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MARGARET RIVER

One Family
Two Countries
Three Italians
Four Generations

FIVE TALES

Sauvignon Blanc Semillon

2026



COLOUR
Pale straw with a light green hue

NOSE
A lovely, complex wine with the classic combination of Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon. Fresh citrus zest, guava and orange blossom from the Sauvignon Blanc, complemented by freshly cut grass, lemon and subtle tropical notes from the Semillon.

PALATE
Bright, fresh acidity, supple phenolics from the addition of Semillon, and intense flavours create a beautifully balanced wine. Citrus and tropical notes carry through to the palate, finishing fresh and lingering.

WINEMAKING
The fruit for this wine was sourced from two different family vineyards, both located in Carbunup in the north of Margaret River. The first is the Alberts Block Semillon, which was one of the original plantings and typically experiences cooler conditions, with a waterway stretching below the block. The other vineyard is slightly further north at the Carbunup Vineyard, where vibrant canopy growth and healthy vines help preserve freshness and flavour until harvest. The fruit was picked during the cool of the night, ensuring vibrant acidity and excellent fruit condition. The fruit was gently pressed to avoid over-extraction of textural phenolics and maintain fruit purity. Following clarification, a cool, controlled eight-day fermentation was carried out using an aromatic yeast strain. The lees were then stirred to maintain freshness, texture and vibrancy of the fruit.

VINTAGE NOTES
Following a wet winter, budburst began in late September to early October, with excellent soil moisture supporting healthy canopy growth. Favourable flowering conditions resulted in balanced crops and good fruit set. Warm, dry weather, combined with cooler periods and timely rainfall, created ideal ripening conditions, while careful canopy management-maintained vine health and minimised disease pressure. Even veraison and a warm, dry finish allowed the fruit to ripen consistently without heat stress. Warm days and cool nights enhanced flavour, balance and colour, particularly in the red varieties. Abundant marri blossom kept bird pressure to a minimum, contributing to one of the best vintages on record.

QUICK NOTES

VINTAGE
2026

WINEMAKERS
Cliff Royle
Paul Callaghan

GRAPE VARIETY
55% Sauvignon Blanc
45% Semillon

BOTTLED
August 2026

GROWING AREA
100% Margaret River

ALC %/VOL
12.8 % v/v

STANDARD DRINKS
7.6

CELLAR POTENTIAL
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OAK
Nil

MATURATION
Stainless steel

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The vineyard is a living canvas, its beauty shifting with each passing season to nature's rhythm. With our care and nurture, through bud burst of spring, the brilliance of leaf fall, to the slumber of winter, the changing seasons tell a story of renewal, growth and balance.