

Awards Sheet updated 27 July 2007



Domaine Gayda

2005 Occitane Red has been selected as one of 15 "Ambassadors" for the Languedoc
Chemin de Moscou 90 points Wine Spec
Occitane Red - Decanter Silver
Occitane White - Decanter Commended

Cantina del Casteggio

Barbera featured as wine of the week on Jancis Robinson's site 'The Purple Pages' in July 2007



Von Siebenthal

June 2008 Decanter – Vina Von Siebenthal Montelig 2004

Robert Parker Scores

Carabantes 2003	91 points
Carabantes 2004	92 points
Montelig 2003	90 points
Montelig 2004	92 points

ALEX GAMBAL

Alex Gambal

Corton Charlemagne Grand Cru 2005 Robert Parker score: 94-96
Chassagne 1er Cru Maltroie 2004 Wine Spectator score: 92
Vosne-Romanee Vieilles Vignes 2005 Robert Parker score: 91-92



West Cape Howe

The big guy's 2008 'Australian Wine Companion' hit the shelves this week – for those who came in late – **James Halliday** is the most respected Australian Wine authority and his yearly **Wine Companion** ratings are highly anticipated by **ALL** Australian wine producers!

Last year, West Cape Howe achieved its third 5 star rating as a producer.

This 2008 edition...well, Gavin & the team have done it again – **5 STARS:**

94 POINTS – 2006 West Cape Howe Great Southern Riesling

94 POINTS – 2006 West Cape Howe Great Southern Sauvignon Blanc

94 POINTS – 2005 West Cape Howe Two Steps Shiraz Viognier

94 POINTS – 2005 West Cape Howe Book Ends Cabernet Sauvignon

94 POINTS – 2005 West Cape Howe Tempranillo

93 POINTS – 2006 West Cape Howe Semillon Sauvignon Blanc

93 POINTS – 2005 West Cape Howe Styx Gully Chardonnay

This year, James highlights in red producer's 5 star rating if the producer has achieved in all three years – which, West Cape Howe has done. This means that West Cape Howe is in the **TOP 6.5% OF ALL AUSTRALIAN WINE PRODUCERS!**

5 STARS – "...Outstanding winery regularly producing wines of exemplary quality and typicity."



Brancaia

2004 Il Blu:

Ranked 9th in Wine Spectator's top 100 wines of 2006/7 (96 points)

Awarded the prestigious 'Tre Bicchieri' from the Gambero Rosso guide

2004 Iltraia:

Awarded 92 points by the Wine Spectator



Ca'Viola

2005 Dolcetto Barturot awarded one of only three 'Tre Bicchieri' awards in the 2007 Gambero Rosso Guide



Pegasus Bay

2005 Riesling awarded 5 stars from Decanter Magazine

95 POINTS – 2007 Pegasus Bay Sauvignon Semillon

93 POINTS – 2005 Pegasus Bay Sauvignon Semillon

91 POINTS – 2004 Pegasus Bay Savaignon Semillon

94 POINTS – 2007 Pegasus Bay Dry Riesling

92 POINTS – 2006 Pegasus Bay Dry Riesling

93 POINTS – 2006 Pegasus Bay Riesling

94 POINTS – 2004 Pegasus Bay Riesling

92 POINTS – 2003 Pegasus Bay Riesling

93 POINTS – 2005 Pegasus Bay Chardonnay

90 POINTS – 2004 Pegasus Bay Chardonnay

93 POINTS – 2005 Pegasus Bay Virtuoso

93 POINTS – 2006 Pegasus Bay Aria

92 POINTS – 2007 Pegasus Bay Encore

92 POINTS – 2006 Pegasus Bay Pinot Noir

91 POINTS – 2005 Pegasus Bay Pinot Noir

91 POINTS – 2006 Pegasus Bay Prima Donna



Boekenhoutskloof

Marc Kent previewed as one of the Icons to watch in South Africa by Michael Fridjhon in Decanter Magazine September 2007 as quoted below:

“Boekenhoutskloof’s reputation stretches a long way – a boutique brand whose winery nestles against the mountainside in Franschhoek, with a track record in Syrah and Cabernet Sauvignon that sets it apart from all the other producers in the cape.

Winemaker Marc Kent’s hand-crafted reds are produced in miniscule quantities for a customer base which takes up the full allocation the moment a new vintage is released. Both reds profit from considerable bottle ageing- the maiden 1997 Syrah is still evolving, a brooding red wine infused with raspberry and pepper notes and layered with the scents of the forest floor.

Forgotten in the midst of the red wine hype is the cellar’s Semillon, one of the the most sumptuous seductive whites produced in the cape. Whiffs of thatch and lanolin an almost viscous mouthfeel, waxy rich and hauntingly persistent, it is one of those wines all serious wine drinkers taste at least once before they die.”



Bodegas Utielanas

2008 Le Challenge International du Vin