



MORGENHOF
ESTATE



THE MORGENHOF STORY

The illustrious Morgenhof Wine Estate is situated on the slopes of the Simonsberg Mountains outside of Stellenbosch, and about 30 minutes drive from Cape Town. This area is renowned for the high quality of its grapes and the distinctive terroir is reflected in the character of its exceptional wines.

Owned by Anne Cointreau, Morgenhof Wine Estate dates back to 1692, and consists of 213 hectares of which 78 are under vines, producing approximately 35000 cases of wine a year.

This magnificent Wine Farm, including a Wedding and Conference venue offers that old world charm one expects when visiting an historic estate. Our award winning wines combined with a variety of eateries make for an unforgettable day out.



ANNE COINTREAU
CEO

Anne Cointreau hails from a long line of fine spirit producers tracing back to 1270. Her great Grandfather was Adolphe Cointreau, who with his brother, founded the world famous orange liqueur and her grandfather was the founder of Remy Martin Cognac. Her family lives in Cognac and they are the owners of Cognac Frapin, Vedrenne Liqueurs and the renowned Gosset Champagne. Anne was the Director of Development for the Renaud-Cointreau Group from 1974 and M.D. since 2007. She moved to South Africa and purchased Morgenhof Wine Estate in 1993.

Anne was a member of the Harvard GF Kennedy School's Women's Leadership Board and was voted one of the 40 Women Entrepreneurs in the world" in 2001. Anne was awarded the prestigious Legion d'Honneur by the French Government in 2005 for her business success in South Africa.



ANDRIES DE KLERK
VINTNER

In 2002 Andries completed his degree in Oenology at the University of Stellenbosch. He has made wine both locally and internationally. In South Africa he has worked at Hamilton Russell Vineyards, Wellington Wine Cellar and Jordan Wines. From 2008 until joining Morgenhof in 2011, Andries gained extensive International experience in New Zealand, Australia and America.

Andries produces Morgenhof wines from only Estate Wines, no wines are bought in for production. Being a traditionalist he supports terroir-driven wine production, hence they do not irrigate the vineyards, allowing the dry land to contribute to the exceptional quality and concentration of the fruit. This process allows control over the quality of the grapes and he consistently produces World Class Wines

COMPLEX AND ICONIC

MORGENHOF WINES

Morgenhof Estate is situated on the fertile slopes of the Simonsberg mountain range in Stellenbosch. Historically a wine estate since 1692, we can trace the rich winemaking history of the estate back to the original French Huguenots. At Morgenhof the vineyards are farmed as 'dry land', which result in smaller yields and superior concentration of fruit in the berries.

The estate holds a great variety of soil types, mostly granite-derivatives such as Tukulu and Glenrosa, as well as altitudes ranging from 65-400 metres above sea level. By planting cultivars like Sauvignon Blanc in different sites on the estate, it enables us to attain different characteristics and produce wines that reflect the complexities and variation of our area. The terroir of the Simonsberg-Stellenbosch ward favours red cultivars, especially Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, one of the wines Morgenhof is so well known for.

Morgenhof's portfolio of wines include a mixture of red and white wines, ranging from the fresh Sauvignon Blanc; to the barrel-fermented Chenin Blanc. The red wine range offers a selection of iconic single varietal wines including our revered Merlot; a vibrant Pinotage, as well as a Bordeaux-style blend which is also the flagship of the Morgenhof range.





SAUVIGNON BLANC

2016



Morgenhof Estate Sauvignon Blanc 2015

(SOLD OUT)

Consistent quality throughout the years, typical Stellenbosch Sauvignon Blanc, very pleasing and well-balanced. Planted very site specific so much so that when hitting 2 rocks together one can smell the minerality and flintiness that comes through in the wine.

CHENIN BLANC

2015



Morgenhof Estate Chenin Blanc 2015

(SOLD OUT)

Made from the oldest vineyards on the farm, 46 years old, rich, concentrated flavours with perfect wood balance. Highly rated and one of the benchmark Chenin Blancs in the country, the winner at the second Chenin Blanc challenge that hosted by Wine Magazine back in 1997. 2010 vintage rated 4 stars in Decanter. Perfect accompaniment to Thai or Asian cuisine.

CHARDONNAY

2015

Morgenhof Estate Chardonnay 2015

Wonderful, elegant Chardonnay with subtle oak integration. The malolactic fermentation results in a clean, smooth and lingering finish.



BRUT RESERVE

2010

Morgenhof Estate Brut Reserve 2010

(SOLD OUT)

Made from 63% Chardonnay 37% Pinot Noir. Stays on the lees between 2 and 4 years, base wine barrel fermented, rich in style, perfectly paired with a great dessert - panacotta, Crème Brulee.



MERLOT / CABERNET FRANC

2011



Morgenhof Merlot/Cabernet Franc 2011

Approachable in style this wine is medium bodied and well-structured and Merlot driven with lots of plums and red berry fruit flavours. cultivar and the best is blended to produce this wine.

MERLOT

2012



Morgenhof Estate Merlot 2012

Possibly one of the few examples of a consistently well-made Merlot. Silver medals in 2011 at Decanter and International Wine & Spirit competition in UK. This wine stands out as a voluptuous Merlot made in a well structured way, with a full and fruit-driven palate and good tannin structure.

CAPE LATE BOTTLED VINTAGE

2004

Morgenhof Cape L.B.V 2004

This fortified wine is made from 100% Touriga Nacional, a Portugese varietal and matured in old French oak for four years.



THE ESTATE

2006

Morgenhof Estate 2006

The signature wine, produced in only the best vintages. It is a wine that is made from the vineyard to the bottle, great care is taken with the selection of grapes. Vinification takes place separately in predominantly new French barrique 225 liter barrels.

Selection is done from the barrels from each cultivar and the best is blended to produce this wine. Four and half stars John Platter consistently. A wine that is drinking well now, but will age in the bottle up to 12 years from vintage.







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