

# VINO FINO

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## COOPERS CREEK SELECT VINEYARDS BELL RINGER ALBARIÑO 2020



**\$20.99**

Crisp and Refreshing!

Product Code:	5445	Closure:	Screw Cap
Country:	New Zealand	Unit:	Each
Region:	Gisborne	Volume:	750ml
Style:	White	Alcohol:	13.5%
Variety:	Albariño	Grape:	100% Albariño
Producer:	<a href="#">Coopers Creek Vineyard</a>		



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### TASTING NOTES

Coopers Creek Albariño is sourced from Doug and Delwyn Bell's vineyard in Gisborne and has been a great example and led the way for New Zealand Albariño since its very first vintage in 2011.

#### Winery notes (2020 Vintage)

"Albariño hails from the North West of Spain and Northern Portugal. This wine is so named because it tastes and smells as pure as the peal of a bell, and it was grown by Doug and Delwyn Bell in their vineyard just outside of Gisborne. This tank fermented wine was handpicked and whole bunch pressed to give us juice of great character and flavour. Our inputs were minimal and were all designed to preserve as much purity as we were able to do. We have only used the 'free run' juice from each pressing to craft this wine."

**5 Stars Peter Saunders, July 2022** (2020 Vintage)

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"A variety 'flourishing in Gisborne'. Dry wine, tastes very clean so lots of spine. Nice acid bite in the dryness, a spine that matches well with food. One of the best local Albarinos I have seen in New Zealand to date. Ready, lovely now, into 2025 at least."

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## Highly Recommended, Decanter, February 2023 (2020 Vintage)

"Distinctly yellow colour with a green, stalky nose. Promising powerful fruit expression; vivid lemon curd, green herbs, rhubarb. Very intense and still needs time or to be decanted."

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## 4 Stars Michael Cooper (2020 Vintage)

The 2020 vintage is a fragrant, full-bodied wine, vibrantly fruity, with good intensity of youthful, citrusy, spicy flavours, dry and appetisingly crisp. Best drinking 2022+."

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## 90/100 Sam Kim, Wine Orbit, February 2022 (2020 Vintage)

"It's elegantly fruited and fragrant on the nose showing apricot, lemon peel, jasmine and olive notes. The palate is beautifully weighted delivering delicate fruit intensity, well supported by fine texture and bright acidity. Well structured and lingering with a crisp-dry finish. At its best: now to 2024."

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Reviews for the 2019 vintage below...

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## 96/100 New World Wine Awards 2019 (2019 Vintage)

"Albariño, the evocative name for the crisp white wines from the coastal area of Northwest Spain and Portugal, is an awesome match for seafood, fish and chicken with its high acid and bold fruity aromas. Initially planted in Gisborne where it has flourished, if you love Pinot Gris, then here is your next big adventure in wine. Intense flavours and aromas of lime, rock melon, mouth-watering fresh acidity and a touch of salt right at the end."

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## 94/100 Cameron Douglas MS, December 2019 (2019 Vintage)

"Varietal, ripe, lush and enticing aromas of white peaches and pears, a spicy floral tones and a touch of stony minerality. On the palate a delicious wine with a gentle creamy texture and flavours of white fleshed fruits with a note of citrus peel back palate. Medium+ acidity, moderate weight, balanced, well made and ready. Drink now and through 2021."

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## 92/100 Bob Campbell MW, The Real Review, November 2019 (2019 Vintage)

"Delicately aromatic wine with mandarin, lime and citrus flavours supported by fresh, fruity acidity that gives the wine some welcome tension. A fresh, focused wine with good purity."

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## CONTACT VINO FINO

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## OPEN HOURS

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