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Wynns Coonawarra V&A Lane Cabernet Shiraz 2015

The Cabernet vineyards from V&A Lane have been important contributors to Wynns' top wines for many years. However this area is also gaining a reputation for a great Shiraz and a marriage of the two varieties in a part of Wynns history, going back to its earliest blends.

Winemaker Comments: Sue Hodder

Varieties:

80% Cabernet Sauvignon 20% Shiraz from vineyards along V&A Lane

Alcohol:

13.6%

Maturation:

16 months in new and seasoned French oak
20% new Puncheons, balance in 1-4yo hogsheads and barriques

Vintage Conditions 2015:

A warm spring with even flowering and set, giving good yields. A mild summer, and long ripening period delivered full fruit flavours and balanced acidity. An outstanding Coonawarra vintage.

Colour:

Dark crimson

Aroma:

Mulberry, blackberry and blood orange with subtle walnut shell notes

Palate:

Co-fermentation of the two varieties creates a rich and textured style, with unique tannin structure. The long time on skins take the naturally rich fruit into savoury and complex territory. Dark brambly fruits are layered with wet tobacco, aniseed and peppery spice. Velvety tannin creates depth and is defined by crisp acidity and beautiful line, leaving the palate full and long with a smoky gravelly finish.

Peak Duration:

Enjoy on release or cellar carefully for up to 15 years

Perfect Pairing:

Mushrooms on toast with crisp prosciutto crumble, or wild & dried mushroom risotto with crème fraiche and toasted walnuts.

Why?

The earthiness of mushrooms and the savoury and berry notes of this gorgeous blend work some magic together.