YANGARRA
ESTATE VINEYARD

PIQUEPOUL

Yangarra is a single-vineyard estate situated in Blewitt Springs, at the northern edge of the McLaren Vale region, South Australia. Yangarra's combination of ancient geology, high altitude and Mediterranean climate provide the ideal growing conditions for the best grape varieties of the southern Rhône.

2026 PIQUEPOUL

Our Piquepoul Blanc thrives in the Mediterranean climate of our elevated single vineyard estate in McLaren Vale. Planted in 2015, this ancient French variety is known for its delicate fragrance, minerality, and naturally refreshing acidity. With notes of lemon and a hint of sea spray, this refreshing wine perfectly complements fresh oysters and coastal fare. Grown in deep sand and coastal sunshine, it's the ideal companion to beachside dining.

VINTAGE SUMMARY

If any vintage could be described as unpredictable, it would be 2026. Wet conditions in November challenged flowering in the vineyard and sharpened our focus on disease pressure and weed management. The usual summer pattern quickly returned, bringing dry, warm conditions that suggested an earlier vintage than expected. Then, quite suddenly, late summer and autumn became consistently mild and cool, drastically slowing vine physiology and fruit ripening. This created a striking balance of concentration, freshness and purity in the fruit profiles. As a result, most picking took place in March, in line with our long-term average.

WINEMAKING

Hand-picked on the 1st and 4th of April from our two small blocks of Piquepoul Blanc. Whole bunch pressed. Clear juice racked to stainless steel tank for cool fermentation. Matured on lees with stirring in a mixture of stainless steel and older puncheons for 4 months. Bottled September 2026. Certified Organic/Biodynamic.

VARIETY
Piquepoul Blanc

REGION
Blewitt Springs, McLaren Vale

GEOLOGY
North Maslin Sands (54 million years old)

SOIL
Sandy loam over clay

ELEVATION
180m above sea level

ALCOHOL
12.5%

PH	TA
3.1	5.9 g/L

ACO Certified Organic & Biodynamic
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PIQUEPOUL

WINEMAKER: Peter Fraser

VITICULTURALIST: Michael Lane

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