

KAHURANGI ESTATE

# MT ARTHUR RESERVE RIESLING



## 2023 Harvest

**HARVEST DATE** 30 March 2023

Harvest 2023 was also a challenging season to start with. Variable fruit set and early disease pressure made it challenging work for our team out in the vineyards. It settled down with a dry, hot January, then February kicked in and was wet from start to end. March came along and the weather behaved until harvest time. We ended up with good quality fruit across all varieties and about average sized volumes. All in all, a very good year and some lovely wines to follow.

## VINEYARD

Single vineyard in the Moutere Hills region, planted with the oldest commercially grown Riesling vines in the South Island.

## SOIL

Predominantly Moutere Clay

## FERMENTATION / MATURATION

100% Stainless Steel.

## WINEMAKING ANALYSIS

Alc: 12.5% | RS: 9.0 g/L | TA: 10.5 g/L

## Tasting Notes

Gentle aromas of citrus, crisp Nashi with soft floral notes, the palate is tight and intense, showing flavours of lemon, green apple and honeysuckle.

## SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Try with sweet chilli Thai fish cakes, a creamy prawn cocktail or pork belly with apple sauce.

## CELLARING RECOMMENDATIONS

A stunning wine from a fabulous vintage, this off-dry beauty is drinking well now through to 2033.

## KAHURANGI MT ARTHUR RESERVE SERIES

Kahurangi Estate is named after the stunning Kahurangi National Park on our doorstep. Kahurangi is a Maori word with a number of translations, two being “treasured possession” and “precious jewel”.

The Mt Arthur Reserve Series showcases our premium ‘Reserve’ range of wines which stand out for their superior quality and structure.

