

Beaumont New Baby White Blend

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: South Africa

REGION: Cape South Coast

APPELLATION: Bot River

CEPAGE: 60% Chenin Blanc, 25% Sauvignon Blanc, 15% Colombard

WINEMAKING: The vines are aged, with Chenin Blanc planted in 1974 and 1978, Sauvignon Blanc in 1983, and Colombard in 1988. The vineyard is situated at an elevation of 50 to 100 meters, with east and south-facing slopes composed of Bokkeveld shale soil. All grape varieties are naturally fermented separately in large 400L French oak barrels, 20% of which are new oak. The wine is blended shortly after harvest to allow for integration and matures in oak for 11 months before bottling the following year.

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 12.8%

AGING: Vinified sep in 400L French oak 20% new. Blended; 11 mo oak

THE STORY

Beaumont is a charming, family-run farm and winery situated in the quaint Overberg Village of Bot River. The farm is home to the region's oldest wine cellar and is steeped in history dating back to the 1700's. In 2004, Sebastian Beaumont, having honed his skills working in vineyards, took over the reins in the cellar and has continued to build the Beaumont reputation.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Complex and captivating

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Kiwi-fruit, pear and honey

MOUThFEEL: Textured

THE SELLING POINTS

AWARDS: 91pts James Suckling

SUSTAINABILITY: Certified Sustainable, Natural Fermentation

PAIRINGS: All ocean delicacies, including grilled lobster and scallops

