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CRFT 2021 Grüner Veltliner

The Arranmore Vineyard - Piccadilly Valley

Made by wife-and-husband winemakers Candice Helbig and Frewin Ries,
CRFT Wines specialises in small-batch, single-vineyard wines.

'Arranmore' is our organic vineyard, winery and home in the Adelaide Hills - all wines produced from this estate are NASAA Certified Organic from the 2019 vintage onwards.

Each CRFT wine is made with grapes picked from a single vineyard, and every bottle expresses the individualism of that one specific location, an untarnished sample of soil and season.



The Wine

STYLE: DRY & TEXTURAL

Perfumed with floral notes of rose petal and blossoms then fresh ripe stone fruit. Classic Gruner flavours of canned peach, fresh dill, and a rich and creamy mouthfeel.

Drinking beautifully at release and will continue to develop with bottle age.

Cellar 5 years, possibly beyond.

Serving temp 9-11C, serve cooler in hot weather.

Alcohol - 13.5% alc/vol

Sugar/GF - Dry/<0.1g/L

RRP - \$31

Release - 7th October 2021

The Winemaking

Hand-made at CRFT winery in Carey Gully.

100% NASAA Certified Organic Piccadilly Valley Grüner Veltliner.

Harvested 26th March 2021. Hand-picked.

50% whole-bunch pressed to tank, the remaining fruit destemmed and left to skin contact for a limited time prior to pressing.

Both batches then blended together for wild fermentation on full solids.

Fermented cool and slow in stainless steel. Part way through tank fermentation a portion was transferred to older neutral French oak for barrel fermentation followed by time on lees, with the aim to build texture and complexity without picking up oak flavour.

Occasional lees stirring in tank and oak, with partial malo-lactic fermentation.

Bottled July 2021. Vegan friendly.

The Vineyard

The Arranmore Vineyard has been farmed organically since Frewin & Candice took ownership in January 2016 and is now NASAA Certified Organic (February 2019). Estate-owned, managed and farmed, the 5-acre Arranmore Vineyard planted from 1995-1998, is situated at Carey Gully in the Piccadilly Valley (Adelaide Hills). The 2021 vintage Grüner was dry grown.

Elevation: 545 meters
Aspect: East facing
Planted: 1995-1998
Map: -34.969564, 138.760102

Soil: Rich dark loam topsoil over a clay subsoil with shale and ironstone bedrock.

