



THE LOST PLOT

Shiraz 2021

Bright red with some magenta. Crunchy red fruits with spice and green pepper. Lifted and bright with tight tannins and a fresh finish.

Varieties

Shiraz 87%

Grenache 10%

Roussanne 3%

Terroir

Shiraz: Red/brown sandy loam over medium yellow clay. Areas of sandstone, gravel, granite, sand and silt. Planted east/west on gentle north facing slope in the Grampians, on the traditional lands of the Djab Wurrung and Jardwadjali people.

Viticulture

Grapes grown by Garry Rice in Concongella near the Grampians. Cane and spur pruning with shoots positioned to allow an open, shady canopy. No sprays used.

Yield

1.8 tonnes/acre

Vintage Date

April 5th, 2021

Vinification

Hand picked and fermented with 10% whole bunches. 15 days on skins, light filtration.

Transferred to French oak barrels, 15% new, with indigenous yeasts.

Ageing

11 months in oak, then a further four months in stainless steel.

Bottling

5th July 2022

Figures

Alcohol 14.0%

pH 3.76

TA 5.90

