

# ICON OF THE BAROSSA

# Terroirs of the Barossa 'Eden Valley' Shiraz 2020

## Heritage

Château Tanunda was established in 1890 and is the site of some of the first vines planted in the Barossa in the 1840s as well as the Valley's first winery. The Château is an Australian heritage icon whose grand buildings, magnificent gardens and prime vineyards are owned by the Geber family. In the Barossa, the family continue their own tradition of fine winemaking which spans over three centuries.

### **Vinevard**

The Terroirs of the Barossa looks to highlight the unique wine flavor characteristics within the individual sub-regions, or 'Parishes' in the Barossa. These differences stem from the relationships between man and place, with soils, climate zones, viticulture, aspects and water access, all playing important roles in the flavor of the grapes of these sites.

We have chosen Eden Valley to highlight its rich, darker flavours unique to this high altitude, cooler climate and rocky, clay loam soils.

Soil: red-grey loams with slate and granite

Altitude: 400m

### Winemaking

To ensure the unique character of this sub region is exemplified in the wine, small open fermenters and our basket press were employed to gently extract the wine.

Aging in the finest quality new (20%) and seasoned French oak barrels for 18 months has created a wine that respects and expresses its place of origin.

### **Tasting Note**

Mineral notes, and fruit flavours of blackberry, Morello cherry. Notes of earth and cured meats bring the palate to a long and evenly weighted finish.

95 Points – Gabrielle Poy (Huon Hooke's The Real Review)

94 Points - Dave Brookes (Halliday Wine Companion)

**90 Points** – Erin Larkin (Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate)

Gold Medal – Berlin Wine Trophy 2023

pH: 3.4 Closure: Cork

TA: 6.5 g/L Maturation: 18 months French oak barrels

RS: >0.5 g/L Drink: 2023-2033

Alc/Vol: 14.9% Winemaker: Jeremy Ottawa

