



# CLEARVIEW

ESTATE WINERY

## Reserve Syrah



PLEASE NOTE: Generic bottle image, not vintage specific

The 2013 is only our second Reserve Syrah to be released, and our first using grapes from the Havelock Hills.

Hawke's Bay has become renowned as one of the top regions for Syrah, with flavours and a style unique to its terroir. This wine is no exception, made with selectively picked fruit. Matured in seasoned oak barriques, it exhibits fragrant violets, highly concentrated blackberry, spice and a hint of blackpepper, with a seasoning of finely textured smoky oak.

### ACCOLADES

The previous 2009 vintage received a five star rating from WINESTATE magazine

### WINEMAKING NOTES

Our Reserve Syrah is only released in vintages when the fruit and the resulting wine are of superb quality.

Fermented in an open top vat with regular hand plunging the wine was inoculated with a selected strain of Syrah yeast that helps retain aromatic components. The wine then underwent extended maceration for up to 4 weeks to extract all the wonderful tannins, then matured in seasoned oak barrels. The final wine was fined with free range egg whites prior to bottling.

Drink now or cellar through to 2020.

### FOOD SUGGESTION

Duck confit or spicy red meat dishes

### TECHNICAL NOTES

<i>Vintage</i>	2013	<i>Alc/vol</i>	13.5%
<i>Region</i>	Hawke's Bay	<i>TA</i>	6.1
<i>Sub-region</i>	Havelock Hills	<i>Res Sugar</i>	<1g/L
		<i>p/H</i>	3.65