

JONATA

BALLARD CANYON, SANTA YNEZ VALLEY

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2022 JONATA FLOR SAUVIGNON BLANC

“Flower”

WINEMAKER NOTES

Lemongrass, key lime, tarragon, mint and lemon bar. Remarkably rich and generous on the palate with a charming stone fruit element. Honeyed and also salty. Brings to mind preserved lemon rind. So expansive, but inherently green and glowing. Absolutely sparkles with vibration and luminous energy. Great horizontal push and expansion. Dusted with fine grained tannins and built around a core of bracing acidity that combine heroically to push the fruit further and further. An extrovert in 2022, but fair to say that this is still holding a number of cards close to the chest. There is a lot to discover and uncover here in the years to come. A recent revisit to the 2005 Flor gave us some eye-opening perspective on the ageing potential of our single sandy parcel sauvignon blanc.

- Winemaker, Matt Dees



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Cases: 500

Blend:

85% Sauvignon Blanc (cl. Musque)

15% Sémillon (cl. 2)

Alcohol: 14.4%

Appellation: Ballard Canyon, Santa Ynez Valley

Barrel Regime: 11 months in 1/3 new French oak, 1/3 neutral French oak and 1/3 stainless tank.

ACCOLADES

Not yet reviewed