



*Seifried*  
FAMILY WINEMAKERS

## NELSON SAUVIGNON BLANC 2020

### Awards

'Best Buy' & 4 Stars - Cuisine Magazine 2020, New Zealand  
'Best of Show New Zealand' - Mundus Vini Summer Tasting 2020, Germany  
95-96 Points - Three Wine Men, Oz Clarke, April 2021, UK  
GOLD - Mundus Vini Summer Tasting 2020, Germany  
GOLD - AWC Vienna 2020, Austria  
GOLD - Melbourne International Wine Competition 2020, Australia  
GOLD - Royal Easter Show Wine Awards 2021, New Zealand  
Silver - London Wine Competition 2021, United Kingdom  
Silver - International Wine Challenge 2021, United Kingdom

### Wine Analysis

Vineyard: Seifried Rabbit Island and Queen Victoria Vineyards  
Sugar at Harvest: 21.3°Brix  
Date of Harvest: late March 2020  
pH of Wine: 3.15  
T.A of Wine: 7.7g/L  
Residual Sugar of Wine: 3.3g/L  
Suitable for Vegetarians and Vegans: Yes

*"Ah, what a joy! A Sauvignon Blanc unashamedly beating its breast about how snappy and zesty and mouthwatering its flavours are. This bubbles with green flavours - green apple, lime zest, citrus leaves, citrus flowers, the crunch of green peppercorns and barely roasted coffee beans. And it's only 12.5%.*

*Thirst-quenching white? Look no further."*

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### The Vineyard

Our Rabbit Island Vineyard is situated on a wide river flat. The soil is gravelly sandy loam, which is very sandy and free draining. These vineyards are about 1.5 kilometres from the sea, which helps moderate temperatures.

Our Queen Victoria Vineyard is located in the Motueka area in the heart of a region known for its apple orchards, kiwifruit and hops. Our grapes are grown on very stoney free draining soils giving lovely fruit clarity and varietal intensity.

### Winemakers Note

Aromatic and fresh Sauvignon Blanc flavours were encouraged prior to vintage through careful canopy management. The fruit was de-stemmed and pressed immediately after harvest and a cool fermentation was initiated in stainless steel tanks to retain the clean aromatic fruit characters.

### Tasting Note

The 2020 Seifried Nelson Sauvignon Blanc comes from another cracker Nelson vintage. There are layers of tropical fruit on the nose with passionfruit, melon and fresh basil notes. The palate is well balanced showing generous fruit weight and lingering flavours, supported by clean acidity leaving a long finish.

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