

# 2018 Mussel Bay Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc

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This 2017 Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc shows lifted tropical notes of guava and passionfruit. The palate is crisp, fruity and fresh with a lively, citrus acidity.

## About us

Mussel Bay is a classic Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc, bottled in New Zealand, created for the independent retail and wholesale sectors of the market.

#### Terroir

Awatere and Wairau Vineyards

#### Viticulture

Twelve parcels of Sauvignon Blanc were selected for this wine from vineyards across the Wairau Valley and the Awatere Valley.

# Vinification

The parcels were harvested and fermented separately, using selected yeast strains for Sauvignon Blanc to enhance varietal character. A long, cool fermentation took place over four weeks, with the parcels then being blended and stabilised, prior to bottling.

## Recommendation

Fantastic with summer salads and fish dishes.

