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THE WINE COLLECTIVE CONNOISEUR'S COLLECTION | JULY 2022 RED

Haselgrove 'Protector' McLaren Vale Cabernet Sauvignon 2019





Established in 1981, Haselgrove is surrounded by over 10 hectares of Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon and Mataro vines with the Shiraz and Cabernet Sauvignon vines dating back more than 60 years. We also work with a group of dedicated McLaren Vale and Adelaide Hills growers. Although renowned for producing rich and robust award winning reds from McLaren Vale, our whites are also making ripples with wine writers and on the wine show circuit.

Tasting Notes

This offers aromas of dark fruits, blackcurrant, mulberry, and blueberry. Hints of dried herbs and underlying oak spice. The palate showcases flavours of dark plum, cassis, and sour cherry notes.

Region McLaren Vale, SA

Cellar Up to 2034

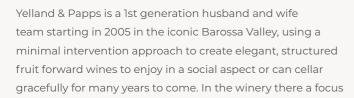
Alcohol 14.0%

Food Match Crockpot Spareribs

Code ITM138820

\$40.00 per bottle

Yelland & Papps Barossa Vin de Soif GMC 2017



on using a lot of whole bunch fermentation, no filtration, larger format oak and putting 100% whole bunches in puncheons and letting them sit for up to a year in some cases. All wines are wild fermented, unfined, vegan friendly and unfiltered with only a couple whites being filtered.

Tasting Notes

Think pure, plump and juicy plum and berry fruits, a touch of sour cherry bite, plenty of spicy nuance, a waft of gingerbread and frangipani and a whole lot of effortless, slurpy drinkability.

Region Barossa Valley, SA Cellar Up to 2032

Alcohol 13.9%

Food Match Swedish Meatballs w/ Mash and Pickled Cucumbers

Code ITM131913





\$30.00 per bottle

Rochford Cru de la Cote Pinot Noir 2021

This Yarra Valley property was purchased by Helmut Konecsny in 2002; he had already established a reputation for Pinot Noir and Chardonnay from the family-owned Romsey Park vineyard in the Macedon Ranges (sold in 2010). Since '10, Helmut has focused on his Yarra Valley winery and vineyards. In addition to the cellar door, the property has two restaurants, a retail shop, and an expansive natural

amphitheatre and observation tower - a showpiece in the region. Rochford wines is considered a showpiece for the Yarra Valley. This is due in part to its exceptional cellar door and restaurant set up, but also, and perhaps more significantly, because it's wine's set the standard for quality Pinot Noir and Chardonnay from the cool climate region.

Tasting Notes

Aromas of spicy plum and cherry fruit characters combine with charcuterie, earth and rhubarb. The palate is lively and fresh with plenty of pinot charm. Forest berries and cherries finish with amaro spice.

Region Yarra Valley, VIC Cellar Up to 2025

Alcohol 12.9%

Food Match Turkey Shepherd's Pie

Code ITM142684





per bottle

Tahbilk Family Series Shiraz Viognier 2019

The name Tahbilk comes from the language of the Daungwurrung clans, the first people in the area. They called it tabilk-tabilk which means place of many waterholes. Tahbilk Wines was established in 1860 in the Nagambie lakes sub region of Victoria's Goulburn Valley. It is home to a unique meso-climate, influenced by inland lakes and lagoons fed from the Goulburn River. Purchased by the Purbrick family in 1925, Tahbilk is home to 5 generations. Tahbilk is home to

200 hectares of vine, including the traditional Rhone Valley varietals Marsanne, Viognier, Roussanne, Shiraz, Grenache and Mourvedre. Classic varieties such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Chardonnay, Riesling, Semillon, Sauvignon Blanc and Verdelho are also present. Tahbilk's flagship 1860 Vines Shiraz is produced from the estate's original 1/2 ha of ungrafted, pre-phylloxera Shiraz vines that are amongst the oldest in the world.

Tasting Notes

Matured in a combination of older French and American oak in the traditional Tahbilk style, this wine delivers rich dark berry, plum and peppery Shiraz flavours with hints of floral and apricot tones, characteristic of Viognier.

Region VIC Cellar Up to 2029

Alcohol 14.0%

Food Match Herb Crusted Roast Chicken Code ITM82800





Z Wine Rustica Barossa Valley Mataro 2019

Allow us to introduce Z Wines. From dynamic sister duo Janelle and Kristen Zerk, the fifth generation of winemakers in their family. Everything from start to finish is in the hands of this pair of entrepreneurs. They produce, operate and own the entirety of their business and are already making wines that are comfortably standing alongside the great names of the Barossa. This August Grenache is made from gnarled

old vines grown in the Barossa Valley. A gold-medal winner, this is a beautifully perfumed wine with ripe red fruit and potpourri aromatics. The tannins are soft and supple, making this very attractive to drink already, although it will continue developing for many years yet if you have the patience. This tasty wine has us very excited about this new-kid-on-theblock. Z wines are one to watch.

Tasting Notes

The predominant characters are earth, leather, dark chocolate, cinnamon spice and ripe satsuma plum. The tannins are structural and present, but do not interfere with the supple round mouthfeel and allow long flavoursome finish.

Region Barossa Valley, SA Cellar Up to 2030 Alcohol 14.5%

Food Match Beef Burger Code ITM138822





La Campagna Chianti **Superiore DOCG 2018**

Alberto Antonini, the owner and winemaker at Poggiotondo makes his wines in a modern style, whilst adhering to the true regional characteristics of the Chianti region. Poggiotondo has started the conversion to organic farming after several

years of trials and introducing low impact practices. Balance and harmony is the philosophy of all Poggiotondo wines -Alberto says about winemaking "the more I know the less I do, but to do less you have to know more."

Tasting Notes

Combines wonderful savoury elements, black olive and dried herbs with vibrant red fruits, plum, blackberry. Finish is long and dry. Drawn from the rolling hills of the Chianti Superiore region, this Sangiovese blend is mid-weight and savoury, with trademark charcuterie-seeking tannins, yet still with this core of ripe fruit.

Region Tuscany, Italy Cellar Up to 2026

Alcohol 13.0%

Food Match Pork Sausages w/ Red Wine Jus

Code ITM55781







\$40.00 per bottle