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Robert Stein

2019
The Kinnear Shiraz

VARIETAL

93% Shiraz, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon.

AROMA

A strong bouquet of blackberry and earth.

PALATE

A soft but pronounced tannin structure.

VINIFICATION

The fruit was picked by hand and wild fermented in small open vats with 30% whole berries. The wine was matured for 15 months in 50% French Oak Hogsheads and only the best two barrels were chosen.

VINTAGE

A near perfect growing season produced excellent fruit across all varieties. A cold dry winter followed by a relatively dry summer saw crop levels lower than normal, but the quality of the fruit was high. White and red varieties all performed well, with perfect ripening conditions during harvesting. While crops were down it was still another great vintage with the quality being similar to 2014-2017 vintages.

RANGE

The Kinnear was the ship which brought Johann Stein to Australia on 23rd April, 1838, so it is appropriate that this be the name of our flagship wine.
The Kinnear is an icon of our family, a symbol of the great hardship and struggle of the past, and a celebration of our lives today.

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