



THE WHOLE DAM FAMILY

Grenache Shiraz Carignan Cinsault Mourvèdre 2017

Heritage

The Whole Dam Family celebrates the historic relationship between Chateau Tanunda, the Barossa Valley and its generations of grape growers and winemakers who love nothing more than to let their hair down and kick up their heels. The old image on the front label of the local winemakers dressed up celebrating the Barossa Vintage festival is a tribute to this tradition.

Vineyard

This limited release is a selection of The Whole Dam Family of French varieties that thrive in the Barossa climate: Grenache (28%), Shiraz (21%), Carignan (18%), Cinsault (19%) and Mourvedre (13%).

Winemaking

To allow the character of the individual varieties to shine, all parcels were hand-picked, fermented in 1-2 ton individual open fermenters and basket pressed before maturation in seasoned French and American oak for 18 months. With zero animal products used in the winemaking process this wine is suitable for vegans and vegetarians.

Notes and Reviews

Medium bodied with aromas of strawberries, cherries and subtle spice. The palate is well balanced and highlights lifted flavours of vanilla, cinnamon, black olives and pepper. A vibrant and fresh wine with a long soft finish

Alc/Vol:	14.5 %	Closure:	Stelvin
TA:	6.5 g/l	Maturation:	18 months Seasoned French and American Oak.
RS:	<2 g/l	Optimal Drinking:	2020-2029
pH	3.5	Winemaker:	Neville Rowe

