

PROWEIN 2024

THEME TASTING

AFTERNOON SESSION 14:00-17:00



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- REGIONALITY SHOWCASING TERROIR

Regionality and terroir are fundamental concepts in the world of wine, shaping the distinct characteristics and flavours of each bottle. Terroir encompasses the unique combination of soil, climate, topography, and even human intervention in a specific geographic area, influencing the grapes' growth and ultimately the wine's flavour profile. Understanding and appreciating regionality allows wine enthusiasts to connect deeply with the land and culture where the grapes are cultivated, fostering a sense of place in every sip. For example, the limestone soils of Robertson yield Chardonnay wines with crisp acidity and delicate minerality, while the granitic soils of Stellenbosch impart rich, intense flavours to its Cabernet Sauvignons. By recognizing the importance of regionality and terroir, consumers can explore a vast array of wines, each with its own story to tell, and develop a deeper appreciation for the artistry and craftsmanship behind every bottle. This year, visitors to the Wines of South Africa, Discover Tasting Zone, can experience wines that speak to their true origin.

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CAP CLASSIQUE

Cap Classique, the term used for South African sparkling wine, represents a tradition of excellence and craftsmanship. Inspired by the Méthode Champenoise, this sparkling wine undergoes secondary fermentation in the bottle, fostering the development of fine bubbles and a complex, effervescent character. The Cape's unique terroir imparts distinctive flavours, showcasing a harmonious balance of crisp acidity and nuanced fruit notes. With its ability to celebrate both special occasions and everyday moments, Cap Classique has earned a well-deserved reputation as a symbol of South African sparkling wine excellence.

	WINE	YOUR NOTES
1	Alvi's Drift Brut Nature NV Alcohol 12.6% ABV RS 1.7 g/l TA 6.9 Chardonnay (100%)	
2	Simonsig Cuvée Royale 2017 Alcohol 12.3% ABV RS 3.16 g/l TA 6.4 Chardonnay (100%)	
3	Genevieve Brut 2019 Alcohol 12.5% ABV RS 3.5 g/l TA 6.2 Chardonnay (100%)	
4	Graham Beck Blanc de Blancs 2018 Alcohol 11.8% ABV RS 4.5 g/l TA 6.3 Chardonnay (100%)	
5	Saltare Brut Nature NV Alcohol 11.78% ABV RS 3 g/l TA 5.7 Chardonnay (50%); Pinot Noir (50%);	
6	Kleine Zalze Vintage Brut 2017 Alcohol 12% ABV RS 4.5 g/l TA 6.3 Chardonnay (60%); Pinot Noir (40%)	
7	Villiera Monro Brut 2017 Alcohol 12% ABV RS 5 g/l TA 7.2 Chardonnay (65%); Pinot Noir (35%)	
8	Domaine des Dieux Claudia Brut 2017 Alcohol 12% ABV RS 7.1 g/l TA 7.3 Chardonnay (80%); Pinot Noir (20%)	
9	Alvi's Drift Brut NV Alcohol 12.6% ABV RS 8.5 g/l TA 6.9 Chardonnay (70%); Pinot Noir (30%)	
10	Pongracz Brut NV Alcohol 12.3% ABV RS 9.06 g/l TA 6.23 Chardonnay (50%); Pinot Noir (50%)	
11	Pongracz Brut Rose NV Alcohol 12.3% ABV RS 8.3 g/l TA 6.09 Chardonnay (50%); Pinot Noir (50%)	
12	Domaine des Dieux Rose of Sharon Rosé 2013 Alcohol 12% ABV RS 8.8 g/l TA 8 Pinot Noir (60%); Chardonnay (40%)	



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CONSTANTIA – SAUVIGNON BLANC (AND BLENDS)

The Constantia Wine Route is the oldest New World wine region in the world. It's the terroir of Constantia that makes the wines so distinctive. The combination of 600 million year old soils, different aspects and steep elevations, cool climate with average temperatures between 15-21 degrees Celsius and close proximity to the ocean (between 4-12km away) with cold winds reducing temperatures further; it's this natural diversity in such a small area which gives Constantia an unusually high degree of complexity and breadth. Of the 437 hectares under vine in Constantia, almost half of this is Sauvignon Blanc. And for good reason, there is nowhere on planet earth where this noble grape presents quite as it does in Constantia. World class Sauvignon Blancs and Sauvignon Blends that show elegance, refinement and purity.

