

THE TREE SERIES

By Bellingham



PEAR TREE CHENIN BLANC 2024



The PEAR TREE at the Bellingham Manor House is the oldest in South Africa, said to have been planted in 1710! It's a proud feature of the beloved garden of founding couple Bernard and Fredagh Podlashuk, and as home to many birds, it plays a part in the control of vineyard pests naturally.

WINE OF ORIGIN: Western Cape

BLEND: 100% Chenin Blanc

WINEMAKERS NOTES:

Harvested in the cool early mornings, and gently pressed upon arrival at the winery. The juice is lightly settled and cold fermented in stainless steel tanks that bring out the fresh tropical fruit that the varietal is best known for.

TASTING NOTES:

Delicately gold with youthful green glints and a burst of tropical pineapple, passion fruit and honey melon on the nose embellished with yellow peach and zesty nectarine and orange on the palate. An animated, interesting wine that is well balanced with an integrated finishing with freshness and lively fruity intrigue.

SERVING NOTES:

Best enjoyed within the first year or two of vintage when the fruit is at its most expressive. Serve chilled with or without food. Particularly recommended with sushi, Thai chicken wraps, caesar salad or crumbed calamari.

ANALYSIS:

RS: 4.0 g/l | Alc: 12,5% | TA: 6,0 g/l | pH: 3,5

