

Te MATA

ESTATE 1896

2024 ESTATE SAUVIGNON BLANC HAWKE'S BAY

WINERY

Established in 1896, Te Mata Estate remains family owned, producing internationally recognized wines exclusively from its Hawke's Bay vineyards, located on New Zealand's North Island. Te Mata Estate is home to New Zealand's oldest vineyards and wine cellars with 130 years of continuous wine production. The Buck family were drawn to the estate in 1974 and today, the family continues their pursuit of delivering internationally acclaimed, estate-grown wines of classical style, which represent the best qualities of their variety, vintage and vineyard.

WINE

Sourced exclusively from Te Mata's estate vineyards. The estate wines represent the best qualities of their variety, vintage, and Hawke's Bay origin.

Hawke's Bay's warm climate and free draining soils produce sauvignon blanc with ripe fruit characters, balanced by fresh acidity.

VINEYARDS

The grapes for the 2024 Estate Sauvignon Blanc were harvested between March 5th through 14th from Te Mata Estate's own vineyards in the Bridge Pā Triangle, Dartmoor and Havelock Hills sub-region of Hawke's Bay.

VINTAGE NOTES

2024 was exceptional but small. After flowering and fruit set, the ripening conditions were fantastic. With the vines carrying less fruit, the remaining clusters had real vibrancy, fruit expression and deep concentration and complexity.

WINEMAKING

With Sauvignon Blanc grapes of such quality, minimal winemaking means the finer aromatics and flavors are preserved. At the winery, the grapes were chilled, gently pressed, and the juice cold-settled before fermentation in stainless steel tanks.

TASTING NOTES

Pale citrine with golden highlights, the Estate Sauvignon Blanc 2024 makes an immediate impression on the nose, bursting with notes of lemon verbena, passionfruit, white peach, guava, and fresh lime zest. Layers of lemongrass, sea salt, and a hint of cream soda add complexity. The palate is vibrant and textured—long, balanced, and dry—yet rich in concentration. Expressive and energetic, it finishes with a mouthwatering appeal that invites another sip.



VINEYARD

Region:	New Zealand
Appellation:	Hawke's Bay
Soil:	Silty loam soils with gravel deposits
Eco-Practices:	Sustainable; Regenerative Farming Practices

WINEMAKING

Varietals:	100% Sauvignon Blanc
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TECHNICAL DETAILS

Alcohol:	13%
Total Acidity:	6.7 g/L
pH:	3.42
RS:	Dry