



2017 GREYWACKE WILD SAUVIGNON

Review Summary

GREYWACKE

Kevin Judd

95 pts “Retaining a healthy pale-yellow lustre. Loads of smoky charm, a measured dose of sulfides, toasty oak and lemon rind. A lovely wine. While concentrated and pure, there's a subtlety to it that takes it to a better place. Terrific winemaking.”

Nick Butler
The Real Review
March 19, 2020

94 pts/TOP 100 WINES OF NEW ZEALAND 2019 (#53) “A very complex and quite different style with plenty of reductive, flinty funk and toasted-lime zest, as well as clotted cream and passion fruit. The palate has a rich and fluid feel with plush, smoothly fleshy build and a sweeping, round finish.”

Nick Stock
JamesSuckling.com
December 5, 2019

92 pts “Succulent white peach, apricot and lemon curd flavors are wonderfully lush and complex, with whiffs of beeswax, powdered ginger and lemongrass that linger on a juicy frame.”

MaryAnn Worobiec
Wine Spectator
May 31, 2020

90 pts “The cooler vintage can be felt on the 2017 version of former Cloudy Bay winemaker Kevin Judd's Wild Sauvignon. It starts reductively, with wax, onion and salty notes but opens with air to something more buttery, like a Chardonnay, with citrus, stone fruit and green herbal aromas at the rear. The textural work on the palate is obvious, and while it's still full bodied, this vintage is a more focused and refreshingly restrained expression than we've seen in the past.”

Christina Pickard
Wine Enthusiast
May 1, 2020