

## BROOKFIELDS 'Robertson' Pinot Gris 2017



Category: WINE

Style: WHITE WINE

Variety: PINOT GRIS

Region: HAWKES BAY

Vintage: 2017

Volume: 750ml

Vineyard: All the grapes come from Ohiti Estate, which is

situated in an inland heat trap on the bed of the old Ngaruroro River. Trained on classical VSP trellis system, on arid alluvial soils, the Pinot Gris ripens well, producing clean fruit with full flavours, good extract, and moderate acid. The 2017 growing season was hot and dry, hence the flavour development is

concentrated.

Vinification: On arrival at the winery on the 28th March, the fruit

was pressed as soon as possible. The skin of Pinot Gris is coloured and will tint the wine. The free run was kept separate from the pressings. After overnight cold settling, the clear juice was inoculated with an aromatic yeast strain, and fermented at cool temperatures. Following completion of fermentation, the wine remained on its gross lees for texture and

flavour enhancement, with weekly lees stirring.

**Appearance:** Enticing pale straw colour

Palate: The 2017 Robertson Pinot Gris exhibits good colour

and weight. Fresh and fragrant, it is rich in Nashi Pear, with ginger, honey and spice. Vibrant with a splash of residual sugar, the 2017 Robertson Pinot Gris is the perfect accompaniment to Risotto and Pasta dishes.

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Cellaring: 6 years

**Technical Analysis:** 

Alcohol: 13.50% pH: 3.38

Residual Sugar: 7g/L Packaging: 1 x 750ml

Titratable Acidity: 6.1g/L Hancocks Product: 14634