	WINE	YOUR NOTES
1	Eagles Nest Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.98g/l TA 7.14 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
2	Buitenverwachting Sauvignon Blanc 2022 Alcohol 12.74% ABV RS 6.6g/l TA 6.4 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
3	Constantia Glen Sauvignon Blanc 2022 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.1g/l TA 6.0 Sauvignon Blanc (98%); Semillon (2%)	
4	Groot Constantia Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Alcohol 13.55% ABV RS 2.2g/l TA 5.7 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
5	Klein Constantia Sauvignon Blanc 2022 Alcohol 13.69% ABV RS 2.3g/l TA 6.3 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
6	Steenberg Black Swan 2022 Alcohol 14.22% ABV RS 1.4g/l TA 6.2 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
7	Klein Constantia Metis 2020 Alcohol 14.21% ABV RS 2.4g/l TA 6.4 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
8	Constantia Royale Sauvignon Blanc 2022 Alcohol 14% ABV RS 3 g/l TA 5.9 Sauvignon Blanc (85%); Semillon (15%)	
9	Groot Constantia Gouverneurs Reserve 2021 Alcohol 13.22% ABV RS 2.2g/l TA 6.0 Sauvignon Blanc (61%), Semillon (39%)	
10	Beau Constantia PIERRE 2023 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.99g/l TA 6.04 Sauvignon Blanc (93%); Semillon (7%)	
11	Constantia Glen TWO 2021 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.6g/l TA 7.3 Sauvignon Blanc (73%); Semillon (27%)	
12	Steenberg Magna Carta 2021 Alcohol 14.38% ABV RS 2g/l TA 6.8 Sauvignon Blanc (70%); Semillon (30%)	

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ELGIN - CHARDONNAY

Surrounded by the Kogelberg Biosphere, a UNESCO World Heritage site renowned for its beauty, the Elgin Valley features a diverse landscape—from towering peaks to rolling hills—ideal for vines and apple orchards. Its high altitudes, cold winters, ample rainfall, and summer sea breezes and cloud cover nurture a slow ripening process, yielding wines of purity, complexity, and elegance. Since the late 1980s, Elgin has become a premium wine region, specializing in Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, and Sauvignon Blanc. With South Africa's coolest climate and unique terroir, Elgin produces elegant, complex, age-worthy wines that are consistently drawing accolades and attention to the area.

	WINE	YOUR NOTES
1	Thelema Sutherland Anna Chardonnay 2017 Alcohol 13.0% ABV 1.7g/l TA 6.1 Chardonnay (100%)	
2	Highlands Road Chardonnay 2020 Alcohol 14% ABV 4.7g/l TA 6.6 Chardonnay (100%)	
3	IDUN Callipyge 2020 Alcohol 13% ABV 2.2g/l TA 6.3 Chardonnay (100%)	
4	Almenkerk Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 13.5% ABV 2.0g/l TA 7.4 Chardonnay (100%)	
5	Boschendal Appellation Series Elgin Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 13.5% ABV 2.23g/l TA 6.06 Chardonnay (100%)	
6	Iona Elgin Highlands Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 12.8% ABV 1.9g/l TA 7.7 Chardonnay (100%)	
7	Lothian Vineyards Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 13.5% ABV 2.40g/l TA 7.0 Chardonnay (100%)	
8	Neil Ellis Whitehall Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 12.7% ABV 1.5g/l TA 6.7 Chardonnay (100%)	
9	Paul Cluver Estate Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 12.8% ABV 2.4g/l TA 7.38 Chardonnay (100%)	
10	Shannon Oscar Browne 2022 Alcohol 14.21% ABV 2.1g/l TA 6.7 Chardonnay (100%)	
11	Groenlandberg Chardonnay 2022 Alcohol 13.21% ABV 2.0g/l TA 7.3 Chardonnay (100%)	
12	Elgin Vintners Chardonnay 2023 Alcohol 13.5% ABV 2.0g/l TA 5.3 Chardonnay (100%);	



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STELLENBOSCH - OLD VINE PROJECT

Wines made from old vines are a phenomenon that have captured the attention of the wine world. Wines made from venerable old vines are a touching tribute to the grower's love of his or her land. Only in South Africa can producers certify their old vine vineyards under the auspices of the Old Vine Project (OVP), and are provided with a Certified Heritage Vineyards seal showing the planting date of the vineyard. Old vines have an inherent potential to produce brilliant wines with texture, complexity and a perceived freshness. Stellenbosch is synonymous with wine in South African and has 24% of old vines planted in the country, each lending their story to the rich texture of our wine industry.

