



ESTABLISHED IN 1850 AS LANGHORNE CREEK'S FIRST WINERY, BLEASDALE VINEYARDS HAS OVER 170 YEARS OF GRAPEGROWING AND WINEMAKING HISTORY. BLEASDALE WINES EXPRESS DISTINCT REGIONAL AND VARIETAL CHARACTER – MODERN CLASSICS WITH RESPECT FOR TRADITION AND AN EYE TO THE FUTURE. AN ATTENTIVE BUT MINIMAL APPROACH RETAINS AROMATICS AND PRESERVES FRUIT INTEGRITY. BLEASDALE WINES OFFER AROMATIC INTENSITY, GENEROUS FRUIT AND COMPLEX FLAVORS WITH FRESHNESS AND VIBRANCY TO ENJOY IN ANY SETTING.



WINERY: BLEASDALE

WINE NAME: THE WILD PEAR SAUVIGNON BLANC / VERDELHO

VINTAGE: 2021

GRAPE: SAUVIGNON BLANC (54%) AND VERDELHO (46%)

ALC VOL: 11.5%

REGION: SOUTH AUSTRALIA

SUB REGION: LANGHORNE CREEK AND ADELAIDE HILLS

VINEYARD: ESTATE VINEYARD AND SPECIALIST GROWERS

SOIL TYPE: CLAY/LOAM

VINE AGE: 20-25 YEARS WITH A PORTION OF 90 YR OLD VERDELHO

IRRIGATION: YES

TRELLIS: SINGLE CORDON, SPUR PRUNED

ALTITUDE: 24M LANGHORNE CREEK /390-490M ADELAIDE HILLS

ASPECT: FLOODPLAIN LANGHORNE CREEK /

EAST + NE ADELAIDE HILLS

CLONE: VARIOUS

FERMENTATION: STAINLESS STEEL

TIME ON SKINS: 6-8 HOURS

FINISHING: UNFINED, VEGAN FRIENDLY

VESSEL: STAINLESS STEEL

WINEMAKER NOTES

NESTLED ALONGSIDE THE OLDEST VINES ON THE BLEASDALE ESTATE ARE THREE WILD PEAR TREES THAT HAVE BEEN THERE LONGER THAN ANYONE CAN REMEMBER. THESE OLD TREES HAVE MADE THEIR HOME ON THE NATURAL FLOODPLAINS OF THE BREMER RIVER, SHARING THE BENEFIT OF THIS RICH RESOURCE WITH THE 1930 BLOCK OF VERDELHO WHOSE GRAPES GO ON TO MAKE THIS WINE. A CRISP, FRESH DRY WINE DISPLAYING ATTRACTIVE FRUIT SALAD AROMAS WITH CITRUS AND TROPICAL FLAVORS. THE RICH TROPICAL FRUIT OF ADELAIDE HILLS SAUVIGNON BLANC COMPLEMENTS THE CITRUS FRESHNESS FROM LANGHORNE CREEK VERDELHO. A SPLASH OF RIESLING HELPS THE ACIDITY GIVING SOME 'ZIP' TO THE FINISH.