



'100 Year Old Vines' Shiraz 2015

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 'Old Vine Expressions' series is all about showcasing the significant history and special wine characteristics and of a selection of old vine vineyards for which the Barossa valley is world famous.

Vineyard

The Barossa is home to some of the world's oldest ungrafted Shiraz vines and the grapes for this wine come from just two small vineyards in the Eden and Nuriootpa sub-regions of the Barossa. The low-yielding 'Centenarian' vines, noted for their intensity of flavor, were planted more than a century ago around the time construction of the Château itself began.

Winemaking

The grapes are destemmed, but not crushed, and spent seven days in a small open stainless steel fermenters. We gently hand plunge and pump-over the must several times per day for a gentle extraction of aromas, colour and tannins.

Upon completion of fermentation, the wine is then gently basket-pressed and allowed to naturally complete malolactic fermentation in a combination of new and seasoned American and French oak barrels before 22 months maturation in our cellars. Bottled unfiltered and unfiltered.

Production: 7450 bottles.

Reviews

97 Points – Huon Hooke: *Equal #1 or 72 rated Barossa Shiraz 2015. Deep red colour with a good tint of purple, the bouquet deep in dark chocolate and cocoa powder, charcoal, soot and earthy notes, and rich dark fruitcake. The wine is magnificently sumptuous in the mouth: very rich, velvet textured, concentrated and beautifully balanced. Powerful and long, but not a blockbuster, it retains freshness and vitality. Endless persistence. A great wine.*

94 Points – James Halliday, Halliday Wine Companion 2019

94 Points – James Suckling

93 Points – Mike Bennie

Gold Medal – Global Syrah Masters 2018

Gold Medal – Berlin Wine Trophy 2017

Gold Medal – China Wine and Spirits Competition 2018



| | | | |
|----------|---------|----------------------|---|
| Alc/Vol: | 15 % | Closure: | Cork |
| TA: | 6.3 g/l | Maturation: | 22 Months New and Seasoned French and American Oak. (20% New) |
| RS: | >3 g/l | Potential Cellaring: | 15-20 Years |
| pH | 3.5 | Winemaker: | Neville Rowe |

Barossa Trust Mark Awarded Product – The Barossa Trust Mark is a mark of aspirational standard set by the Barossa region. It provides you with a guarantee and assurance of quality.



CHATEAU TANUNDA

9 Basedow Road (PO Box 316), Tanunda SA 5352 | T: 08 8563 3888 | F: 08 8563 1422

info@chateautanunda.com

www.chateautanunda.com