

Koha

Sauvignon Blanc

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: New Zealand

REGION: Marlborough

APPELLATION: Marlborough

CEPAGE: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

WINEMAKING: The fruit was harvested in the cool of the morning and transferred to the winery. The individual blocks were fermented separately, mostly in temperature-controlled stainless-steel tanks, but 2% of the blend was barrel fermented.

AGING: Stainless-steel

ANNUAL PRODUCTION: 22,000 cases

THE STORY

The McDonald family have connections that go back to the Wairau Bar (north tip of the southern island on the coast of Marlborough) for 800 years. This strong sense of place is what the MacDonald family is about, it's build around history and family because they have never left this part of the world. The Koha is a small production range by te Pā Wines that reflects the quality of the Wairau Bar region.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Refreshing & aromatic

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Gooseberry, florals & citrus with hints of nettle, melon, guava and mineral notes

MOUTHFEEL: Vibrant & alluring

THE SELLING POINTS

Approachable New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc

AWARDS: 90pts CamDouglasMS.com

SUSTAINABILITY: Certified Sustainable, Vegan

PAIRINGS: Thai salads, fresh seafood, grilled fish

