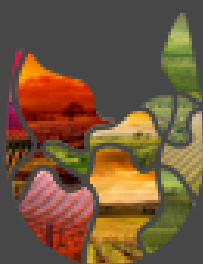




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SIX NATIONS WINE CHALLENGE 2018



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The New World Champions

* AUSTRALIA * CANADA * CHILE *
* NEW ZEALAND * SOUTH AFRICA * USA

International Double Gold triumph for Survivor Sauvignon Blanc

Survivor, the intrepid Swartland range of Overhex Wines International, has triumphed at the 2018 Six Nations Wine Challenge bringing home Double Gold for its acclaimed 2017 Sauvignon Blanc.

This is the third major accolade awarded to this vibrant Survivor Sauvignon Blanc vintage after striking gold at both the 2018 Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show and the 2017 Michelangelo International Awards.

Cracking the nod as one of the New World champions at the Six Nations Wine Challenge, an annual competition featuring wines from Australia, Canada, Chile, New Zealand, South Africa and the USA, is a feather in the cap for winemaker Ben Snyman.

The award winning 2017 Sauvignon Blanc is partially barrel fermented with a creamy texture. It teems with bright tropical fruit. Crisp acidity and subtle minerality add to the attraction

We are extremely proud of our Survivor range and consider these amazing awards recognition that we are on the right track with our single minded focus on crafting site specific wines that are rooted in the Swartland,” says Snyman.

The Six Nations Wine Challenge recognises and showcases the “very best of the best” New World wines, promoting their outstanding quality, diversity and richness. Wines are entered into this competition by invitation only and a total of 600 wines are judged by a panel comprising a representative from each participating country.

Every year the judges are invited to choose 100 wines that represent the best of their respective countries.

“Just being invited to participate at this international level is recognition enough, and the Double Gold is the cherry on top for our dedicated winemaking team and the Rust family who grow the grapes for our Survivor range,” says Gerhard van der Wath, Owner and Chairman of Overhex Wines International.

Survivor Sauvignon Blanc 2017 is available at selected outlets countrywide and sells at the cellar door at R120. For online purchases visit www.overhexsurvivor.com.

About The Challenge

During 2003 a decision was made that launched this unique show. The most influential wine judge from each of the leading New World wine countries was invited to list their top 100 wines covering 16 typical varietal classes.

The objective was to establish the Nation of Show by judging and nominating Wine of Show, Red and White Wine of Show and a range of gold medals. The New World nations were chosen in light of their proven quality coupled with their judge’s view that there was sufficient range to compete and to win.

How it Works?

Each nation is asked to enter 100 wines. There are 16 classes. The maximum number of entries into any class is 10. There is no minimum. Judges may choose not to enter a class. Each judge is asked to list extra “reserve” wines on their lists in the event that some wines are unavailable and the admin in Sydney will then invite the reserve wine(s).

***Hearty
Congratulations to
Overhex and their
winemaking team for
bringing home Double
Gold in this
International Award!***

#ValleyOfChampions