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### **South African Wine is Underrepresented in the United States.**

Culture Wine Co. exists to elevate South African wine in the U.S., sharing the untold stories beyond the bottle. Our mission is to highlight the resilience of South African winemakers who navigate extreme challenges—zero government subsidies, daily load shedding, and harsh weather - from floods to droughts. Their world-class wines, tight-knit community, and unwavering perseverance make this region the most exciting in the world.

### **Sharing Culture Through Wine**

There's a new generation of winemakers at the forefront of exciting and positive changes in the industry. Their initiatives include a fresh new focus on clean natural wines as well as farming with organic, biodynamic, and regenerative methods. They are producing vibrant and energetic Pinotage; a welcomed change from the bombastic, high alcohol styles of the past. They're crafting outstanding single-varietal wines from lesser-known grapes like Fernão Pires, Colombar, and Palomino; those that would have traditionally been lost in bulk co-op blends.

But what sets the current South African wine scene apart from so many others is their dedication to fostering an open and inclusive wine culture. The camaraderie, non-protective knowledge share, and support this community gives is inspiring.

There is so much to be excited about by South African wine, and Culture Wine Co. is here to share that story.

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| Vintage | Winery           | Wine Name                                                          | Region            | 1-3 Case Wholesale Bottle | 4-6 Case Wholesale Bottle | 7+ Case / BTG Wholesale Bottle |
|---------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 2024    | Alinea           | Viura<br>(Fall 2025)                                               | Simonsberg-Paarl  | \$26                      | \$25                      | \$24                           |
| 2024    | Alinea           | Grenache<br>(Fall 2025)                                            | Simonsberg-Paarl  | \$26                      | \$25                      | \$24                           |
| 2024    | Brookdale Estate | Mason Road<br>Chenin Blanc                                         | Paarl             | \$17                      | \$16                      | \$15                           |
| 2023    | Brookdale Estate | Mason Road<br>Syrah                                                | Paarl             | \$17                      | \$16                      | \$15                           |
| 2024    | Brookdale Estate | Old Vine Chenin Blanc                                              | Paarl             | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2023    | Brookdale Estate | Bradbourne<br>Grenache Blanc Blend                                 | Paarl             | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2023    | Brookdale Estate | Sixteen<br>Sixteen Grape Field Blend                               | Paarl             | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2021    | Genevieve        | Cap Classique<br>Blanc de Blancs Brut                              | Bot River         | \$26                      | \$25                      | \$24                           |
| 2013    | Genevieve        | Cap Classique<br>RD Blanc de Blancs<br>Extra Brut - 10 Yrs On Lees | Bot River         | \$32                      | \$31                      | \$30                           |
| 2024    | Klein Amoskuil   | QVEVRI<br>Orange Wine                                              | Coastal<br>Region | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2024    | Klein Amoskuil   | QVEVRI<br>Red Blend                                                | Coastal<br>Region | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2023    | Klein Amoskuil   | The Amos Block<br>Sauvignon Blanc                                  | Swartland         | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |

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|---------|------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 2023    | Luddite          | Saboteur White Blend                | Cape South Coast | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2021    | Luddite          | Saboteur Red Blend                  | Cape South Coast | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2023    | Luddite          | Chenin Blanc                        | Bot River        | \$50 NET                  |                           |                                |
| 2021    | Luddite          | Shiraz                              | Bot River        | \$60 NET                  |                           |                                |
| 2023    | Maanschiijn      | Herbarium Cape White Blend          | Walker Bay       | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2023    | Maanschiijn      | Herbarium Cape Red Blend            | Walker Bay       | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2023    | Maanschiijn      | Brunch Club Sauvignon Blanc Pet Nat | Walker Bay       | \$20                      | \$19                      | \$18                           |
| 2019    | Magna Carta Wine | Mphumi DNA Chenin Blanc             | Swartland        | \$22                      | \$21                      | \$20                           |
| 2022    | Pieter Ferreira  | Birdsong Extra Brut                 | Western Cape     | \$32                      | \$31                      | \$30                           |
| 2018    | Pieter Ferreira  | Birdsong Extra Brut Rose            | Western Cape     | \$32                      | \$31                      | \$30                           |
| 2024    | Processus        | Maria Gomes                         | Worcester        | \$19                      | \$18                      | \$17                           |
| 2024    | Processus        | Colombar                            | Worcester        | \$19                      | \$18                      | \$17                           |

