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MARGARET RIVER

FIVE TALES



COLOUR
Medium dark red colour with purple tones

NOSE
Lifted blue/red fruit aroma with a lovely violet vibrancy and lift

PALATE
Crunchy blue fruits with a rich berry fruit sweetness. The dense and chewy tannin profile is balanced with slippery acidity. Lovely undertones of dry herbs like thyme and rosemary help drive the fruit-forward style to be true Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon.

WINEMAKING
Three Cabernet components from our Carbunup River, Wilyabrup, and Yallingup vineyards were destemmed to separate static tanks with inoculated immediately with a Bordeaux yeast strain and others going through a cold soak. Each tank was pumped over as required to maximise the wines extraction and fruitfulness. The wines were fermented on skins to dryness at a maximum of 24°C and pressed after ten-eighteen days. The wine was racked to barrel post-MLF and was then matured for ten months in 15% new French oak barriques. The wine displays the fresh varietal Cabernet characters.

VINTAGE NOTES
The growing season started for vintage 2022 cool and wet. This gave plentiful ground moisture for the vines to thrive, but the cooler weather slowed the growth in some varieties. Come summer did things heat up! This pushed the vines along. The sheer number of days of extreme heat was challenging for the region to manage. Vintage 2022 started a little later than expected but that just compressed the white vintage, it came hard and fast. Balancing grape ripeness and keeping things fresh was the key.

QUICK NOTES

VINTAGE
2022

WINEMAKERS
Trent Kelly

GRAPE VARIETY
Cabernet Sauvignon

BOTTLED
January 2023

GROWING AREA
100% Margaret River

ALC %/VOL
14.0 % v/v

STANDARD DRINKS
8.3

CELLAR POTENTIAL
5- 8 years

OAK
French

MATURATION
10 months

ONE FAMILY
TWO COUNTRIES
THREE ITALIANS
FOUR GENERATIONS
FIVE VINEYARDS