

LLOYD BROTHERS

2022 Lloyd Brothers McLaren Vale Estate Shiraz



Vintage
2022

Region
McLaren Vale

Grape Variety
100% Estate Shiraz

Alcohol
14.5% alc/vol

Vineyard

The 2022 Estate Shiraz is hand crafted from grapes grown Settler's block, 12, 10, 9 and 2 of the Lloyd Brothers McLaren Vale Estate.

Geology of the Adelaide Hills Estate

Located on the Blanche Point Formation in the Eocene group which is 56 to 34 million years in age. Glauconitic, fossiliferous calcareous siltstone with Tortachilla Limestone at base.

Winemaking

A long, slow, cool and low yielding vintage lead to great flavour development at low baumes whilst retaining great acidity. Each parcel was selectively picked and fermented in 1,2 and 5 tonne open fermenters, then basket pressed to new and seasoned French oak. After 14 months the best barrels were selected to create the Estate Shiraz. Vegan friendly.

Oak Maturation

14 months in new and seasoned French oak barriques and hogsheads.

Tasting Note

Dark crimson red in colour with aromas of lifted violets, dark plum, mocha and dried herbs. The palate is layered with black currant, mulberry, boysenberry and dark chocolate with a touch of black pepper and spice on the finish. Approachable in its youth this wine will happily age for 10+ years.

Cellaring Potential

Drinking beautifully now and will develop beautifully in the cellar for 10+ years.