



The story of the wine ...

2013 Lethbridge Pinot Gris

Winemaking Description: This wine is made from Pinot Gris fruit from the Bellarine Peninsula. The fruit was handpicked and whole bunch pressed using an airbag press with careful oxidative juice handling. Juice was then transferred to 100% French barrels without prior clarification. Fermentation was by indigenous yeast on full solids. The wine was settled and matured in older, large-volume barrels on gross lees prior to blending and bottling.

Tasting Notes: Made in a complex, Alsacian style, this wine exhibits an attractive blend of delicate pear, blossom and citrus aromas that are complimented by honey, almond and funky toast on the palate. The wine is well balanced, showing depth of flavour and good palate weight with a silky texture. Drinks well now or will develop greater complexity over the next 2-3 years.

Vintage:	2013
Other vintages:	2001, 2004, 2006, 2008 - 2012
Grape variety:	Pinot Gris
Vineyards:	Payne Vineyard
Bottled:	July 2013
Alcohol:	13%
Cellar potential:	1-3 Years
Cellar door prices:	\$30