



## Groote Post The Old Mans Blend Red 2012

main variety Merlot

vintage 2011

analysis alc: 14.0 | ph: 3.60 | rs: 2.1 | ta: 5.3

type Red

producer Groote Post Vineyards

style Dry

winemaker Lukas Wentzel

body Medium

### tasting notes

A down to earth, easy drinking red which is soft and smooth. Merlot based, the nose has a faint touch of white pepper, 'fynbos' and spice with abundant red berry and rich plum flavours on the palate. A value for money, medium bodied wine that's perfect to share and everyone has a favourite Old Man in their life!

### blend information

50% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Shiraz, 10% Cabernet Franc

### food suggestions

Roast leg of Lamb and The Old Man's Blend Steak Roll.

### in the vineyard

With every new vintage we need to improve the quality of this red blend. The effort to produce beautiful ripe fruit and the selection therefore becomes a passion.

### in the cellar

During winemaking the cultivars were kept apart and aged in third fill 300 litre French oak and in stainless steel tanks with staves. After 12 months the different components were blended after rigorous tasting sessions with our Old Man, Peter Pentz.