



WAIRAU RIVER

PINOT GRIS 2006

Marlborough's Wairau River is Maori for 'many waters', reflecting the intricate braided pattern the river has carved on its path to the Pacific Ocean. It is on these riverbanks that Phil and Chris Rose planted their first vines in 1978, thus starting a tradition of crafting world class wines which continues today. The river pattern also symbolizes the family roots with its interwoven strands moving together in the same direction.

Displaying classic quince and pear aromas, this dry wine has mouth filling aromatic spice flavours laced with hints of ripe pear. The wine is richly textured and luscious showing both excellent weight and length. Savour with spontaneity and deep belly laughs.

- Allan McWilliams, Winemaker

<i>Variety</i>	<i>100% Pinot Gris</i>
<i>pH</i>	<i>3.45</i>
<i>Residual Sugar</i>	<i>6g/l</i>
<i>TA</i>	<i>5.8</i>
<i>Brix at harvest</i>	<i>23.8</i>
<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>13.0%</i>
<i>Vineyard</i>	<i>Home Block</i>
<i>Vinification</i>	<i>95% Stainless Steel 5% Old French Oak</i>



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