	WINE	YOUR NOTES
1	Deux Frères Sauvignon Blanc 2021 Alcohol 12.5% ABV RS 2g/l TA 5.5 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
2	Jordan Wines Timepiece Sauvignon Blanc 2021 Alcohol 13.48% ABV RS 1.9g/l TA 5.2 Sauvignon Blanc (100%)	
3	Koelenhof Winery Chenin Blanc 2022 Alcohol 13.62% ABV RS 3.3g/l TA 6.6 Chenin Blanc (100%)	
4	Le Grand Domaine The Pledge Our Old Vine Chenin Blanc 2022 Alcohol 14% ABV RS 2.6g/l TA 5.86 Chenin Blanc (100%)	
5	Mulderbosch Single Vineyard Chenin Blanc Block W 2021 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.9g/l TA 5.4 Chenin Blanc (100%)	
6	Reyneke Wines Biodynamic Chenin Blanc 2023 Alcohol 12.99% ABV RS 1.6g/l TA 5.1 Chenin Blanc (100%)	
7	Roodekrantz Donkermaan Chenin Blanc 2022 Alcohol 12.45% ABV RS 1.9g/l TA 5.3 Chenin Blanc (100%);	
8	Simonsig Langbult Steen 2022 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 2.9g/l TA 6.8 Chenin Blanc (100%)	
9	Koelenhof Winery Pinotage 2021 Alcohol 15.74% ABV RS 3.8g/l TA 6.0 Pinotage (100%)	
10	Bellevue 1953 Pinotage 2019 Alcohol 13.34% ABV RS 2.4g/l TA 5.6 Pinotage (100%)	
11	Delheim Edelspatz Noble Late Harvest 2021 Alcohol 12 % ABV RS 205g/l TA 8 Riesling** (Weisser Riesling; Ryn Riesling; Rhine Riesling) (100%)	
12	De Wetshof Estate Bateleur Chardonnay 2021 Alcohol 13.22% ABV RS 2.4g/l TA 7.2 Chardonnay (100%)	

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STELLENBOSCH - CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Stellenbosch Cabernet Sauvignon encapsulates the very essence of the Stellenbosch wine region. Renowned for its exceptional terroir, the Stellenbosch Valley's unique combination of warm days and cool nights, coupled with well-drained soils, imparts distinctive characteristics to the Cabernet Sauvignon grapes. Stellenbosch Cabernet Sauvignon reflects the craftsmanship of local winemakers who artfully balance the varietal's inherent structure with a sense of elegance, creating wines that age gracefully and stand proudly on the international stage. A testament to the region's winemaking prowess, Stellenbosch Cabernet remains a favourite among wine enthusiasts seeking both depth and finesse in every sip.

	WINE	YOUR NOTES
1	Glenelly Lady May 2018 Alcohol 14.5% ABV RS 2.2g/l TA 5.86 Cabernet Sauvignon (85%); Cabernet Franc (6%); Petit Verdot (6%); Merlot (3%)	
2	Alto Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Alcohol 14.5% ABV RS 3.2g/l TA 5.9 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
3	Hartenberg Wine Estate The Mackenzie 2019 Alcohol 13.5% ABV RS 1.5g/l TA 6.1 Cabernet Sauvignon (97%); Cabernet Franc (3%)	
4	Kanonkop Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Alcohol 13.68% ABV RS 3.2g/l TA 6.1 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
5	Spier 21 Gables Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Alcohol 13.69% ABV RS 3.1g/l TA 5.4 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
6	Stellenzicht Tristone Cabernet Sauvignon 2019 Alcohol 13.78% ABV RS 2.53g/l TA 5.84 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
7	Simonsig Labyrinth Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 Alcohol 14.2% ABV RS 2.3g/l TA 6.2 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
8	Mooiplaas Tabakland Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 Alcohol 14.63% ABV RS 2.5g/l TA 5.6 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
9	Koelenhof 1679 Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 Alcohol 14.5% ABV RS 3.5g/l TA 6.2 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
10	Blaauwklippen Cabernet Sauvignon 2021 Alcohol 14.5% ABV RS 3.2g/l TA 5.8 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
11	Rust en Vrede Estate Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon 2021 Alcohol 13.83% ABV RS 1.6g/l TA 5.6 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	
12	Thelema Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 Alcohol 14% ABV RS 1.6g/l TA 6.2 Cabernet Sauvignon (100%)	

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