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**Kingston Estate 2009
Pinot Gris, \$13**

ALTHOUGH based in South Australia's Riverland, Bill Moularadellis's Kingston Estate buys in grapes from such premium South Australian regions as, Coonawarra, Adelaide Hills, the Limestone Coast, the Clare Valley and Langhorne Creek. Here we have a pinot gris sourced mainly from the Adelaide Hills, but with some Limestone Coast input. It is a new addition to the good-value current releases in the \$13 Kingston Estate range. The other wines are the 2009 Adelaide Hills-Mount Benson Sauvignon Blanc, the 2008 Limestone Coast-Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon and the 2008 Mount Lofty Range-Limestone Coast Shiraz. The 2009 pinot gris is pale lemon hued and has honeydew melon and snow pea scents. Ripe pear flavour shows on the front of the palate and apricot and lime zest characters combine on the middle palate. The finish has slatey acid.

DRINK WITH: fish and chips, brie and leek tart or chicken schnitzel with tabouli salad

AGEING: one year

RATING: