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V&A Lane Shiraz 2013

V&A Lane is a long, straight road on the Wynns property that dissects Coonawarra's famous terra rossa strip at its midpoint. Surveyed in 1851, the lane divides the original electorates of Victoria and Albert. Traditionally, the road has been used as a landmark to separate northern and southern vineyards in Coonawarra, as well as being a prestigious and sought-after location for growing exceptional Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz grapes.

This wine honours Wynns' prized vineyards along the V & A Lane. The distinctive fruit from these vineyards has a signature density and richness. The mature Shiraz vineyards along V&A Lane ripen early, and are among the first picked each season. The resulting wines have a modern appeal being fresh and spicy, yet still maintaining a succulent and silky Shiraz that can proudly play on the world stage.

Winemaker Comments: Sarah Pidgeon

Vineyard Region

Coonawarra

Vintage Conditions

Even and long ripening, with low rainfall and moderate yields, delivering full fruit flavours and balanced acidity.

Wine Analysis

Harvest

March 2013

pH 3.54

Acidity 6.1g/L

Alcohol 12.5%

Residual Sugar 0.3g/L

Peak Duration

Enjoy on release or cellar for five to 12 years.

Grape Variety

Shiraz

Maturation

15 months in three year-old French oak.

Colour

Bright crimson hue.

Nose

An intense yet light and lifted aroma. Blueberry, choux pastry and subtle hints of tar, rose and orange blossom.

Palate

Cranberry and cherry flavours are contrasted by dark and intense fruit. Raspberry panna cotta creaminess leads, followed by bright fruit with tarry hints, shale and orange blossom.