



SANDALFORD

WINEMAKERS

2021 Winemakers Classic White

Tasting Notes

The Story

The Winemakers Range is all about delivering quite simply the best Western Australian wine at the best price. These wines are typically a blend of both the Margaret River and Swan Valley regions. The riper, richer notes from the Swan Valley compliment the cooler climate, elegant and sophisticated characters from Margaret River. These wines are all about balance, harmony and drinkability without burning a hole in your purse or wallet! So go on, have a crack and let us know the outcome! As always, enjoy in moderation.

Grapes

A blend of Semillon, Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay and Chenin Blanc

Origin

Margaret River

Vintage

The 2021 vintage could be best described as challenging. A reflection of the wetter than average summer impacting picking decisions. Our Caversham and Wilyabrup vineyards however fared well and produced fresh, bright, flavoursome fruit to make wines from. Grapes were phenologically ripe at time of picking and harvested with an optimal balance of sugar and flavours. The resulting wines are fresh and display wonderful, bright varietal fruit characteristics.

Winemakers Blurb

The vineyard team were again out in the dark during February to harvest all of these magnificent grapes in the cool of night. Sandy then drove them to the winery. Greg tipped them into the crusher. Cyril pumped them through the chiller, into the press and the juice then went straight into a stainless-steel tank for fermentation. Four weeks later, hey presto, white wine! We did manage to clean up and filter this wine on the way to bottle.

Drinking Notes

This wine is all about the fruit – passionfruit, nashi pears and apples. There's citrus here as well – candied lemons and a bit of orange blossom. This wine has that drinkability factor – it's just one of those wines that you think you'll only have a glass, then the next thing you know the bottle is gone. Drink now – throw in an ice cube or two for the best results. Cheers to those relaxing afternoons!

Wine Analysis

Alcohol 12.0%

pH 3.25

TA 6.75 g/L

