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2021 SINGLE VINEYARD BRACHETTO TRANQUILLO



2021 VINTAGE

Winter was wetter and warmer than the 25-year average, building up the water table, with spring being cooler than normal slowing down the vegetative cycle. These cooler temperatures persisted into summer with some abnormal drenching rains in January adding to the mild temperatures. February witnessed no rain to speak of setting up for a calm harvest.

VITICULTURE & WINEMAKING

Brachetto is an ancient Italian variety dating back to Roman times and is only planted in a few vineyards in Australia. We make a still wine that follows the traditional 'Tranquillo' method that helps showcase the vibrant strawberry and rose water flavours.

The sweetness of the wine is from natural fruit sugars that remain after we stop fermentation before the wine is completely dry. We are left with a delightfully still, dessert style wine that is a little lower in alcohol but still has a freshness on the finish.

TASTING

Pale pink in colour, this wine has aromas of candied strawberries and mandarin flowers. Delicate flavours of rose petals and strawberries carry through to the palate which finishes with citrus freshness.

PAIRING

Perfect after dinner with berries, fruit pies or soft cheeses.

TECHNICAL

VARIETALS: Brachetto

CLONES: H104

HARVEST: 12 March 2021

BAUME AT HARVEST: 13.2

pH AT HARVEST: 3.6

TA AT HARVEST: 6.4