

Johanneshof Cellars 2010 Methode Traditionnelle Brut NEW DAWN Rosé





Johanneshof Cellars Methode Traditionnelle New Dawn is a Rosé, solely made from hand harvested Marlborough Pinot Noir. Fermented and aged in French oak barrels 20 metres deep in our underground cellar, the wine undergoes the secondary fermentation in the bottle. It stays on its lees for a minimum of two years until we transfer each bottle to the French riddling racks to turn it by hand every day for several weeks before removing the yeast by disgorging it on site.

New Dawn features the classic salmon colour of a traditional Methode Traditionnelle rose. The bouquet of strawberry is attractively biscuity. Strawberry and apple flavours persist on the palate with yeasty, toasty characters, culminating in a creamy finish.

This wine was first created in 2010 to support our local Cancer Society to support and assist people affected by cancer in Marlborough. As they go into survivorship, the new life they have been given, will be like a New Dawn.

"Fully developed bouquet with aromas of strawberry and peach, a little plum and red apple. The autolysis is bold thread through the nose with a brioche and nutlike suggestion. Dry, full-bodied and distinctive on the palate with flavours more reflective of red apple then strawberry and peach tea. Fine mousse and satin texture. Lengthy finish, balanced and well made. A love wine. Drink now and through 2024." Cameron Douglas, Master Sommelier – April 2018 - 93 / 100 points

"Made from pinot noir, it was tiraged 18 March 2011 and the wine was matured on lees for 6 1/2 years. A charming rosé, the bouquet shows floral, citrus, yeast and a hint of red cherry notes. It's vibrant and crisp on the palate with delicate flavours and a fine, lengthy finish."

Sam Kim - Wine Orbit, March 2013 88 / 100 points, 4 stars

Technical Data 100% Marlborough fruit, hand harvested

100% Pinot Noir Residual sugar: 10g/l Total Acidity: 10g/l Tirage date: March 2011

Disgorged March 2018, to be continued in small batches "Recently Disgorged"



