

DALFARRAS

Pinot Grigio 2021

Vintage	2021
Variety	100% Pinot Grigio
Alcohol	11.0%
TA	5.9 g/L
pH	3.40
Best Consumed	Now to 2026

Winemakers notes

This wine was crafted from 100% Pinot Grigio fruit. Grapes were picked and crushed during the cool of night to retain their fresh, varietal flavours. The juice was then divided into select parcels. Each parcel underwent a different treatment such as malolactic fermentation; fermentation and time with French oak; or spending an extended period on yeast lees. Each treatment resulted in an individually flavoured parcel of wine, and the unique character and personality of the final blend is a result of the special handling of these separate parcels.

Harvest notes

The growing season leading into vintage 2021 saw good rainfall which was close to 100% of the long term average. Although this presented challenges for the vineyard team the frequent rain days ensured the vines looked healthy and vibrant. The summer was cool to mild most likely a result of the La Nina effect. This meant slow and steady ripening, with most days being mid 20's in temperature rather than the mid 30's we often have in late summer and early autumn. The cool growing season saw slow and steady ripening across all varieties and excellent flavour development in the fruit. It promises to be a very good, and potentially excellent vintage.

Tasting Notes

This Pinot Grigio reflects the Italian style – light, fresh and floral with vibrant stone-fruits and a touch of spice.

Food Match

A wonderful accompaniment to char-grilled seafood or light salads.

About the Label..

"Nellie told me a wonderful story about something grazing her head while walking along the coast. Imagine her surprise to find it was a fish! Looking up she saw a sea hawk in a tree. Tried three times to return fish to bird. Each time it fell back to earth. Moving on she hoped the bird would reclaim it's dinner but, a runner came along, picked up the gasping fish, raced it to the water's edge, and it swam away."

Rosa Purbrick – Artist

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