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|---------|-----------------|------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Atlantikas Pinotage                | Stellenbosch     | \$17                      | \$16                      | \$15                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Granitas SOLD OUT                  | Cape South Coast | \$17                      | \$16                      | \$15                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Tekstur Flor-Aged Orange Wine      | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Gramadoelas Grenache Blanc         | Klein Karoo      | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Granietsteen Chenin Blanc SOLD OUT | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Feniks Old Vine Pinotage           | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Heldervallei Old Vine Cinsault     | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2024    | Scions of Sinai | Krummelklip Cabernet Sauvignon     | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| 2023    | Scions of Sinai | Swanesang Syrah                    | Stellenbosch     | \$30                      | \$29                      | \$28                           |
| NONV    | Van Hunks       | Cap Classique Brut                 | Stellenbosch     | \$20                      | \$19                      | \$18                           |
| NONV    | Van Hunks       | NON-ALCOHOLIC Sparkling Rose       | Stellenbosch     | \$17                      | \$16                      | \$15                           |

# ALINEA

## THE BEGINNING OF A NEW TRAIN OF THOUGHT

| REGION    | VARIETALS                                                                                      | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE           |
|-----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|----------------------|
| Noordhoek | Cinsault, Syrah, Vermentino, Sauvignon Blanc, & a 6-grape white blend Mediterranean varieties. | Organic        | Native     | Minimal Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2024 ALINEA VIURA, SIMONSBERG-PAARL

100% Viura

Winemaking is kept simple, foot-tread with minimal sulfur, aged in old oak. Harvested late February, whole-bunch pressed, settled overnight, then racked to 600L French oak for spontaneous fermentation and 10 months on lees.



#### 2024 ALINEA GRENACHE, SIMONSBERG-PAARL

100% Grenache

Foot-treading, minimal sulfur, and old oak. Harvested late February, whole bunches were crushed underfoot and wild-fermented. After 21 days on skins, the wine aged 9 months in old 400L French oak.



# BROOKDALE ESTATE

## KIARA SCOTT FARMER: SOUTH AFRICA'S RISING STAR

| REGION | VARIETALS                                                                                 | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE              |
|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------------|
| Paarl  | Chenin Blanc<br>Marsanne, Roussanne,<br>Picpoul<br>Syrah, Grenache<br>Mourvèdre, Cinsault | Sustainable    | Native     | Minimal<br>Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2024 BROOKDALE ESTATE MASON ROAD CHENIN BLANC, PAARL

100% Chenin Blanc

The Mason Road Chenin Blanc is from a mix of young and old vines. The younger vines bring a freshness, while the older vines highlight the unique granite and saline mineral components of the vineyard. Most of the blend is coming from the young vines aged in stainless steel.

15-20% is coming from older vines that are aged in French oak, which gives depth, richness, and mineral notes. This creates layers of flavors and complexity with a long finish. Quite simply, this is a stunner of a wine at a very friendly price-point.



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AND MINIMAL  
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MAKE THE WORK IN THE  
CELLAR EASIER,"**  
- KIARA SCOTT FARMER,  
WINEMAKER



2022 BROOKDALE ESTATE  
MASON ROAD SERENDIPITY ROSE, PAARL

Syrah, Grenache, Cinsault

Careful bunch selection was carried out in the vineyard. The Grenache and Cinsault grapes were whole-bunch pressed, settled overnight and then allowed to ferment in 500 litre old French oak barrels. The Syrah portion was whole-bunch pressed and then transferred to steel tanks for fermentation in order to preserve freshness. The Cinsault and Grenache went through secondary fermentation for added aromatic complexity. This wine was partially matured in old oak barrels for 11 months, adding complexity and body.



2023 BROOKDALE ESTATE  
MASON ROAD SYRAH, PAARL

100% Syrah

It is often said that it is near impossible to make a great Syrah from young vines. However, Kiara does an exceptional job in going against the grain. She keeps a small percentage of the bunches whole-cluster. She then destems the rest and dries the stalks in the hot Paarl sun for two days. She adds these dried stems back to the ferment for the duration, which helps to impart the delightful savory side notes above without being overbearing. The wine spends time in used, large barrels helping tame the rugged young Syrah tannins.



## 2023 BROOKDALE ESTATE SIXTEEN, PAARL

Sixteen Grape Field Blend:

Chenin Blanc, Picpoul, Verdejo, Clairette Blanche, Pinot Gris, Macabeo (Viura), Grenache, Semillon, Roussanne, Vermentino, Marsanne, Petit Manseng, Albariño, Palomino, Chardonnay and Grillo.

