

A pioneer in the Wairau Valley, Grove Mill is dedicated to crafting premium wines with minimal environmental impact. The Southern Bell Frog, for which we have established a wetland beside our winery, is a symbol of our commitment to preserve our land for the enjoyment of future generations.

VINEYARDS

Wairau Valley Riesling, planted behind the Grove Mill Winery, indentified early for this style of botrytis. Riesling, due to an ideal combination of still mornings and dry, windy afternoons allow development of even and dry noble rot.

WINEMAKING

Fruit was selectively harvested and foot crushed then allowed to soak on skins for four days to intensify flavour before gentle pressing. Fermentation over one month in stainless steel was naturally stopped at 11% alcolhol, leaving a rich and luscious style of botrytis wine.

2017 BOTRYTIS RIESLING

A beautiful golden straw colour leads into a complex array of exotic mandarin, apricot and floral aromas. The palate of this botrytis Riesling is full bodied with flavours echoing the nose. The wine finished with an elegant and lengthy acidity.

COMPOSITION: 100% Riesling REGION: Wairau Valley, Marlborough AGING: 100% Stainless steel ALCOHOL: 11.5% PH: 3.68 TA: 8.0 g/L RS: 228 g/L