

THE RUSTLER CHENIN BLANC 2013

Western Cape WO • South Africa



WINEFILE

Style Dry and rounded

Grape Variety Chenin Blanc 100%

Colour Bright, pale straw

Aroma Ripe baked apple and fresh melon aromas. A hint of citrus

Taste Aromatic, soft, bright fruit and a fresh, lingering finish

Drink by End 2015 **Alcohol** 13%



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Lovely! Clean tasting, refreshing white. Really enjoyed this wine. It was refreshing

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Online Review for 2011, London

Chenin Blanc is a noble variety that's long been making classic whites in the Loire Valley. But it's a star of the Cape, too, where in recent years quality has risen to extraordinary heights. The Rustler is brimful with apple and lemon freshness.

The Rustler commemorates a colourful figure in Cape history – the free spirited Angus McLean. It's a classic Chenin Blanc with melon and baked apple character and terrifically refreshing. Angus, seeking his fortune in South Africa,

was conscripted into the army before deserting and surviving by good bushcraft and the odd bit of rustling. The equally free spirited (though law abiding) Bruce Jack started out with a degree in English literature from St Andrews and in winemaking from Australia's famous Roseworthy College. He's only happy if his wines "taste juicy and fruity, feel soft but have intriguing flavour and offer unbeatable value". And in The Rustler he's succeeded hands down. Serve chilled with seafood, chicken or a spicy stir-fry.



South Africa's 'Winemaker of the Year' in 2009 – no wonder Bruce Jack is smiling!