

# castle rock estate

2018

## Porongurup Riesling



### ASSESSMENT

**Colour:** A light and pale colour with green hues.

**Bouquet:** Intense lime juice backed by a delicate fragrance of orange blossom and lavender giving a bouquet that is zesty and fresh, yet also of great depth.

**Palate:** The feature of the palate is the tightly wound structure that is enveloped by beautiful rich lime juice fruit characters. This fruit richness provides the generosity and succulence that is so appealing as a young wine. The core of natural acidity creates that great structure, finesse and length for the wine. The balance between the fruit generosity and tight acid structure is the hallmark of Castle Rock Rieslings. Lively, crisp and with an attractive delicacy now, this wine will blossom with age for at least twenty years.

### FOOD ACCOMPANIMENT

Ideal aperitif wine, will also accompany fish, delicate crustacean and mild Asian dishes.

### CELLARING POTENTIAL

Excellent ageing potential. It will continue to improve through its first year and then plateau, should drink well for at least 20 years.

### AWARDS

James Halliday Top 100, 96 points, Nov 2018.

### TECHNICAL

Harvest Date: 23 March 2018

Bottling Date: 14 June 2018

Alc: 11.5%

pH: 2.95

T.A.: 7.9g/L

Residual sugar: 0.8 g/L



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