crisp with juicy, ripe tropical fruits, spice and a soft textural edge, leading to a savoury, dry finish, lively acidity and a long lingering after taste.

Conclusion

Enjoy now, or cellar for the next 4 years, to gain mid palate weight and complexity.

Technical Analysis Vineyard Location

Wallington, Bellarine Peninsula, Geelong, Victoria, Australia Latitude -38.233674 Longitude 144.540137

Climate

Maritime climate moderated by Bass Strait to the south, the Rip at Port Phillip Heads to the east, Swan Bay and Port Phillip bay to the North, and the Barwon River to the west.

Soils

Moderate draining loam over a clay loam subsoil

Trellis style Vertical shoot positioning (VSP)

Clones

Vines Planted

Yield

2.2 tonnes per acre

Case Production

400 cases

Fermentation

Pinot Gris was crushed and run to barrel and inoculated with yeast, fermentation then took place over 10 days. The yeast lees were stirred regularly over the next 8 months while maturing in French oak barriques (15% new), prior to bottling in December 2017.

Alcohol 13.4% v/v

Winemaker Robin Brockett, Marcus Holt