# 2023 Billy Button "The Demure" Pinot Blanc



Pinot Blanc originates from the Alsace region of France and is also extensively grown in North-eastern Italy where it is known as Pinot Bianco. It is a colour mutation of Pinot Gris first reported in Burgundy in the late 1890's. Pinot Blanc is exceedingly rare in Australia and only one small parcel is grown in the Alpine Valleys at the Mulcahy Vineyard at the foot of Mount Buffalo in Porepunkah.

#### Vintage Snapshot

A cool season has produced a delicate wine with wonderful natural acidity and pristine varietal characters.

## **Production Notes**

Once pressed, settled and racked, the fermentation was undertaken with a selected strain of complexing yeast that respects the inherent fruit profile of the grapes. The wine was matured in tank with its yeast lees until clarification just prior to bottling in June 2023.

## **Tasting Note**

Colour: Pale with a light green hueNose: Intensely floral, spring bulbs and white flowersPalate: Delightful and delicate. Stone fruit and floral flavours paired with lively acid

## **Technical details**

Vineyard:Mulcahy Vineyard, PorepunkahRegion:Alpine ValleysAlcohol:13%Winemakers:Glenn James, Melissa Fettke and Jo Marsh

