

# ROSEBUD 2020

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Gabriëlskloof winery is in the Bot River ward, part of the greater Walker Bay region. Our winemaking philosophy is one of minimal intervention, only taking action where necessary. We believe this is the only way to give prominence to and reflect the terroir of the vineyards we work with.

### *About*

Rosebud is the little darling of our Estate Range (which also includes Sauvignon Blanc, Chenin Blanc, The Blend and Syrah).

### *Climate & Viticulture*

The 2020 vintage was about two weeks earlier than previous years. Cool conditions during harvest made for fresh, crisp wines.

### *Vinification*

The 2020 Rosebud consists of mostly Syrah (95%) with a dash of Viognier. These were co-fermented naturally in stainless steel tanks, racked and left to age for 4 months before bottling.

### *Tasting note*

Beautifully fresh and spicy with watermelon, papaya, white peach and hints of pink pepper on the nose. The palate is juicy and dry with a lingering freshness that will keep calling you back for more. Best enjoyed between 8°C and 10°C, within a year or two of vintage and perfect as an accompaniment to a variety of lighter dishes.

## TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	12.7 % volume
Residual sugar	1.1 g/l
Total Acid	5.3 g/l
pH	3.39



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