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WO; Stellenbosch



Vintage Score best drinking

Sauvignon Blanc R

2008: pale, steely, clean and straightforward green fruits.

2008 85 2008-2016

2018: overt fruity nose with creamy lees hint, very pale and nicely flinty green bite in a lighter style.

2018 86 2018-2024

Nigma Sauvignon Blanc RR

2017: mid straw hue, chunky bright palate, with textured body weight, wooded but not obviously and staying fresh.

2017 87 2018-2026

Miravel Red R

2014: big and juicy, with full softish mouthfeel and lots of berry fruit. A touch 'hot' at 16% alcohol but pleasant and satisfying.

2014 85 2015-2024

Bin XIV Red R

2014: overt, sweet fruited nose, mid weighted with smooth and juicy accessibility, don't analyse, just enjoy.

2014 86 2015-2025

Merlot RR

2006	2006 85 2007-2017
NV: deep cherry hue, sweet oak nose, smooth red and dark fruit, spice hint, quite grippy and nicely hidden 15.5% alcohol.	NV 87 1-8 years

Petit Verdot RR

2015: mid depth, overt berry nose, leaf hint, good acid balance over pristine, soft and full blue fruits. Very classy.	2015 91 2017-2027
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Pinotage RR

2015: perfumed sweet vanilla and ripe squashed plums, dark blue berries and very dry. Very nice.	2015 87 2017-2026
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1952 Family Blend RR

2010: at age nine showing good colour and game with tomato leaf and tobacco nose, then rich berry fruit still, restrained, linear and distinguished, very nice.	2010 92 2012-2024
2015: classic nose with balanced and harmonious fruit and tannin, invisible 15.5% alcohol, clean cassis berries with good backbone throughout, still feels young at age four and will improve.	2015 92 2017-2030

Family Reserve 'Ella' Cabernet Sauvignon RRR

2005	2005 85 2006-2017
2006: mid depth, accessible and ripe fruited, nice perfume, classic dark fruit and cedar.	2006 87 2007-2018
2016: violet perfumed nose, some vanilla and cassis, wood hint then tight and firm structure, quite grippy	2016 92 2019-2030

yet so persistent, just needs time to show.
