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'The Cape Winelands' with Chris Bocking, Laithwaites Wines

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White Wines

STONECAST SAUVIGNON BLANC 2021(13.0%) Western Cape

An exciting South African Sauvignon from a winemaker, who's been making world-class Sauvignon at top estates for years and now crafts this fabulous crisp, elegant white. Pure, fresh, with ripe tropical fruit, citrus and asparagus hints. Aromas of Citrus - grapefruit, gooseberry, cut grass, wet stone

QUEEN BEE VIOGNIER 2022 (13%) Western Cape

A characterful Viognier with an enticing aroma, exotic fruit and freshness. It's a handcrafted, white from 'Ethical Winery of the Year' 2020 and 2021. Round, dry and elegantly fresh, vibrant tropical fruits, peach, pear. Aromas of plump apricots, succulent peach, notes of orange blossom

SPIER 21 GABLES CHENIN BLANC 2020 (14.5%) Cape Town WO

From one of South Africa's oldest wineries, 21 Gables is a showcase white, awarded 5 Platter stars and double Gold. It uses the Cape's top white grape grown in premium Stellenbosch and balances superb lemony intensity with creamy roundness. Rich and ripe peach, pear and apricot, honey, with vanilla spice. Aromas of dried apricots and ripe tropical fruit, with oak and vanilla

Red Wines

The Chocolate Block 2020 (14.5%) Western Cape

This Syrah dominated 2020 is brooding with succulent black fruits and mocha spice. Silky, fine-grained tannins, ripe dark fruits and elegant structure. Aromas of Intense blackberry and blueberry with layers of graphite and cocoa

EXCELSIOR HERITAGE RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2020 (14.5%) Western Cape

This is a fabulous Gold-medal red - a rich, Reserve Cabernet from the pick of the grapes. Dense cassis, plum and spice. Velvety ripe black fruit, rounded tannins, long spicy finish. Ripe blackcurrant, plum and sweet spice, dried herbs.

BELLEMORE THE HILLS COLLECTION PINOTAGE 2019 (14.5%) Stellenbosch WO

Pinotage is unique to South Africa, and this estate boasts some of the very first plantings in 1953. 60 years on, that outstanding quality continues in this premium silky red. Silky summer berries, plum and subtle vanilla oak spice. Aromas of fresh strawberries, raspberries, plum, hint of spice.

NB: When the term 'Wine of Origin' or the abbreviation 'WO' appears together with the name of a production area, such as Stellenbosch, on a label, it confirms that 100% of the grapes from which the wine is made, comes from that specific demarcated area.