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CABERNET SAUVIGNON

VINTAGE

2006

ORIGIN

Western Cape, Constantia

CLIMATE

Mediterranean – wonderful cool breezes coming from the Atlantic Ocean. With an average rainfall of 1100mm per annum.

SOIL TYPE

Hutton, Glenrosa and Cartref

VINIFICATION

The grapes were harvested at 2.5° Balling. Matured in small French oak barrels for 15 months, of which 40% were new and the balance made up of 2nd and 3rd fill barrels.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The wine shows cinnamon and cigar box on the nose, with hints of black currant and red cherries. The nose finishes with a hint of perfume, supplemented by the careful use of oak. Good flavour concentration on the palate is backed by firm tannins, and leaves a long elegant finish. The wine shows great fruit in its youth, but will definitely benefit from some ageing.

SERVING SUGGESTION

Thin slices of rare roast sirloin in a red wine sauce, or a Beef espatada.

WINEMAKER

Boela Gerber

ASSISTANT WINEMAKER

Michelle Rhodes

ANALYSIS

Alcohol	:	13,94%
T.A	:	6,0g/l
Ph	:	3.66
R.S	:	1,6g/l