16 white varieties were planted as bush vines on decomposed shale and granite. The grapes were picked at two different stages due to the variability of the grapes.

The fruit was cooled and whole bunch pressed before spontaneous fermentation and 100% malolactic fermentation. The wine was barrel fermented and aged in old 500ml French oak barrels for 1 year prior to bottling and spent 4 months in the bottle before release.



## 2024 BROOKDALE ESTATE OLD VINE CHENIN BLANC, PAARL

100% Chenin Blanc

Primarily from old vine Chenin Blanc (1985) grown on decomposed shale and granite; minimal winemaking was employed to allow this stony terroir to shine through. The grapes were hand-picked at different stages to achieve optimal ripeness and balance.

The fruit was pre-cooled and gently whole-bunch pressed before spontaneous fermentation and partial malolactic fermentation added elegance, and complexity. Matured for 11 months in a 500L French oak barrels, the wine was then aged on the lees for 8 months in 2500L Foudre barrels. Once bottled, the wine was left to mature for a further 6 months before release.



2023 BROOKDALE ESTATE  
BRADBOURNE, PAARL

Grenache Blanc, Marsanne, Roussanne, Picpoul

The grapes were picked at different stages. The fruit was cooled and whole bunch pressed before spontaneous fermentation took place. The wine was barrel fermented and aged in 500L French oak barrels.

A portion of Grenache was whole bunch fermented for added texture and complexity. The components went through 80% malolactic fermentation. The wines were aged for 1 year in barrel prior to blending and bottling and spent six months in bottle before release.

# GENEVIEVE

## PILOT TURNED SPARKLING WINEMAKER

| REGION    | VARIETALS           | FARMING METHOD                                                           | YEAST TYPE              | WINE STYLE              |
|-----------|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Bot River | Chardonnay<br>Syrah | Practicing Organic,<br>Regenerative,<br>Integrative Pest Man-<br>agement | Native and<br>Champagne | Minimal<br>Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES

#### 2020 GENEVIEVE CAP CLASSIQUE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT

100% Chardonnay

The fruit comes from a mixture of 27-year-old and estate-grown vines. Melissa produces, ages, riddles, and disgorges at a facility in Paarl,

Aged on the lees for nearly 48 months, this wine tastes like a Champagne from its most prized sub-region, Côte de Blancs. One can easily sense the influence of where Melissa learned how to make bubbles. The 2019 is somehow both steely and lean, yet mouth-coating and rich. There are notes of quince, yellow kiwi, apple tart, butter cookies, orange peel, and fennel, with floral undertones. The finish is long and racy with a mouth-coating lees-y texture that even the best Champagnes fight to achieve. This wine is quite dry – only 3.7 g/l RS – which allows Chardonnay's zippy acidity to shine. This is a seriously great bottle of Méthode Cap Classique that is easily among the best bubbly that South Africa has to offer.





2013 GENEVIEVE  
RD LATE DISGORGED BLANC DE BLANCS  
EXTRA BRUT, BOT RIVER

100% Chardonnay

10 YEARS ageing on lees, in bottle. The RD was disgorged in August 2023, released November same year. Sourced from the distinct cool-climate terroir of Bot River, kissed by breezes from Walker Bay and Bot River Lagoon, this sparkling wine embodies a rare complexity and depth.

Its bubbles are very fine. Almost more of a petillant style in its subtlety, yet it opens up into an incredibly complex and deeply-golden colored wine. This Cap Classique is all about texture – it's mouth-coating and rich, yet high enough in acidity that it stays fresh and leaves you wanting more. Notes of tangerine, rich honey, biscuit, jasmine, kiwi, passionfruit, and saline notes.

High intensity, very mineral and leesy. Super creamy on palate and lasts forever.

2.5 g/l RS. No Malolactic

# KLEIN AMOSKUIL

## NATURAL WINES PRODUCED IN GEORGIAN QVEVRI

| REGION    | VARIETALS                                                                                                | FARMING METHOD    | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE | VESSELS                                |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------|----------------------------------------|
| Swartland | Sauvignon Blanc, Chenin Blanc, Viognier, Petit Manseng, Grenache Blanc, Grenache Noir, Shiraz, Mourvedre | Certified Organic |            | Natural    | Georgian Qvevri (Fermentation & Aging) |

### FEATURED WINES

#### 2022 KLEIN AMOSKUIL 'THE AMOS BLOCK' ORGANIC SAUVIGNON BLANC SWARTLAND, PLANTED 1965

100% Sauvignon Blanc

This beauty comes from the oldest Sauvignon Blanc vineyard in South Africa. The idea was to move away from the usual fruity style of Sauvignon, which brought Charl to use several fermentation and aging methods, including tank and older oak. It is fermented with both natural and inoculated yeast as well as cold and warm temperatures. A portion also underwent skin contact.





