Owen Roe Estate

2024 Pinot Gris Folly of Man Vineyard
Eola Amity

After Jean and David Beck retired their Crawford Beck Vineyard was delivered to the caring and capable hands of Tracy and Aaron Kendall who renamed it Folly of Man.

The site delivered some of the most balanced fruit that I have seen in 20 years. The growing season opened with early budbreak and then cooler spring and quite cool September temperatures bookended a warm but not overly hot summer.

This wine with unctuous texture and vibrant perfume is rich with persistent tropical notes and a lingering mineral laden finish. Even with the richness and ripe fruit at harvest we have been astounded by the almost extreme acidity and low pH – harbingers of an age-worthy and balanced white wine!

Technical Information

100 % whole cluster pressed and a long cool stainless steel fermentation to preserve the delicate fruit perfume and freshness of this lovely Pinot Gris. Only 300 cases produced.

Harvest Date: September 24

Alcohol 13% pH 2.98 TA 7.7 g/L