

SCRUBBY RISE

THE NAME SCRUBBY RISE COMES FROM THE VINEYARD LOCATED AT THE FRONT OF OUR CENTURY OLD IRONSTONE CELLARS, ITS RICH SOILS PROVIDING SOME OF OUR BEST FRUIT EVERY SEASON. THAT THE SCRUBBY RISE VINEYARD IS ACTUALLY FLAT AND BEREFT OF SCRUB HAS NEVER BOTHERED US PARTICULARLY. NOR SHOULD IT WORRY YOU.



VINTAGE

2008

REGION

McLaren Vale (60%) Fleurieu Peninsula (40%)

GRAPE VARIETIES

Shiraz (44.5%), Cabernet Sauvignon (40%), Petit Verdot (15.5%).

COLOUR

Deep purple with ruby hues.

BOUQUET

Fresh blackcurrant and mulberry fruits dominate the aroma with nuances of mocha and savoury notes adding complexity.

PALATE

The palate displays concentrated blackberry and mulberry fruits that have great freshness and vibrancy. The wine has a generous fleshy structure, with the soft, velvety texture complementing the wines fruit richness.

DRINK

Upon release and up to 5 years.

FOOD MATCH

Wood oven pizza with marinated lamb and rosemary and goats cheese.

VINEYARDS

Wirra Wirra sources fruit from a combination of owned vineyards and premium McLaren Vale growers. The blend of individual vineyard and sub-regional characteristics is the key to the resulting style. Sub regions are Blewitt Springs, McLaren Flat, Willunga and McLaren Vale.

OAK MATURATION

Judicious use of French and American oak ensured that each individual wine batch achieved optimal sensory balance prior to blending.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

pH 3.45 TA 6.6g/L ALC 14.5%

WINEMAKERS

Samantha Connew & Paul Smith



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