2021 KLEIN AMOSKUIL  
QVEVRI SKIN CONTACT WHITE, COASTAL REGION

27% Sémillon, 27% Chenin Blanc, 20% Viognier, 17% Sauvignon Blanc, 9% Petite Manseng

Charles Back was the first to plant and make a wine with Petit Manseng in South Africa. This grape is very helpful for bringing refreshing, zippy acidity to a blend. The QVEVRI White undergoes eight-weeks of skin contact, which yields a beautiful orange wine with notes of blossoms, nectar, peaches, candied nuts and mildly grippy tannins. Delicious with brined foods such as olives, cured meats, or pan roasted fish.



2021 KLEIN AMOSKUIL  
QVEVRI RED BLEND,  
COASTAL REGION

53% Shiraz, 33% Grenache, 14% Mourvèdre

This wine is fermented and aged three months entirely on its skins, seeds, and stems in clay amphora (Qvevri made in Georgia) underground. This wine is so beautiful and complex yet shines with purity and freshness. The tannins are gripping – no surprise with these three grapes – but they’re very fine grained and share the spotlight with a variety of red fruits and flowers, spices, and fynbos (native shrubbery of South Africa like Chaparral in California).

# LUDDITE WINES

## IF YOU'RE NOT HAVING FUN, WHY DO IT?

| REGION    | VARIETALS                                                                  | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE           |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|----------------------|
| Bot River | Chenin Blanc<br>Shiraz<br>Cabernet Sauvignon<br>Mourvèdre<br>Grenache Noir | Organic        | Natural    | Minimal Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES

#### 2023 LUDDITE WINES SABOTEUR WHITE, CAPE SOUTH COAST

77% Chenin Blanc, 13% Blanc Fumé, and 10% Viognier.

The Saboteur line is a mix of estate & purchased fruit. All purchased fruit comes from a few nearby vineyards with the same exacting standards imparted by Luddite Wines. For added texture and structure, both Chenin and Viognier underwent skin contact for 12 days, with morning and evening punch-downs.

Following this, we pressed the grapes, ensuring to include as much lees and sediment as possible to enhance fermentation in barrels. A portion of Chenin Blanc underwent tank fermentation to enhance primary fruit expression. Sauvignon Blanc, on the other hand, was whole-bunch pressed and immediately transferred to barrel for fermentation without settling. All components spent 7 months in old French Oak barrels with regular batonnage.





## 2023 LUDDITE WINES CHENIN BLANC, BOT RIVER

100% Chenin Blanc. Only 1,500 BOTTLES Produced

Single vineyard, dry-farmed. This is one of the greatest Chenin Blancs made in the world. Crafted from grapes cultivated in the Bot River region, this wine is dry in style.

The grapes undergo fermentation with their skins intact in open top containers in micro-lots. It is fermented with native yeast - a natural process that emphasizes retaining the inherent acidity and freshness of the fruit. It is bone dry, high acidity, silky textured, and supremely aromatic.



## 2021 LUDDITE WINES SABOTEUR RED, CAPE SOUTH COAST

60% Shiraz, 15% Grenache, 13% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Grenache

The Saboteur line is a mix of estate & purchased fruit. All purchased fruit comes from a few nearby vineyards with the same exacting standards imparted by Luddite Wines.

The Cabernet Sauvignon, Grenache Noir and Mourvedre were all fermented in small batches in open bins. Luddite used less stalks than previous years due to the lighter vintage. Most of the Shiraz was fermented in stainless steel tanks with regular pump overs. All the components were pressed directly into barrel and aged separately. Some of the batches underwent MLF in barrel, which gives a fuller mouthfeel and structure.



## 2021 LUDDITE WINES SHIRAZ, BOT RIVER

Mostly Shiraz, with a tiny portion of Mourvèdre and Cabernet Sauvignon

100% estate grown and dry farmed. Only 750 six-packs made! Having tasted some wonderful, mature vintages of this wine, we can honestly say, if you age this, it will reward you as well as the best Hermitage or Côte-Rôtie.

