



ARLEWOOD

# Tasting Notes

MARGARET RIVER | SINGLE VINEYARD | ESTATE GROWN

## 2016 Cabernet Merlot

*The 2016 blend presents with dried bay leaf and ripe black fruit aromas. High notes of seasoned cedary oak and dark chocolate.*

*The palate unfolds with layers of blackcurrant and blackberry interwoven with spicy oak. The long, ripe and flavoursome finish is well supported by dry, savoury and well integrated tannins.*



Varieties	47% Cabernet Sauvignon 39% Merlot 14% Cabernet Franc
Fruit Source	Forest Grove (Estate), Margret River
Winemaking	Fermented and macerated in stainless steel for up to 19 days and then matured in 10% new, 90% two to three year-old French oak barriques for 24 months.
Bottled	25 May 2018
Production	370 dozen
Alcohol	14.5% v/v
pH	3.64
Titrateable Acid	6.0 g/L
Cellaring	Delicious now; cellar to 10 years
Winemaker	Stuart Pym