

# Craigie Knowe

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Craigie Knowe Vineyard was first planted in 1979 by then Hobart dentist John Austwick. John created a well sought after brand, lead by his iconic Bordeaux Blend Cabernet Sauvignon. Craigie is now in our care and like John, we passionately tend the vineyard to produce our special wines.

The site is located on the Freycinet coast of Tasmania, which has it's own micro-climate and rich volcanic soils. All tasks are undertaken by hand in the pursuit of excellence in our wines; fruit load for each vine, along with manual leaf plucking exposing the grapes to optimum levels of sunlight and airflow and of course hand picking - Glenn & Sandy Travers

## 2016 CRAIGIE KNOWE ESTATE RIESLING

2017 Craigie Knowe Estate Riesling is a superb example of cool climate Tasmanian Riesling. Crisp and refreshingly dry, this wine was awarded a Gold Medal at the Royal Melbourne Wine Awards 2017

Hand-picked, destemmed into press. Clarified by floatation then fermented in stainless steel tank followed by 8 weeks on lees then stabilisation and filtering prior to bottling

<b>COLOUR</b>	Brilliant pale straw
<b>BOUQUET</b>	Lifted florals with subtle passionfruit and citrus
<b>PALATE</b>	Fresh red apple with fruit sweetness perfectly balanced by lime zest acidity.
<b>CELLARING</b>	Drink now to 2030



### WINEMAKING

<b>Harvest Date</b>	7th April 2017
<b>Harvest Ripeness</b>	12.1 Be
<b>Matured</b>	Stainless steel tanks, then 8weeks on lees
<b>Bottled</b>	9th June 2016
<b>Wine Maker</b>	Matt Wood

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

<b>Alcohol by Volume</b>	12.8%
<b>pH</b>	3.05
<b>Titrateable Acid</b>	7.7g/l
<b>Residual Sugar</b>	2.1 g/l

<b>Distributed by</b>	Red + White	03 6231 6227—Tasmania
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