Niels and Penny picked the two blocks a week apart and both batches were fermented separately in stainless steel tanks and a small portion was fermented in open fermenters. We fermented slightly cooler to retain more fruit expression and give more time on the skins to build up structure.

They pressed and allowed the wine to finish malolactic fermentation in tank before racking to barrel. After 2 years in barrel, the final blend was made using a small amount of Mourvedre and Cabernet Sauvignon from our own vineyards to fill out the mid-palate. 100% French Oak of which 15% was new.

# MAANSCHIJN

## THE MOONSHINE BOYS

| REGION     | VARIETALS                                                                                       | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE           |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|----------------------|
| Walker Bay | Chardonnay, Chenin Blanc, Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon, Pinotage, Cabernet Franc, Syrah, Mourvedre | Organic        | Native     | Minimal Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES

#### 2023 MAANSCHIJN BRUNCH CLUB MÉTHODE ANCESTRALE

100% Sauvignon Blanc



The 'Sauvie' for Brunch Club is picked earlier than their still wine to preserve its youthful characteristics. Whole bunches were gently pressed and settled overnight. Fermentation started spontaneously and was carried out at a low temperature for two months before bottling unfiltered. Low temperature fermentation helps to accentuate the aromatic components in the wine. After four months aging in bottle on the lees, the sparkling wine was disgorged and ready to drink. Talk about the perfect name for a wine.





## 2023 MAANSCHIJN HERBARIUM CAPE WHITE

40% Sauvignon Blanc, 22% Semillon, 21% Chenin Blanc, and 17% Chardonnay

Like all Maanschiijn's wines, there is tremendous depth of flavor with a velvety-smooth texture. This occurs because the guys let the juice of each grape oxidize and turn brown before fermentation. Typically, oxidation (and especially this level of it) is avoided with white wine production; however, as the wine ferments with native yeast and ages, it clarifies naturally and results in varietal character shining through. Each wine is aged separately, then blended before another shorter aging cycle, followed by bottling unfiltered. This ancient Burgundian fermentation technique is known for making 'Black Chardonnay'. I.e. the original way of white winemaking before the industry shifted towards more modern techniques.

This wine is deliciously captivating with incredible layering of flavors. Although the wine is perfectly knit together, you can taste each component individually. Grapefruit from the Sauvignon Blanc, yellow orchard fruits from the Chenin, grassy hints and salinity from the Semillon, and a lusciously rich texture from the Chardonnay.



## 2022 MAANSCHIJN HERBARIUM CAPE RED

42% Pinotage, 38% Syrah, 20% Mourvedre

The Herbarium Cape Red is primarily Pinotage, with Syrah and Mourvèdre making up the rest. Pinotage is a cross between Pinot Noir and Cinsault and was created in the early 20th century in South Africa. If there was a red varietal that the country would claim as its calling card, it's Pinotage. For Herbarium Cape Red, each varietal was fermented with native yeast, and partially in whole bunches before being pressed to neutral French oak. After nine months of aging, the wine was blended and bottled without fining.

Each varietal shines so well in this wine. The Pinotage yields black cherry and rose petal notes; the Syrah gives a seductive inky purple color, along with violet and peppery tones; and then loads of dried herbs shine from the Mourvèdre. The calling card of Walker Bay shines too, as a beautiful stony and saline minerality comes through in the finish.

# MAGNA CARTA WINES

## ZULU HERITAGE

| REGION    | VARIETALS                                                                                                               | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| Swartland | Chenin Blanc, Semillon, Viognier, Chardonnay, Grenache Blanc, Grenache Noir, Pinot Noir, Pinotage, Syrah, Ruby Cabernet | Organic        | Native     | Natural    |

Mphumi is the only Zulu and one of a small, but growing group of black winery owners in South Africa. His love and desire for immersion into natural landscapes along with a deeply spiritual Zulu heritage are the driving forces behind his non-interventionist, natural winemaking philosophy.

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2019 MAGNA CARTA WINES 'MPHUMI' DNA CHENIN BLANC

96% Chenin Blanc, 4% Muscat

Chenin Blanc is where it all started with Mphumi. It was the first-ever white wine he made, and today still the most important he makes. Chenin Blanc is the perfect vehicle for terroir. In other words, when yields are kept in check and the vineyard is free of chemicals, the regional expression is incredibly clear. This is why Mphumi's wine is so minerally and texturally rich without new oak creating that experience.





