

MURDOCH JAMES

M a r t i n b o r o u g h

Murdoch James wines are named in memory of founder Roger Fraser's father. Today, Roger's son Carl Fraser is winemaker, and the people at Murdoch James Estate are committed to producing smooth textured wines with flavours that build on the palate.

MURDOCH JAMES BLUE ROCK RIESLING 2011

REGION

Grown on the lime-rich soils of the Blue Rock vineyard, Martinborough, New Zealand.

VARIETY

Riesling 100%

VINIFICATION

Made from grapes grown in the limestone-based soils of Blue Rock Vineyard in Martinborough, the grapes were hand harvested and whole bunch pressed for extended periods to create a range of delicate flavours. A refrigerated tank was used to cool and slow the ferment and retain a wide range of delicate aromatics.

STYLE

Low alcohol and Dry.

Fresh and mineral on the nose, with juicy aromas of grapefruit and fresh lime, this cool climate Riesling from lime-stone rich soils has plenty of ripe fruit concentration on the nose that transfers on to the palate. Balanced by a zingy, zesty mouth-watering acidity, this is a perfect wine for sitting on the deck with friends on a cool, calm evening.

CELLARING

Good development through to 2020

TECHNICAL NOTES

Winemaker	Carl Fraser
Bottled	February 2nd 2012
Alcohol	10.5%
PH	2.7 g/L
Packaging	12 x 750ml stand-up
Closure	Screw cap

