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Ranmore Hill 2013

Winemaker – Matthieu Elzinga

Tasting notes:

Complex nose reminiscent of wild strawberries, lime with a hint of vanilla. The palate is rich, full bodied and low in acidity for an English wine.

Excellent aperitif

This wine can be enjoyed as an aperitif or with creamy dishes.

Composition:

Hand-picked grapes from the Ortega 'Park' and Pinot Noir 'Yew tree field'.

Vineyard:

The 2013 vintage started with some frost damage but the spring time and summer were nice and enabled the fruit to ripen and build up nice flavours developed into the wine by the winemaker.

Winemaking:

Whole berry pressing for these two grapes. Quite tricky on the Pinot Noir to press the white juice out of a red berry. Long ageing on the lees to gain mouthfeel. The Pinot Noir was fermented in older oak barrels and underwent malo-lactic fermentation. The Ortega was fermented in stainless steel.

Technical information: 12% alc



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