2019 MAGNA CARTA WINES  
'MPHUMI' INDLU SHIRAZ

100% Shiraz

Shiraz and Swartland go hand in hand. The ultra-dry, extreme climate lends itself to bringing out the herbaceous and husky aromatics in the grape. That said, Mphumi's style is not to let it get too extreme. It's elegant, yet powerful; nuanced, yet bold.

This beauty is inky purple - a stain your glass kind of purple. Violet and blackberry notes show here with loads of black pepper. From the arid climate, there's dusty, fine-grained tannins, yet lively and refreshing acidity. The finish on this one is long and oh so good.

\*\*\*A note on 'Mphumi labels - due to labeling laws in South Africa, we had to import these wines without a vintage, region, or varietal statement. Following vintages will have this information clearly displayed. Mphumi also created, printed, and labeled every bottle himself, by hand!

# PIETER FERREIRA

## MR BUBBLES

| REGION       | VARIETALS                              | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE         | WINE STYLE           |
|--------------|----------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Western Cape | Chardonnay, Pinot Noir & Pinot Meunier | Organic        | Native & Champagne | Minimal Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2022 PIETER FERREIRA BIRDSONG EXTRA BRUT

71% Chardonnay, 29% Pinot Noir

Pinot Noir from Darling (60%) and Durbanville (40%) grows in shale, limestone, and granite soils, shaping this Cap Classique Rosé.

Only the cuvée was used, with juice settling before fermentation—mostly in stainless steel, some in Clayver pots. After blending, in-bottle fermentation and five years on lees built complexity. Traditional remuage and disgorgement removed sediment before six months of maturation.



#### 2018 PIETER FERREIRA BIRDSONG ROSE EXTRA BRUT

100% Pinot Noir

Pinot Noir from Darling (60%) and Durbanville (40%) thrives in shale, limestone, and granite soils, shaping this Cap Classique Rosé.

Only the cuvée was used, with juice settling before fermentation—mostly in stainless steel, some in Clayver pots. After blending, in-bottle fermentation and five years on lees built complexity. Traditional remuage and disgorgement removed sediment before six months of maturation.



# PROCESSUS

## INTENTION, ENVIRONMENT, & ARTISTIC INFLUENCE IN WINE

| REGION       | VARIETALS                | FARMING METHOD | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| Western Cape | Colombar<br>Fernão Pires | Organic        | Native     | Natural    |

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2024 PROCESSUS [NOT] FROM HERE COLOMBAR

100% Colombar

From its roots in France in the brandy-producing regions of Cognac and Armagnac, to being the second most planted variety in South Africa today, Colombar has a long, winding history. It was originally brought to South Africa as a grape for brandy distillation for the Dutch East India Company. But Colombar grew to be so much more than that, whose history as a foundation for exceptional white wines is often forgotten. Fortunately, Processus is paying homage to its history, bringing more attention to the under-appreciated beauty.



#### 2024 PROCESSUS MARIA GOMES, FERNÃO PIRES

100% Fernão Pires

The duality of being known as Fernão Pires as well as Maria Gomes, allowed for personification of this label, opening a new door of understanding for a wine that has lived many lives. Due to Portuguese influence during the days of colonization, one of Portugal's most planted grapes found an unlikely home in South Africa. The vineyard that Processus sources this wine from is nearly 40 years old and tended by a farmer with four generations of heart, knowledge, and care. Like Colombar, Fernão Pires is too-often blended into a choir of 'other-white'. Therefore, Processus believes it is time this unassuming grape has its shining moment.



# SCIONS OF SINAI

## SEVENTH GENERATION VIGNERON

| REGION                                          | VARIETALS                                                                                       | FARMING METHOD                                      | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE                             |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------|
| Stellenbosch<br>(Helderberg<br>Coastal<br>Ward) | Chenin Blanc, Grenache<br>Blanc, Roussanne, Syrah,<br>Cinsault, Pinotage,<br>Cabernet Sauvignon | Dry, Regenerative<br>Bush Vines-Only<br>Hand-farmed | Native     | Natural and<br>Minimal<br>Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES



#### 2023 SCIONS OF SINAI ATLANTIKAS PINOTAGE, STELLENBOSCH

100% Pinotage

Organically grown, dry-farmed bush vines in decomposed granite soils. These Pinotage vines were planted in 1976 and 1996 and are the closest to the ocean in South Africa. The grapes are picked just as they approach ripeness, to keep alcohol low and fruit just barely ripe. They're hand-harvested early in the morning and brought directly into the cellar. 30% are destemmed, 30% are kept with stems, and 40% are direct-pressed. This wine ferments and ages in all stainless steel.

