

2023 AUTEES PINOT BLANC

BIODYNAMICS

At Maysara Winery and Momtazi
Vineyard, we are committed to capturing
the true expression of our land and
conveying it to you through the premium
quality found in every bottle. We practice
low-impact, holistic farming methods in
our Demeter certified Biodynamic®
vineyard and carry this philosophy into
the cellar, where our Biodynamic®
winemaking practices produce wines with
intensity and elegance while maintaining
natural harmony between fruit and earth.

OLD WORLD WINEMAKING

The Momtazis believe in holding vintages until the wine is fully evolved, rather than releasing chronologically. Each vintage is unique and should mature on its own timeline.

SOURCE

100% estate Pinot Blanc from Momtazi Vineyard

WINEMAKING

Native yeast fermentation in stainless steel tanks
Racked twice before bottling
Cold stabilized
Crossflow filtration, no fining

HARVEST

29 September 2023

BOTTLING

9 January 2024

PRODUCTION

434 cases

RESIDUAL SUGAR

 $6.6 \ g/L$

ALCOHOL

12.5%



STORY OF AUTEES

Autees is the ancient Persian
Goddess that protects all plants,
animals and trees on Earth. She
is the protector of life and all
things that grow.

VINTAGE

The 2023 growing season began with some heavy rains, but tapered into dry weather as Spring turned to Summer. Good, consistent temperatures without many heat spikes allowed for a great fruit set without concerns of any disease issues and paved the way for the start of a great 2023 harvest season at Momtazi Vineyard. Sporadic showers came through the vineyard during harvest, but instead of bringing fear, they actually helped slow the progression of the sugars in the grapes, allowing the beautiful clusters to get a little more hang time on the vine before they were picked at optimal ripeness.

TASTING NOTES

This limited-production delight jumps out of the glass with aromas of guava, juicy melon, pineapple juice, key lime, and fragrant jasmine. Tangerine, pineapple, peach and mouthwatering acidity make for a lively white that you'll keep going back to for more.

PAST ACCOLADES

16 | '22 Jancis Robinson

94 | '22 Paul Gregutt