

# Groote Post The Old Mans Blend Red 2014

main variety Merlot vintage 2014

analysis alc: 14.0 | ph: 3.60 | rs: 2.1 | ta: 5.3

type Red producer Groote Post Vineyards

style Dry winemaker Lukas Wentzel

wine of Coastal Region

body Soft

## tasting notes

A down to earth, easy drinking soft and smooth blended red wine. White pepper, spice and raspberry are prominent on the nose with soft and ripe tannins giving an elegant finish.

#### blend information

50% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Shiraz, 10% Cabernet Franc

#### food suggestions

Roast leg of lamb and The Old Man's Blend Steak Roll.

### in the vineyard

With every new vintage we need to improve the quality of this red blend. The effort to produce beautiful ripe fruit and the selection therefore becomes a passion. Vines planted: 1995

Soil: Hutton/Oak leaf

Yield: 7 t/ha Irrigation: Dry land

Trellising: 5 wire extended moveable perold

Elevation: 400m

#### about the harvest

Each cultivar is picked at optimum ripeness.

### in the cellar

During winemaking the cultivars were kept apart and aged in third fill 300L French Oak barrels and in stainless steel tanks with staves. At 10 months the different components are blended after rigorous tasting sessions with our Old Man, Peter Pentz.