

# THE BONELINE CABERNET FRANC 2021









\$85.99

# A Hidden Treasure from North Canterbury

Product Code:	5466
Country:	New Zealand
Region:	North Canterbury
Sub Region:	Waipara
Style:	Red
Variety:	Cabernet Franc
Producer:	The Boneline

Screw Cap
Each
750ml
14.0%
100% Cabernet Franc
Certified Organic



New Zealand Wide Delivery



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## TASTING NOTES

#### Winery notes (2021 Vintage)

"The Boneline 2021 vintage gave a small elegant crop, presenting an opportunity to experiment in crafting single varietals from fruit traditionally bound for our Iridium red. Wild boysenberries, violets, chambord, licorice allsorts, tilled earth, roasted sage, vibrant, alive, delicious, terrestrial."

#### Rated Outstanding & 96/100 Cameron Douglas MS, July 2023 (2021 Vintage)

"Complex, ripe and intense with a core of ripe and pure scents, dark berries, olives, stone and dried herb qualities. There's a persistent and deep seated core of gravel and dark clay soil tones adding complexity and breadth. Complex and youthful. Delicious, taut and textured on the palate with tannins and acidity delivering texture and length. There's also a saline quality set against a nut, baking spice and dried herb baseline. Dark berry fruit flavours and toasty barrel spices deliver contrast and weight as well as a varietal signature. A lovely wine that will continue to develop and age well. Best drinking from 2026 through 2036."



Reviews for the 2020 vintage below...

#### 94/100 Robert Parker's Wine Advocate (2020 Vintage)

"The 2020 Cabernet Franc opens with an incredibly fruit-sweet, luscious nose—it's all mulberry and cassis, graphite, tobacco, raspberry pip, rosehip tea and black pepper. In the mouth, the wine is silky and ripe, with supple, ductile tannins and a seamless flow of fruit and flavour across the tongue. It's ripe but elegant, a supremely wonderful wine and highly recommended. Pleasurable mouthfeel 101. Chalky, it has a Nebbiolo-esque asphalt leaning—a most attractive feature."

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