

LeoBuring

CLARE VALLEY DRY RIESLING 2023

Since 1945 Leo Buring has established a reputation as Australia's foremost maker of Riesling. At Leo Buring we only make Riesling. It is the grape variety that encapsulates everything we strive for: purity, elegance, time and place and the structure to age gracefully.

The 2023 Leo Buring Clare Valley Riesling displays pure lemon citrus fruit with underlying minerality, making it a perfect fresh compliment to clean vibrant dishes.

The back label contains the International Riesling Scale - a guide that helps Riesling aficionados determine the style of a particular Riesling.

WINEMAKER COMMENTS Marie Clay

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Good winter rainfall set up the vines well for the growing season, establishing healthy canopies protecting the Riesling fruit from sun exposure. Spring saw above average rainfall and cool conditions, delaying budburst and shoot growth, leading to a later than usual harvest. The ripening period was cool and whilst there was some disease pressure fruit was able to be harvested in good condition and at optimum flavour intensity with bright natural acidity.

WINEMAKING

Marie Clay

GRAPE VARIETY

Riesling

VINEYARD REGION

Clare Valley, approx. 70% Watervale & 30% Polish Hill River

COLOUR

Pale with vibrant green hues.

NOSE

Lively lemon and lime fruits heightened with notes of citrus blossom and mineral flecks. Great purity and aromatics.

PALATE

Pure and fresh with clean citrus zest fruit flavour and lemon sherbet, supported by mouth-watering mineral slate. Delicate yet powerful with a core of juicy citrus flavours running the length of the palate. Vibrant and salivating acid line drives the palate to a crisp finish. Classic Clare Riesling.

MATURATION

This wine was bottled immediately after blending to retain fruit freshness.

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

HARVEST DATE

6th to 18th March

pH

2.91

ACIDITY

7.8 g/L

ALCOHOL

11.5%

RESIDUAL SUGAR

3.8g/L

RELEASE DATE

July 2023

PEAK DRINKING

Drink in its youth or with 4-6 years of bottle age.

