

# Bream Creek Vineyard

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Bream Creek Vineyard is one of the pioneers of the modern Tasmanian wine industry. Our 7.5ha vineyard at Marion Bay in the south-east of Tasmania was originally planted in 1974, making it one of the oldest commercial vineyards on the island. Fred Peacock purchased the vineyard in 1990 and expanded the Pinot Noir and Chardonnay plantings, as well as introducing Sauvignon Blanc. Fred also planted what was arguably the first commercial planting of the rare German grape variety Schönburger in the southern hemisphere. Since 1990 our premium cool climate wine has been rewarded with 61 trophies and more than 1,150 show medals.

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## 2023 Bream Creek Vineyard Late Picked



### ***Tasting Note***

Vintage 2023 was similar to Vintage 2022, with a later than usual start. The impact of the *La Nina* weather pattern resulted in very modest yields, due to the lower bunch and berry sizes. The upside is that this lower quantity has resulted in excellent quality across all wine styles.

This limited release dessert wine – made from equal parts of the extremely rare German Schönburger grape and Riesling from our ‘Old Vine’ block planted in 1974 – shows delicious aromas of lime marmalade, poached nectarine and crystallised ginger. The palate is smooth and elegant, with lime sorbet, lemon shortbread and grapefruit granita flavours matched with a clean and refreshing finish. Well balanced, this versatile dessert wine can match soft cheeses or decadent desserts with equal aplomb!

### ***Awards and Reviews***

*“The wine is delicious! A riot of floral, tropical and citrus tones with an unctuous yet crisply driven form. Great stuff, if you are after a lighter style of dessert wine.”* 93 points Dave Brookes (Halliday Wine Companion) February 2024

Alc/Vol 9.0% // 375ml bottle

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