OLIVER'S TARANGA VINEYARDS

SHIRAZ

2021
McLAREN VALE

THE YEAR THAT: We finally opened our brand new cellar door.

HISTORY

Made exclusively from our Taranga vineyard, the 2021 Shiraz shows all of the delicious flavours that you have come to know and love. Made from vines aged 15 to 70 years old, our Taranga estate Shiraz always delivers.

VINTAGE

2021 was one of the best vintages we have ever had in McLaren Vale. After two years of very low crops and drought, 2021 was perfect in almost every way - apart from a global pandemic that is! Pretty much perfect ripening conditions and one that we will remember for years to come.

AROMA

Bright mulberry and blackberry on the nose, dark chocolate and mocha notes. All the aroma you have come to know and love from our trusted McLaren Vale Shiraz.

PALATE

Generous and full bodied on the palate, violets, black cherry and boysenberry. Chocolate nibs and vanillan oak round out the palate. An incredible vintage and one that will reward aging.

CELLARING

Drink now to 10 years.

THE YEAR THAT...

Only 180+ years in the making, we finally opened our newly renovated cellar door in December 2021 (in the midst of what felt like the twentybillionth wave of COVID!) We had an incredible welcome from Kaurna custodian Karl Telfer, and The Chair of Tourism SA cut the ribbon to open the new spaces. We were thankful to all our local builders and tradies who helped us create such a special venue.

WINEMAKER

Corrina

Corrina Wright, 6th Generation

VINTAGE NO.

27/182

GRAPE VARIETY

100% Shiraz

REGION

100% McLaren Vale

COLOUR

Deep maroon

ALCOHOL

14.5%



WHAT THE WRITERS HAVE TO SAY [2021 VINTAGE]

"This is a "Do I?" or "Don't I?" kind of wine. Do I drink it now, or do I tuck it away somewhere safe for a while? I am in two minds. The '21 is such a superb vintage, you know it's going to age a treat. And with those firm tannins laying such a strong base, it will be an age-worthy wine. But then the fruit is so tempting now. The scent of bramble, black cherry, black berries, briar with a dash of oak-led pencil shavings sets the scene for a palate that showcases Vale Shiraz in a great year. There's complexity and good concentration as more and more is slowly revealed with a layer of bitter chocolate here, light spices there, tied up tightly by firm tannins finishing with a cherry pip astringency. Super clean. But, yes, with more time so much more will be revealed." ***92 points, Jeni Port***

VEGAN FRIENDLY

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STARTED BY OUR GREAT GREAT GREAT GREAT GRANDFATHER.