

BEAUMONT FAMILY WINES CHENIN BLANC



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Made from 100% Bot River fruit. Beaumont is situated on the western side of the Bot River Valley, 5 miles from the ocean. The property surrounds the town of Bot River. The vineyards are planted on ancient shale soils with beautiful gravely top soils that have a heavy clay base and are great for moisture storage. These low vigor soils have been producing wines for the past 80 – 100 yrs. Grapes were picked early to preserve freshness and balance in the wine. Fermentation was very slow and cool. Batches were fermented separately in concrete and stainless-steel tanks with different yeast strains to add complexity to the wine. Blended after fermentation.

Beaumont is a charming family-run farm and winery situated in the quaint Overberg Village of the Bot River ward, Walker Bay Region, South Africa. The farm is home to the region's oldest wine cellar and is steeped in history dating back to the 1700's. The farm was purchased by the Beaumont Family in 1974. In 1994 Jayne Beaumont produced the first wine under the Beaumont label. In 2004, Sebastian Beaumont, having honed his skills working in the vineyards, took over the reins in the cellar and has continued to build the Beaumont reputation. The property is 1,200 acres with 74 acres of vines, 15 acres pears and 7 almonds and a few olive trees.

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Tasting Note:

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