



## THE CHÂTEAU SINGLE VINEYARD BETHANIAN SHIRAZ 2019

### 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

From our estate vineyard on the sandy loam soils on Bethany creek. Settled by German immigrants in the 1840s, Bethany, or 'Bethanian' as the locals called it, is the oldest settlement in the Barossa.

### Winemaking

The grapes are destemmed, but not crushed, and spend seven days on their skins in open fermenters to gently extract colour, flavours and tannins. This was followed by careful basket pressing and fermentation in a combination of new and seasoned American and French oak barrels prior to eighteen months maturation in our cellar.

### Tasting note

A full bodied wine with aromas of blackberry, blueberry and black pepper supported by spicy, dark berry fruits on the palate. The extensive finish is framed by elegant, fine-grained tannins.

**Alcohol:**

14.5%

**Maturation**

18 months in French and American oak barrels

**Recommended****drinking:**

Now until 2030

**Production:**

500 dozen

**Winemaker**

Neville Rowe

**Bottled under**

Screw cap

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**ICON OF THE BAROSSA**

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**92 POINTS**

**Review by: Aaron Brasher, Huon Hooke's The Real Review**

Lifted aromatics of dark plum, chocolate, black cherry, sweet spicy oak and a touch of eucalyptus. Rich and expansive on the palate, there's a dark-fruited drive, some choc-coffee elements and round tannins. A generously flavoured, round and slurpy kind of shiraz. Best drinking: 2021-2031

**GOLD MEDAL**

**Review by: Berlin Wine Trophy 2021**

**93 POINTS**

**Review by: Ken Gargett, Wine Pilot**

Another single vineyard wine, this time from Vine Vale. Basket pressing gives over to 18 months of maturation in French oak. The end result is a cracking wine, which represents fabulous value. An opaque black/purple, this is a ripe, rich, soft, quintessential Barossa Shiraz. Load up! Chocolate, plums, spices, blackberries and tobacco leaf, this is already hinting at the complexity to follow. Well crafted, with good focus and abundant, reasonably fine tannins, the intensity is maintained throughout the very long finish. A lovely chocolatey note emerges at the end. A wine which is a joy now, but has serious potential. Drink: 2021-2031



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