



ROSILY
VINEYARD
MARGARET RIVER

2013 The Cartographer

(Cabernet Sauvignon / Cabernet Franc / Merlot / Petit Verdot)

The Domaine

Rosily Vineyard is situated on Yelverton Road in the Willyabrup sub region of Margaret River. The total vineyard size is 12.27 hectares. Only fruit from this vineyard is used in the production of our wines. The wines are all made at the winery constructed on the property in the year 2000.

History

Rosily Vineyard is named after Vice-Admiral Count François-Étienne de Rosily-Mesros (1748-1832), a French Navigator and Cartographer, who was intimately involved in the ongoing French explorations of Western Australia during the late 18th and early 19th centuries.

Rosily was an ensign on the 'Gros Ventre' commanded by Louis de St. Alouarn in 1772.

The 'Gros Ventre' chartered the south west coast of Australia at Cape Leeuwin, where Rosily made the first, but very accurate survey of Flinders Bay. They then sailed north to Dirk Hartog Island, where St. Alouarn formally annexed Western Australia for France.

The Blend

2013 Blend: Cabernet Sauvignon 48%, Cabernet Franc 25%, Merlot 20%, Petit Verdot 7%

Tasting Notes

Appearance: Clear, bright, deep ruby red with a slight purple hue.

Nose: Fresh mix of red berries, spice and lightly toasted oak.

Palate: It displays red currant, herbal, plum and black olive flavours with a vibrant, rich finish. The quality of the 2013 vintage will ensure this wine will cellar for seven to eight years from the release date (01/12/17)

Production History

Average Production (over 14 years) – 763 cases
2013 Production – 250 cases

Winemaker

Mick Scott

Viticulturalist

Sam Castleden

Show History

2012 Vintage – Gold Medal 2016 Winewise Small Vignerons Show
2010 Vintage – Silver Medal 2014 Margaret River Wine Show, Silver Medal
2013 Margaret River Wine Show, Silver Medal
2012 Qantas WA Wine Show
2007 Vintage – Silver Medal 2010 Boutique Winemakers Show

