

T'GALLANT

T'Gallant is the sailor's abbreviation for topgallant, the top sail of square-rigger sailing ships. It connotes the peak; the epitome. This represents T'Gallant's winemaking philosophy. Handmade and crafted, T'Gallant wines exude a vibrant and eccentric personality, using a twist of traditional European winemaking techniques and styles on these truly Victorian wines. Established in 1990, T'Gallant founders Kevin McCarthy and Kathleen Quealy were instrumental in introducing Pinot Gris to Australia. Considered a bold move at the time, the wines nonetheless flourished and T'Gallant became Australia's leader in this cool climate grape variety.

T'Gallant Cape Schanck Pinot Grigio 2019

The T'Gallant Cape Schanck range encapsulates the essence of cool-climate Victorian regions known for their suitability for growing varieties such as Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris.

Vineyard Region

King Valley, Yea, Grampians, Mornington Peninsula

Vintage conditions:

A cool, dry winter was followed by warm and windy spring conditions with normal rainfall. Summer temperatures were average, with persistent fine conditions and little rain. Fruit was able to be harvested a little ahead of average - retaining acidity in the fruit while maintaining flavour

Technical Analysis

pH 3.19

Acidity 6.2 g/L

Alcohol 12.5%

Residual Sugar 0.5 g/L

Peak Drinking Now to 2021

Colour Pale straw with green hues

Nose Aromas of freshly cut pears, passionfruit and citrus with hints of lifted, white florals

Palate Juicy fruit flavours of pear and citrus are complemented by almond meal textural elements and balanced by a crisp, mineral acidity on the finish

