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# Bream Creek Vineyard

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Bream Creek Vineyard is one of the pioneers of the modern Tasmanian wine industry. Our 7.5ha vineyard at Marion Bay in the south-east of Tasmania was originally planted in 1974, making it one of the oldest commercial vineyards on the island. Fred Peacock purchased the vineyard in 1990 and expanded the Pinot Noir and Chardonnay plantings, as well as introducing Sauvignon Blanc. Fred also planted what was arguably the first commercial planting of the rare German grape variety Schönburger in the southern hemisphere. Since 1990 our premium cool climate wine has been rewarded with 31 trophies and more than 740 show medals.

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## 2012 Bream Creek Cuvée Traditionelle (sparkling)



### ***Tasting Note***

Vintage 2012 will be remembered, on the whole, as an extraordinary vintage in Tasmania, equal perhaps to the famous vintage of 2005. Growing conditions were simply perfect and produced wines of outstanding intensity, depth and length.

Produced in the traditional Champenoise (Champagne) method from Pinot Noir and Chardonnay grapes and aged for over 6 years on lees. The inviting bouquet features Granny Smith apple and citrus notes, while the palate shows lemon and grapefruit flavours along with a hint of richer apple pie, ending with a crisp and balanced finish of fantastic length. Delicious now, this premium sparkling wine can be cellared in the short to medium time, where it will gain further richness. Now, it is just perfect paired with freshly shucked Tasmanian oysters.

### ***Awards and Reviews***

\* Just released \*

Alc/Vol 12.5%

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