

RAAR, meaning rare or scarce, embodies passion for the Swartland terroir, showcasing lesser-known varietals and intuitive winemaking.

RAAR wine is indeed rare, with only a few barrels made of each wine, the RAAR collection of wines is truly a collector's find.

# **GRENACHE BLANC 2023**

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

WINE OF ORIGIN Swartland

CELLAR Riebeek Valley Wine Co.

PRODUCTION 9 barrels of 300 litres produced

VARIETAL 100% Grenache Blanc

## TASTING NOTE

White stone fruit, hints of citrus, jasmine and a touch of minerality with a focussed acid and long finish.

#### **VINEYARD**

Low yield, bush-vine Grenache Blanc on well-drained sandy soil.

#### SERVE & AGEING

Best served at 10 to 12 °C, this wine will develop in complexity over the next 2 years.

#### WINEMAKING

Minimal intervention winemaking is key to showcase the expressive character from this vineyard. Handharvested and whole bunch pressed, the Grenache Blanc is thereafter wild fermented in older 300L French oak barrels. Barrel aging on the fine lees for 8 months adds texture and mid pallet weight.

#### TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alc. 13 % | RS 3.6 g/l | TA 5.9 g/l | pH 3.27



