

# New Vintage John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon 2022

First made in 1982, the John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon was conceived as a flagship wine for Wynns. John Riddoch himself was a true visionary. Amongst his many achievements are the building of the Wynns Gabled winery and the establishment of Coonawarra Fruit Colony.

John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon is made in small quantities from the best available fruit grown on the estate's extensive Cabernet Sauvignon plantings in the heart of the Terra Rossa soil. It has become a definitive Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon, made only in years when grapes of extraordinarily high quality are available, using less than one percent of the top-quality Cabernet Sauvignon grapes.

## Tasting Notes

#### Vineyard Region Coonawarra

#### Wine Analysis

Alcohol: 13.5% pH: 3.6 TA: 6.9gL RS 0.6gL

### Peak Drinking

Enjoy on release, or carefully cellar for up to 30 years

#### Maturation

Matured for 17 months in French barriques and hogsheads. 43% new French oak, 42% one-year-old and 15% seasoned older barrels

#### Colour

Dark opaque red.

#### Aroma

Intense aromas of fresh dark cherries, complemented by a hint of mint.

#### Palate

Excellent persistence of soft red fruits, supported by fine tannins. This medium-bodied wine showcases the hallmark characteristics of a classic vintage. It offers perfectly ripe Cabernet, without any heaviness. The fruit is concentrated, yet the overall mouthfeel remains light and elegant. A versatile wine, beautifully paired with a wide range of dishes.

#### Perfect Pairing

Moussaka: This classic Greek dish is perfectly complemented by our John Riddoch 2022, which balances freshness and acidity to enhance the rich, savory flavours.



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