

## GRAND BAROSSA SHIRAZ 2017

### Heritage

Chateau 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 Chateau is privately owned by the Geber family who continue a tradition of fine winemaking spanning three generations.

The Grand Barossa Shiraz is a finely crafted example of world-famous Barossa Shiraz. This wine has been awarded Gold Medals for the past 12 consecutive vintages (2006-2017) and our classic house style seen it named in the Wine Spectator Top 100 Values List, and Top 100 Wines of the World (2008) as well as the Adelaide Review Hot 100 of South Australia.

### 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 that form the basis of our classic and refined style

### Winemaking

Handcrafted using traditional minimalistic winemaking techniques and state of the art modern basket press technology. The house style is elegant and refined, ripe fruit from Barossa that is world famous, supported by subtle oak and savoury character. The wine is fermented in small batches to retain sub-regional character, gently basket pressing and matured 18 months in French and American oak.

We ensure consistency of our refined house style by masterful blending. To add complexity, we regularly integrate not just a range of parcels, but also small elements from past and future vintages, as well as varieties such as Cabernet Franc and Cabernet Sauvignon to add elegance and structure.

### Tasting note

Lifted aromas of blackberry, plum and black pepper are accompanied by spicy, dark berry fruits on the palate for a true expression of Barossa Shiraz.

**Alc:** 14.9%

**pH:** 3.51

**RS:** >5g/l

### Fermentation:

Stainless steel open fermenters

**Maturation:** 18 Months French & American Oak

**Closure:** Cork

### Potential Cellaring:

Up to 10 Year from vintage

**Region:** Barossa, Australia

**Winemaker:** Neville Rowe



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