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BROOKFIELDS 'OHITI ESTATE' CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

VARIETAL: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

REGION: Hawke's Bay

STYLE: Dry

VINTAGE: 2015

VINEYARDS:

The Ohiti Estate vineyards lie in an inland heat trap on the bed of the old Ngaruroro River. Trained on classical VSP trellis system, on gravel soils, our Cabernet Sauvignon obtains excellent levels of ripeness, with good colour intensity, clean fruit, and ripe tannin development. All the fruit was harvested in mid-April compared with normal years when the harvest is in the later half of April.

VINIFICATION:

Grapes were harvested on the 16th of April and fermented using traditional Bordeaux pump-over methods for colour and flavour development and cap management. Time on skins was three weeks and malolactic occurred after pressing, prior to going to oak barrels for about 10 months.

APPEARANCE:

An intense red fills the glass.

TASTING NOTES:

This 2015 'Ohiti Estate' Cabernet Sauvignon is an intensely dark vibrant wine which has a rich aroma, showcasing blackberry, boysenberry, spice, dried herbs, oak and vanillin, with a hint of tobacco in the background. The palate is full and flavoursome, this 2015 expression extends the heritage of our 'Ohiti Estate' which continually produces ripe Cabernet Sauvignons year after year.

FOOD MATCH:

A prime Angus fillet steak under a mushroom sauce.

CELLARING:

5-7 years, possibly slightly more.

DETAILS:

Alcohol	14% Alc/vol.
Residual sweetness	Dry
TA	5.5 g/L
pH	3.59

Owner / Winemaker: Peter Robertson

