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## GEORGES ROAD VINEYARD



This 35 acre vineyard is planted equally in Riesling, Pinot Noir and Sauvignon Blanc. It is located on the south west side of Waipara where the soils are very different to the rest of Waipara. It is a gravelly sandy loam 20-40cm deep with a pH of 5.8.

Here the Pinot Noir is cane pruned to 15-25 buds per plant. The Riesling is treated similarly at around 20-25 buds, where the Sauvignon Blanc is cropped higher with 30-40 buds left after pruning. The wines coming off this block tend to be very aromatic and perfumed.

Like all our blocks we are constantly striving to reduce and whenever possible to eliminate pesticide use by improved canopy techniques. We belong to New Zealand's sustainable wine growing scheme and aim to run all aspects of our business continually more sustainably.

