

2018 The Wrekin Vineyard Chenin Blanc

Astrolabe, Marlborough, New Zealand

Product details

Vintage: 2018 Drinking: Producer: Astrolabe Alcohol:

Region: Marlborough **Variety:** Chenin blanc

Country: New Zealand

Tasting notes

"The chenin blanc is partially barrel fermented with wild yeast for complexity and with the remainder in stainless steel to preserve the fruit flavours. All fruit is free-run to retain purity. I love the Chenin grape because of its distinct flavour profile, the ability of the wine to age with interest and grace and the crisp acidity."

Simon Waghorn, Winemaker

About the producer

Named after a 19th-century explorer's ship, Astrolabe is Simon and Jane Waghorn's voyage into winemaking exploration in New Zealand's Marlborough region and is now 100% family-owned. The family-owned estate is rightly celebrated for wines that express the variety of their soil and the nuances of their terroir: from the Wairau and Awatere Valleys to the Kekerengu Coast. Astrolabe wines reflect the Waghorn's innovative treatment of specific parcels and winemaking process to capture undiscovered qualities of individual grape varieties, resulting in some of the most pure and elegant wines from the region.

