

### **G**RAND **B**AROSSA

### Shiraz

# 2015

#### Heritage

Château Tanunda, Icon of the Barossa was established in 1890 and is the site of some of Valley's earliest vines as well as its first winery. The Château is privately owned by the Geber family who continue a tradition of fine winemaking spanning three generations.

#### Vineyard

For our Grand Barossa Shiraz we select grapes grown throughout the Barossa and its myriad sub –regions. It is this tapestry of "terroirs" which enables us to create our classic and refined style

#### Winemaking

All of the grapes were fermented in small batches to retain their sub-regional characters. A cultured yeast was used to start the fermentation and the wine spent 7 days on skins at 26°C. All of this encouraged maximum extraction yet retaining the dense, spicy fruit flavours which Shiraz is renowned for. After gentle pressing the wine spent 18 months in seasoned-French & American oak hogsheads.

#### **Tasting note**

Lifted aromas of blackberry, plum and black pepper are accompanied by spicy, dark berry fruits on the palate. Although drinking well now this wine may be cellared for up to ten years from vintage

Alc. 14.5%

Fermentation Stainless steel

**Oak** French & American Oak

**Winemaker** Neville Rowe **Cellar Time** Drinks well now or cellar for 10 years

Match with Peppered beef tenderloin with portobello-Marsala sauce. Garlic roast Pork

**Bottled under** Screw Cap



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GOLD MEDAL Review by: Berlin Wine Trophy 2017

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Review by: Drinks Business, Global Syrah Masters 2017

#### 94 POINTS

#### Review by: James Halliday, Wine Companion 20180

This wine boasts a satin velour of impeccably massaged tannins and gentle acidity, coating the mouth as a creamy duo. Swishing the wine about the gums reveals ample boysenberry fruit, hints of anise and an echo of pepper and mace on the finish. An attractive dichotomy of svelte richness married to a certain elegance. -Ned Goodwin

#### SILVER MEDAL

**Review by: AWC Vienna - International Wine Challenge 2017** 

#### 90 POINTS

#### **Review by: Josh Raynolds, Vinous**

Bright violet. Riper blueberry, cherry compote, violet and cracked pepper on the powerfully scented nose. Appealingly sweet dark berry and floral pastille flavors are joined by a subtle note of mocha that builds in the glass. Gains enery with air and finishes on a smoky dark fruit note, showing powerful thrust, harmonious tannins and impressive persistence.

#### 4 STARS

**Review by: Harpers Wine Stars 2017** 

#### **93 POINTS**

#### Review by: Sam Kim, Wine Orbit

This is gorgeously ripe and sweetly fragrant on the nose showing cassis, dark chocolate, tobacco and cedary oak notes, leading to a beautifully supple palate that's ripe and lingering. It's mouthfilling and delicious with a lengthy silky finish. At its best: Now to 2029

