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## Wynns Coonawarra Black Label Shiraz 2015

Shiraz (formerly known as ‘Hermitage’) is an important part of Coonawarra’s history. The acknowledged reputation of Coonawarra for age-worthy wines has largely centered on Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz blends. However the very early history (in the 1890s) centered on other varieties – particularly Shiraz.

Today Wynns is privileged to hold Shiraz vineyards on many prime locations within Coonawarra. Vines for this label are between 30 and 110 years old.

Wynns ‘Black Label’ Shiraz is a superb example of Coonawarra’s cool climate style. Displaying great fruit character, this wine has rich and complex flavours of red berries, spice and chocolate with layered fruit underpinned by tightly-focused tannins.

## Winemaker Comments: Sue Hodder

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### Variety:

100% Coonawarra Shiraz

### Alcohol:

13.7%

### Maturation:

14 months in new and seasoned French oak

14% new hogsheads, the balance in 1-3yo hogsheads and barriques

### Vintage conditions 2015

A warm spring with even flowering and set, giving good yields. A mild summer, and long ripening period delivered full fruit flavours and balanced acidity. An outstanding Coonawarra vintage.

### Colour:

Intense ruby

### Aroma:

The fragrances of dark forest fruits is completed by strings of dry meat and spiciness.

### Palate:

Satin tannins, fragrant red and dark fruits and delicate oak flavor that is very well integrated in the wine and complements the complex and layered fruit and spice. The beautiful old Shiraz vineyards selected for this wine have a delicacy and complexity which have become a signature of the black label Shiraz.

### Cellaring:

Enjoy on release or cellar carefully for up to 15 years

### Perfect pairing:

Try Szechuan seafood hotpot, eggplant ravioli, or rotisserie chicken

### Why?

A layered and complex Shiraz with cool climate smoothness can match both spicy and more delicate food with ease.