



ISLE OF BEAUTY ROSÉ 2020 MARLBOROUGH

VARIETIES	Field blend of multiple red and white varieties
VINEYARDS	Davinleigh, Murray Downs, Hagen & Brookby Hill
SUB REGION	Southern Valleys
SOIL TYPE	Windblown loess over clay
PH	3.33
TA	7.1 g/l
RS	1.3 g/l
ALCOHOL	12.5%

Isle of Beauty is the evocative name given to the French island of Corsica, located in the Mediterranean Sea. This is where winemaker David Clouston learnt his craft and became passionate about rosé.

Winemaker: David Clouston

HARVEST & WINEMAKING:

A prolonged Indian summer with cool nights, typical of Marlborough, led to expressive wines with great natural acidity. The season produced pristine fruit with beautifully ripe flavours. Treated as a white wine in the winery this rosé was pressed off skins early, fermented cold and then aged for 10 weeks in stainless steel and concrete egg tanks to accentuate complexity and minerality.

TASTING NOTES:

Pale salmon in colour, this Mediterranean style rosé is savoury with fresh sea breeze aromas of Himalayan salt and green peppercorn, overlaying nuances of cranberry and Honeydew melon. The zesty palate exudes mandarin, white peach, grapefruit and blackcurrant with touches of spice and wet stone. This elegant rosé is perfectly poised with grainy tension, delivering a briny fresh, vibrant and dry finish.

