



2022 IMPRESSION RED

SOFT, RICH, DARK FRUITED BARREL AGED BLEND OF MER/CAB SAUV/CAB FRANC

Dark black fruits, cassis and plum. Layered with elegant florals and bramble forest floor notes.

Soft, smooth & sleek on the entry with a juicy, rich, mid core of black fruits and a long, savoury, moreish finish.

Vintage

Warm from early Spring with frosts a rarity. The warm months continued into summer with February rains posing a challenge with disease pressure. The end of summer heading into Autumn brought warm, dry weather just in time for a more settled weather pattern for the reds to be picked.

Vineyards

Bridge Pa & Gravels

Winemaking

Hand picked in batches by varietal and destemmed with 100% whole berries

Cold soaked for 4-5 days and fermented in small open top fermenters 16 months in old French oak barrels. Individual Barrel selection to taste. Unfined and unfiltered.

33% Merlot, 33% Cabernet Sauvignon & 33% Cabernet Franc

pH 3.79 TA 5.5g/L Alc 13.5%v/v

Reviews

93/100 Camdouglassms.com Cameron Douglas - Master Sommelier

\$35.00

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Past Vintages -

Recommended Cellaring, drink on release or be rewarded with further cellaring 5-7+ years from date of vintage.

2021	<p>2021 Impression Red</p> <p>Vintage 2021 was another classic warm Hawke's Bay summer. Warm spring temperatures kick started the season early which continued into the summer resulting in a very early start to the harvest. Warm sunny settled weather with cool nights provided ideal ripening conditions for the Bordeaux Reds and no pressure to pick.</p> <p>Vineyards Bridge Pa & Gravels Hawke's Bay.</p> <p>pH 3.79 TA 5.5 Alc 13.5% v/v.</p> <p>Reviews 91/100 - The Real Review - Bob Campbell - Master of Wine</p>
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