



*Brightwater*  
VINEYARDS

*Lord Rutherford*

**2011**

**Nelson Pinot Gris**

**Varietal:** Pinot Gris

**Location:** About half the grapes for this wine are from 10 year old vines at Kina. The other half come from our new Sturkenboom vineyard in Hope. Both vineyards are certified as being fully sustainable.

**Nose:** This Pinot Gris is richly scented with floral and spice aromas.

**Palate:** The palate is succulent and generous with harmonious concentration of pear, mango and lychee, combined with gentle sweetness, leading into a long lush finish.

**Serve:** Lightly chilled

**Wine Maker:** Tony Southgate

**Winemaker of the year 2012**

**Royal Easter Wine Awards**

**Awards:**

Top 12 New Zealand Pinot Gris - Gourmet Traveller Wine Magazine  
5 Stars (95 points) - Gourmet Traveller Wine Magazine  
5 Stars (93 points) - Sam Kim, Wine Orbit  
5 Stars (93 points) – Bob Campbell MW  
5 Stars - TiZ Wine, Aromatics Tasting

