

# **FROMM Syrah Fromm Vineyard 2020**

### Viticulture

No herbicides, pesticides or systemic fungicides used. Only approved natural fertiliser applied. Vineyard certified organic (BioGro).

## Winemaking

Hand-picked between the 8<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of April. Destemmed and co-fermented on "wild" yeast with 3% Viognier, retaining a high portion of whole berries. Total time on skins 24 days. Matured for 24 months in used French oak barrels. One very light filtration prior bottling.

Wine facts Grape variety 97% Syrah and 3% Viognier

Bottled August 2022 under cork at FROMM Winery

Labelled and packed at FROMM Winery

Production 1086 bottles and 14 magnums

Cellaring potential 2036

Winemaker Hätsch Kalberer

Store 10° - 14° Enjoy 16° - 18°

Wine analysis Alcohol 13.0%

Total acidity 5.0 g/l pH 3.86

Residual sugar less than 1 g/l

### Winemaker's comments

2020 was an excellent vintage for Syrah. We selected 4 barrels to make up our "Single Vineyard" wine, predominantly from our original 1992 plantings, which showed an extra level of finesse and slightly finer and more persistent tannin support.

This understated, subtle and complex wine shows already excellent integration, combining dark berry fruit and spice aromas with lifted floral notes, typical for young cool-climate Syrah. Still somewhat shy in its youth, it has everything there to fully develop in the next few years into a graceful and expressive Syrah as we have seen from similar great vintage in the past.

## **Food match**

Beautiful with venison, wild game, beef, lamb, vegetarian dishes, cheese especially blue cheese, chocolate, raspberries and strawberries.

