

## **MOUNT RILEY ORGANIC MARLBOROUGH SAUVIGNON BLANC 2022**

### **WINEMAKERS NOTES:**

From estate grown fruit sourced from our Paynters Road Vineyard in the Southern Valleys subregion of Marlborough. Older clay soils derived from glacial outwash hold moisture late into the growing season and allow us to manage under-vine competition via mowing rather than cultivation. Modest crops and open canopies promote full ripening and a citrus driven fruit profile. This is our first release from our fully organically certified vineyard and one we're rather proud of. Enjoy!

### **TASTING NOTES:**

- Colour*      Light straw with green hues.
- Bouquet*      Complex aromas of citrus, gooseberries and crushed herbs with a touch of tropical passionfruit.
- Palate*        Weighty mouthfeel with intense although refined flavours finishing with fine acidity.
- Drink*         Drinking well now; this wine can be enjoyed until late 2025. Great as an aperitif or match with seafood, smoked fish, fresh salads or chargrilled vegetables.

### **TECHNICAL INFORMATION:**

Grape variety: 100% Sauvignon Blanc  
Origin: Marlborough, NZ  
Alcohol: 13.5%  
RS: 1.5 g/L  
TA: 6.7 g/L

