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Coonawarra Shiraz 2012

Since 1952 this wine has long upheld Wynns Coonawarra Estate's reputation as a producer of premium Coonawarra Shiraz.

Typically the Wynns Coonawarra Estate Shiraz has aromas of ground black pepper, blackberry and distinctive floral notes. Delicate oak is used to match and support the fine palate structure, without dominating its distinctive cool climate character. A medium bodied wine with a lingering finish that will age gracefully in the tradition of the original Wynns Hermitage.

Winemaker Comments Sue Hodder

Vineyard Region

Coonawarra

Vintage Conditions

A low yielding and early long ripening season provided optimal flavour development.

Technical Analysis

Harvest Date Feb – March 2012

pH 3.6

Acidity 6.6g/L

Alcohol 13.5%

Residual Sugar 0.3

Peak Drinking Enjoy on release or cellar for 2-3 years

Grape Variety

Shiraz

Maturation

Twelve months oak maturation using a mixture of French and American oak.

Colour

The colour of the 2012 Shiraz displays darker shades of purple moving into a vibrant and bright, violet hue.

Nose

There are rich and pronounced aromas of dark fruit and spice. Ripe black berries and rhubarb in particular, infused with nutmeg and black pepper, subtly lifted by floral aromatics.

Palate

The palate structure is refined and displays finesse. Elegant fruit and spice character, with generous lashings of mulberries and blackberries, dusted with hints of black pepper and nutmeg. The tannins are firm and precise, complementing the fruit through the mid palate, leaving the finish to be drawn out with hints of bay leaf, rhubarb and cedar. This is a beautifully balanced wine ready to enjoy or cellar in the medium term.