

Shiraz 2020

Bright ruby red. Berry compote with baking spices on the nose. Nutmeg, anise and dried herbs. Palate is soft and supple with red fruits framed by tightly woven tannins and mellow acidity.

Lightly handled in the winery allowing the fruit to shine. A little whole bunch helps balance the fruit, provides savoury elements and keeps the structure around medium.

Varieties

95% Shiraz, 5% Roussanne

Terroir

Red/brown sandy loam over medium yellow clay. Areas of sandstone, gravel, granite, sand and silt. Planted east/west on gentle north facing slope.

Viticulture

Grapes grown by Garry Rice in Concongella near The Grampians, on Jardwadjali land. Cane and spur pruning with shoots positioned to allow an open shady canopy. No sprays used this season accounting for the dry conditions.

Yield

1.5 tonnes/acre

Ageing

14 months in oak, then a further period in stainless steel.

Vinification

Hand picked and fermented with 20% whole bunches. Transferred to French oak barrels, 15% new, with indigenous yeasts.

Vintage Date

18 March 2020

Bottling Date

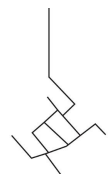
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Figures

Alcohol 13.5%

pH 3.74

TA 6.10



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