#### 2024 SCIONS OF SINAI GRANITAS, CAPE WHITE BLEND

65% Chenin Blanc, 30% Grenache Blanc, 5% Roussanne

BRAND NEW to the SoS stable (pic coming soon). Organically grown, dry-farmed bush vines across Stellenbosch and the Voor-Paardeberg. This beautiful blend shows not just the intrigue of cool climate coastal bush vines (Chenin Blanc), but also the rugged intensity of the Swartland in Voor-Paardeberg. This is the ultimate by the glass option for those wanting benchmark mineral, textured, and classy South African white wine.





2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
TEKSTUR FLOR-AGED ORANGE WINE

65% Chenin Blanc, 35% Grenache Blanc

This skin-contact orange wine is outstanding. Because of the winery's proximity to the Atlantic Ocean, Bernhard can impart the traditional Sherry aging technique of flor aging. In this technique, you must be near the sea, as the humidity in the air helps to form a protective layer over the wine within the barrel. The flor keeps the wine fresh, by preventing oxidation. It also metabolizes some of the acids in the wine, softening it, and creating a lovely pillow-y texture. The flor also gives the most beautiful hint of salinity in the finish.



2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
GRAMADOELAS GRENACHE BLANC, KLEIN KAROO

100% Grenache Blanc

Klein Karoo is a rugged, remote, and hot place. Because of this, the single vineyard site is named Gramadoelas meaning a remote place. As with all white wines made by Scions of Sinai, there is a 20-hour pre-ferment cold soak with the skins to balance lean acidity, provide texture, and bring out minerality. The wine is aged on its fine lees for nine months in older Burgundian barrels (228L and 400L), where malolactic conversion is also naturally completed. It is then bottled unfiltered and unfined.

This wine is so wonderfully textural and full-bodied. The nose has pronounced green apple, peach, and mandarin orange aromas with hints of hay and herbs in the background. The finish is long, with refreshing acidity uplifting the flavors all the way through.



2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
GRANIETSTEEN CHENIN BLANC, STELLENBOSCH

100% Chenin Blanc

This is a small, bushvine, dry-farmed, Certified Heritage Vineyard is grown on weathered granite soils with very low yields. Planted on contours in 1978 on Sinai Hill, panning out over False Bay at 3.5km away. It's the closest Chenin Blanc vineyard to the Atlantic Ocean in Stellenbosch.

As with all Scions of Sinai white wines, they make use of pre-ferment skin-soak time as this helps as a natural balancing attempt between the lean acidity, texture and sense of place.

Long slow spontaneous fermentation to dryness. 100% completion of MLF during elevage. Half was whole bunch pressed for freshness, while the rest gets pressed after 1 night on the skins fermented and aged in large format concrete (80%) and older barrels (20%), on its fine lees for 9 months



2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
FENIKS PINOTAGE, STELLENBOSCH

100% Pinotage

Dry-farmed, old bush-vine Pinotage from the cool, coastal vineyards of Sinai Hill. Planted in 1976 by Bernhard's grandfather, the Feniks Pinotage is arguably the best Pinotage made anywhere in the world. This wine is changing the narrative around the grape and bringing more awareness to its major potential.

The fermentation is done without punch-downs and only modestly pumped over to keep things healthy. Think of this as more of an 'infusion', than a 'fermentation' time. Partial whole clusters are important during a submerged cap. As with all Scions of Sinai wines, malolactic fermentation is completed during elevage. Feniks is aged in neutral 400L and 225L French oak barrels for 12 months.



2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
HELDERVALLEI CINSULT, STELLENBOSCH

100% Cinsault

Old bush vines (planted 1988) from the closest Cinsault in Stellenbosch from the ocean. Dry-farmed on decomposed granite soils high in quartz with moderately shallow clay for water retention and some extension for ripening. Planted in 1988 on Sinai Hill.

On the nose, this wine is explosive. It shows notes of cranberry, red cherry, rose petals, fynbos and a faint, but intriguing slightly wild, smoked meat note. The palate super elegant with zesty acidity, perfectly fine-grained tannins, and a very dry finish.



2023 SCIONS OF SINAI  
KRUMMELKLIP CABERNET SAUVIGNON, STELLENBOSCH

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Krummelklip undergoes a long, slow fermentation in an open top fermenter. Mostly de-stemmed whole berries, with a 15% wholecluster portion. Fermentation is more an 'infusion' process than 'extracing'. Light pigeage with occasional pumpovers on a healthy cap. Basket pressed with quite low yields from this. As with all SoS wines, 100% completion of MLF during élevage. Aged in neutral 225L barrels, on its fine lees, for 11 months.

This is quite possibly the best Cabernet Sauvignon I have ever tasted from South Africa. On the nose are notes of blackberry, cassis, cedar, and a subtle leafiness on the nose. The palate is full-bodied with super fine-grained tannins, high acidity, and notes of black fruits, tobacco, and even a hint of clay-like minerality. Seriously, this is a world-class Cab that deserves to be in the hands of all wine lovers.



2022 SCIONS OF SINAI  
SWANESANG SYRAH, STELLENBOSCH

100% Syrah

This wine absolutely blows my mind every time I drink it. It's everything a Syrah and wine lover would want. This Syrah is dark as night, explosively aromatic, full-bodied, and with perfectly integrated tannins.

There's a small, two-acre plot of Syrah that may be Bernhard's most prized. These vines were planted in 1999 with the help of his grandfather (Bernhard's late mentor), during his retirement. It's planted in well-drained decomposed granite soils and the closest Syrah in Stellenbosch to the Atlantic Ocean. As with all Scions of Sinai wines, the grapes are hand harvested and immediately brought into the tanks early in the morning. Swanesang undergoes a long natural fermentation in open-top fermenters where 90% of the grapes are left whole-cluster. Fermentation is approached as more of an infusion process than that of extracting. So occasional pump-overs and a partial post-fermentation-maceration is carried out before pressing. It's then transferred to large format concrete and older 400L French oak barrels and aged on its fine lees for 11 months.

Notes of violets, cloves, and cracked peppercorns shine first; then emerges cassis, blueberries, black olives, licorice, and dried fynbos brush. Swanesang is full-bodied, concentrated, rich and velvety. It's seamless and long—just the complete package in a wine that's perfectly approachable yet capable of aging effortlessly for two decades or more. If there is ever a wine that can introduce you to the immense potential of South Africa, this is it.

# VAN HUNKS

## BRINGING THE FUN INTO CAP CLASSIQUE

| REGION       | VARIETALS                               | FARMING METHOD     | YEAST TYPE | WINE STYLE           |
|--------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|------------|----------------------|
| Stellenbosch | Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinotage (Rosé) | Practicing Organic | Champagne  | Minimal Intervention |

### FEATURED WINES



#### NONV VAN HUNKS BRUT STELLENBOSCH

70% Chardonnay and 30% Pinot Noir

Don't let the playful story of Van Hunks fool you, this wine is extremely good. It is richly textured and mouth-coating, with very fine bubbles. Notes of golden apple, honeysuckle, toasted brioche, pistachio, and almonds shine – and last for quite a while. The texture is spot-on, too.

The extended lees-aging gives a creaminess that coats the palate adding wonderful complexity far beyond the finish.

The wine is quite dry, coming in at 6.4 g/l RS. Entirely from vins clair (no press wine) and aged on the lees for 30 months.



# VAN HUNKS

## BRINGING THE FUN INTO CAP CLASSIQUE



### NON - ALCOHOLIC SPARKLING ROSE

Dealcoholized Chenin Blanc and Cabernet Sauvignon. Dosage with unfermented Chenin Blanc. No sugar added - nothing at all - just grapes.

For those moments when you'd love a glass of wine but still want to feel fresh the next morning, Van Hunks non-alcoholic will be your new favorite. Crafted with premium de-alcoholised base wine and a touch of unfermented organic grape juice, this exquisite non-alcoholic sparkling is perfect for those seeking a delicious NA option - at any occasion. Enjoy the luxury experience of sparkling wine, minus the alcohol.

This is, without a doubt, the best non-alcoholic wine I've ever tasted. It's beautifully textured and mouth-coating, with delicate, fine bubbles. You'll find notes of passion fruit, kiwi, lime zest, candied walnuts, and even a hint of salinity on the finish. Honestly, it drinks like a true sparkling wine—fruit-forward like a Prosecco but with the depth and complexity of a Champagne.