

## SylvanVale Vineyards

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WO: Stellenbosch

*Vintage Score best drinking*

### Ghost Tree Sauvignon Blanc RR

**2011:** pale straw, lots of dry fig and granadilla  
but very light and finishes short.

**2011 78 2011-2016**

**2017:** mid straw depth, reserved nose, lemony  
stone fruit hint, some green notes but rather dull  
and brief.

**2017 84 2017-2025**

### Ghost Tree 3 Colours White RR

**2016:** tight and very dry, with stone fruit mellowness,  
rather brief.

**2016 83 2016-2023**

**2018:** pale depth, bright acid lemon drop punch,  
tangerine, with a savoury hint and a pleasant warmer  
finish.

**2018 86 2018-2024**

### Ghost Tree Gristle White RR

**2011:** on release in 2018! Nice development and  
still fresh and pure, peach and lanolin. Good fun.

**2011 87 2012-2020**

### Cape Blend (was Cabernet Sauvignon) Rosé R

**2009:** vibrant sheen, earthy dry nose, strawberry  
bite and clean easy fruit despite the nose.

**2009 81 2009-2016**

**2016:** freshly fruited red berry and strawberry hint  
with some grip, nicely dry but not thin.

**2016 83 2016-2024**

<b>2017:</b> sweet fruit nose, dry and tangy palate, the Shiraz, Pinotage and Merlot assisted by Chenin, remaining fleetfooted.	<b>2017</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2017-2024</b>
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## Ghost Tree 3 Colours Red RR

<b>2016:</b> medium depth, scented nose, dark fruited, a touch hot but nicely tactile.	<b>2016</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2017-2025</b>
<b>2017:</b> vibrant ruby colour and forward, juicy fruit. Bold and accessible, easy-drinking style with berry depths.	<b>2017</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>2018-2026</b>
<b>2018:</b> classic dark fruity nose, dusty tannins, sweet winter fruits and liquorice, soft and friendly.	<b>2018</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>2018-2027</b>

## Pinotage Reserve RR

<b>2005:</b> deep hue, spicy raspberry and mint nose then dry wood tannins and signs of fading fruit. Drink young.	<b>2005</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>2006-2015</b>
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## Family Reserve RR

<b>2005:</b> brick edges of development, stewed leafy nose, lean and mid weight fruit, great food wine of class but drink soonish.	<b>2005</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>2007-2016</b>
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