



Showcase Riesling Icewine 2007

VQA NIAGARA PENINSULA

"From a single vineyard to a single barrel, Hillebrand Showcase wines are the true expression of our passion for making great wine. Hand made from the best vineyard sites in Niagara, our unrushed approach to winemaking shines through in every bottle."

WINE MAKING

- Naturally frozen Riesling grapes are hand harvested from Huebel Vineyard in Niagara-on-the-Lake at -10°C.
- The Riesling grapes are pressed frozen, releasing only one drop of pure extract from each grape.
- Barrel fermented and aged in older French oak barrels for 2 months for added depth of complexity.

FLAVOUR PROFILE

- Lemon yellow colour with an aromatic aroma of orange blossoms, candied pears, quince jelly and lemon drops.
- A medium-bodied, elegant Icewine that is perfectly sweet and balanced by refreshing acidity.
- Flavours of sweet lemon custard, apricot and mandarin orange excite the palate, followed by tangerine and sweet citrus flavours lingering on the finish.

WINE ANALYSIS

- Harvest dates: January 3, 2008
- Brix: 38.7°
- Sweetness Level: (21) Sweet, 209 g/l
- Alcohol: 11%
- Total Acidity: 9.5 g/l
- PID#: 1039181
- UPC#: 0 48162 00663 8
- Retail: \$60.00 (+bottle deposit)

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

- Serve chilled at 8 to 10°C in small white wine glasses, 1 to 2 ounces per person.
- Enjoy before a meal, chilled with your favourite vodka and a couple of frozen grapes for an amazing Icewine Martini. Make a wonderful Hillebrand Icewine Royale by adding 1 ounce of Icewine to 4 ounces of Trius Brut sparkling wine.
- Enjoy during a meal with a chicken liver or duck pâté; foie gras; spicy crab cakes; spicy Asian vegetable rolls.
- Enjoy with the cheese course which may include Saint André, 4 year old Canadian cheddar or blue cheeses.
- Enjoy with fruit based desserts of lemon, pear, apple, pineapple or quince. Enjoy with lemon pound cake; apple strudel; pineapple upside down cake and poached pears.
- Enjoy now through 2015.

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