

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 36 trophies and more than 900 show medals.

## 2018 Bream Creek 'Old Vine' Reserve Riesling



## Tasting Note

Vintage 2018 will be remembered as one of the earliest, quickest and largest vintages to date. The quality if grapes received was excellent, with the warm weather during vintage allowing us to harvest at optimal flavour ripeness.

We are the proud custodians of probably the oldest commercial Riesling block in Tasmania, planted in 1974. In excellent vintages we make a special Reserve Riesling solely from fruit from these old vines. It is a powerful and bold wine, with a fragrant nose of citrus and mineral characters flowing onto a lengthy palate of lemon and lime juice, as well as a hint of grapefruit. It is simply delicious now, yet can be cellared with absolute confidence.

## Awards and Reviews

Gold Medal 2019 AWC Vienna International Wine Competition Gold Medal Class 104 2019 Cowra Wine Show Gold Medal 2019 Berliner Wein Trophy Competition Gold Medal 2019 Asia Wine Trophy Competition Gold Medal 2019 China Wine & Spirit Awards "Loads of energy to the palate, lemon zest and essence. A delicious riesling in a terrific place. Amazing length." 96 points Nick Butler (www.therealreview.com) 15/2/2020 96 points 2020 James Halliday Wine Companion 96 points Huon Hooke (www.huonhooke.com / The Real Review) 14/01/2020 4 stars and top of category Winestate Magazine (July/August 2019) (Yarra Valley, Southern Victoria and Tasmania Tasting)

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