

# STELLA BELLA

## 2023 Sauvignon Blanc



It's the Margaret River Sauvignon Blanc, a hallmark of Stella Bella since our inception! Seizing the crisp cool nights of our Karridale vineyard Stella Bella Sauvignon Blanc is an exquisite balance of exotic tropical fruit flavours, texture and complexity coupled with driving minerality...perfection.

### Appearance

Pale straw with green hues.

Abundant aromas of...

Tropical fruits, guava and passionfruit are enhanced by nectarine, fresh lychee and complex aromas of gunsmoke. A hint of nuttiness from lees stirring making it clear this is no ordinary Sauvignon Blanc.

### Palate

Mouthwatering flavours of citrus, grapefruit and passionfruit work in harmony with the fresh, natural acidity. Supple texture and savoury complexity from barrel fermentation enhance a powerful and salivating wine that leaves you wanting another glass.

### Enjoyment

Deep fried white bait.

### Wine Specs

Blend	100% Sauv Blanc
Oak	30% Old
Cellar	Drink Now
Alcohol	12.8%
pH	3.22
Acidity	7.52

### Place

Our Sauvignon Blanc vines are planted throughout our southern Margaret River vineyards with the majority planted at the Luminosa and Karridale vineyards. A multiple personality wine, it represents the uniqueness of each vineyard site while maintaining a defined Stella Bella style.

### Vintage 2023

An epic Southern Margaret River vintage, a cool October and November gave way to a warm summer, accelerating ripening across all varieties. March brought a refreshing coolness, accentuating the delicate flavours of the harvest. Sauvignon Blanc was fruitful with lovely aromatic intensity.

### Winemaking

Picked from our Karridale and Luminosa River vineyards, 70% of the individual batches were pressed to tank and the remainder was specifically selected for barrel fermentation and battonage. A careful mix of technique gives this wine a perfect balance of explosive varietal perfume, complex flavours, palate texture and refreshing natural acidity.