



BLEWITT SPRINGS ESTATE

2016 MCLAREN VALE ROSÉ

The Blewitt Springs Estate label was created as a tribute to the first Patritti vineyard purchased and planted in the McLaren Vale region, the Blewitt Springs Vineyard. Its fruit has been a mainstay of Patritti table wines for over five decades. Similarly, this range provides wines of ever-reliable quality and excellent value for money.

REGION

McLaren Vale enjoys a reputation for producing high quality Shiraz and Grenache along with some alternative varietals from Italy and Spain. Elevation peaks at 350 metres along the Sellicks foothills with these vineyards influenced by the cooler gully winds making them ideal for white wine and cooler climate varieties. Majority of vineyards are located on gently undulating land with strong coastal influences. The Mediterranean climate is characterised by moderate winters, warm summers and predictable winter rainfall.

VINTAGE

The season started mild with below average rainfall before well timed rain in January. Yields were above average across most varieties with ideal fruit flavour and acid balance. 2016 is considered by many to be the best 'all-round' vintage for some time.

TASTING COMMENTS

Sourced from premium vineyards in the world renowned McLaren Vale region this rosé is bright dusk pink in colour. The nose is juicy red berries with enticing floral notes. The palate is quite soft with strawberry, sweet red cherries and rose petal flavours. Moderately sweet, the flavours are mouth-filling but not cloying.

ALC/VOL

13%

SERVING SUGGESTION

Mezze platter

