

## Pertaringa

## The Yeoman 2010 Shiraz

## McLaren Vale

Story: The Yeoman is a statement of the best wine from an outstanding vintage, be it the Shiraz from 2010 or something else in future vintages. We won't make it every year; we'll only make it when it's right to make it.

Vintage: Above average rainfall in the winter set the vines up with healthy canopies. In December some rain helped brighten up the vines and from then on the grapes ripened perfectly. The crops were balanced with winemakers being able to pick their fruit at heart's desire. The wines emerging from 2010 red varieties were of particularly high standard.

**Nose:** The nose offers rich aromas of plum, mulberries and fruitcake with black pepper and spicy notes.

Palate: The palate is dark and dense with black fruit, liquorice, tobacco notes and black ink. The seamless oak integration and beautiful palate weight is complemented by excellent length and plush tannins.

**Pairing:** Try this wine with venison medallions with a parsnip puree and roasted baby beetroots.

Cellaring: Drink now to 2025

Winemaker: Shane Harris

Alc: 14.5% TA: 6.89g/L
pH: 3.41 RS: 3.6g/L