



## PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: Allan Scott  
Winemaker: Josh Scott /Bruce Abbott  
Total acreage under vine: 200  
Estate founded: 1990  
Winery production: 500,000 Bottles  
Region: Marlborough  
Country: New Zealand

## Allan Scott Sauvignon Blanc 2020

### WINE DESCRIPTION

Allan Scott Family Winemakers vineyards are largely planted on the stony, free draining mid-Wairau Valley river flats. The vineyards are sustainably managed and with the care given during the growing season to produce some of the world's greatest Sauvignon Blanc wines. The wines tend to be beautifully structured, with lighter aromatics than expected off the heavier clay soils of the lower Wairau plain.

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### TASTING NOTES

Fresh, zesty, juicy and full, this fruit driven new world style wine will excite the senses without the racy overload. Tropical fruit with a fresh herbaceous character balanced with zesty passionfruit and a dry finish, this wine will take you straight back to the warmer summer days.

### FOOD PAIRING

Always sensational with fresh Marlborough seafood, or try with all types of Pacific Rim fare.

### VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

|                                |                            |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Vineyard name:                 | Millstone/Omaka/ Moorlands |
| Vineyard size:                 | 83                         |
| Soil composition:              | Gravel and Silty-Loam      |
| Training method:               | VSP Cane-pruned            |
| Elevation:                     | 80 feet                    |
| Vines/acre:                    | 808                        |
| Yield/acre:                    | 7 tons                     |
| Exposure:                      | Full Exposure              |
| Year vineyard planted:         | 1985                       |
| Harvest time:                  | April                      |
| First vintage of this wine:    | 1989                       |
| Bottles produced of this wine: | 500,000                    |
| Average Wine Age:              | 30                         |
| Sustainability Certification:  | SWMP                       |

### WINEMAKING & AGING

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Varietal composition:             | 100% Sauvignon Blanc  |
| Fermentation container:           | Stainless steel tanks |
| Length of alcoholic fermentation: | 16 days               |
| Fermentation temperature:         | 55 °F                 |
| Malolactic fermentation:          | None                  |
| Fining agent:                     | Vegan                 |
| Type of aging container:          | Stainless steel tanks |
| Length of bottle aging:           | 1 month               |
| Total SO <sub>2</sub> :           | 78 mg/L               |

### ANALYTICAL DATA

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Alcohol:        | 12%     |
| pH level:       | 3.3     |
| Residual sugar: | 4 g/L   |
| Acidity:        | 8.4 g/L |