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# CRFT 2021 Grüner Veltliner

## The Longview Vineyard - Macclesfield

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

Each 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.

We source fruit from a handful of vineyards across the Adelaide Hills and Barossa Valley, including our own NASAA Certified Organic Adelaide Hills estate - named Arranmore.



### The Wine

STYLE: DRY & TEXTURAL

Classic flavours with celery, white pepper and kiwi fruit. It hints at umami and grilled cheese with plenty of pear and a textural mid palate.

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 - 7<sup>th</sup> October 2021

### The Winemaking

Hand-made at CRFT winery in Carey Gully.

Harvested 1st 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

Brothers and Longview Vineyard owners Peter and Mark Saturno together with Vineyard Manager Chris Mein grow our Longview Vineyard Grüner Veltliner at Macclesfield, Adelaide Hills.

Elevation: 300 to 320m  
Aspect: South facing steep slope  
Planted: 2011  
Clones: Iby, HHW2  
Map: -35.192097, 138.821556

Soil: Rocky, scattered with ironstone and quartz.  
Fine silt and sandy loam topsoil, dense clay and loam subsoil.