

# KAHURANGI E S T A T E



## DRY RIESLING 2016

Kahurangi Estate is a family owned boutique winery specialising in hand-made wines. The vineyard was first planted in 1973 and has the oldest commercial vines in the south Island.

Kahurangi is a Maori word with a number of translations, two being "treasured possession" and "precious jewel". The logo is a stylised reproduction of the Nikau palm, which proliferates in the valleys and west coast beaches of the Kahurangi National Park. The Nikau palm was a treasured source of food and flax to the indigenous Maori tribes in the South Island.



### Winemaker's Notes

Vineyard	Home vineyard on Moutere Clay. The oldest commercial vineyard in the South Island
Soil	Moutere Clay.
Vintage Conditions	A hot Summer provided the base for an early vintage. Rain just prior slowed ripening down somewhat but good fruit characters developed in the picked fruit.

Harvest Date	10th April 2016
Alcohol	12%
Residual sugar	3.0 g/L
Total Acidity	9.8 g/L

### Tasting Notes

This wine displays classic citrus characters, made from the oldest Riesling vines in the South Island. Lime and a hint of green apple with good minerality on the palate will provide a solid base for further bottle aging.

Cellar	A wine which will cellar well up until 2022
Serving Suggestions	A lovely food wine which goes well with most cheese or fish dishes.
Accolades	

Treasured Possession

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