

LLOYD BROTHERS

2021 Adelaide Hills Pinot Noir Syrah

Vintage
2021

Region
Adelaide Hills

Grape Varieties
100% Estate Grown
Pinot Noir 58%
Syrah 42%

Alcohol
13.5% alc/vol

Vineyards

The Syrah was selected from Block 1 & 2 with the Pinot Noir being handpicked from block 5A both on the Lloyd Brothers Adelaide Hills vineyard on The Range.

Geology of the Adelaide Hills Estate

Located on the Burra Group Geology which is some of the oldest in the region: c. 750 million years. More particularly the Belair Subgroup which is laminated, grey siltstone.

Winemaking

A near perfect vintage in the Adelaide Hills in 2021. A long, slow, cool vintage lead to great flavour development at low baumes whilst retaining great acidity. The Pinot Noir was handpicked from the best part of the block. One third of the Syrah was handpicked for the whole bunch component with the remaining two thirds being selectively harvested in the cool of night. Each variety and parcel was fermented separately in 1, 2 and 5 tonne open fermenters with varying percentages of whole bunches in each ferment, averaging out around 30% wholebunch ferment. Basket pressed prior to dryness with ferment finishing in tank or seasoned French oak hogsheads and puncheons depending on the parcel. Approximately 40% of the wine was aged in seasoned French oak for 9 months. Vegan friendly.

Tasting Note

This Pinot Noir (58%) Syrah (42%) is made from grapes grown on the Lloyd Brothers cool climate Adelaide Hills Estate. Light berry red in colour with lifted perfumed aromas of raspberry, strawberry and a touch of spice. Light to medium bodied on the palate with layers of red berries, cherries and a hint of white pepper. A light dry red wine that is best enjoyed young and fresh.

