

# LAKE CHALICE

## The Falcon Merlot 2018



<b>Category:</b>	WINE
<b>Style:</b>	RED WINE
<b>Variety:</b>	MERLOT
<b>Region:</b>	HAWKES BAY
<b>Vintage:</b>	2018
<b>Volume:</b>	750ml
<b>Vineyard:</b>	Harvested exclusively from Hawkes Bay vineyards, located in the iconic Gimblett Gravels wine growing district.
<b>Vinification:</b>	Hand-plunged daily before a light maturation in French oak for a full mouth feel and silky palate.
<b>Appearance:</b>	Deep ruby red.
<b>Bouquet:</b>	Dark fruit aromas with a hint of dark chocolate.
<b>Palate:</b>	A full, round fine textured wine loaded with black fruits, black cherries and damson plums. The palate is silky with a lingering finish.
<b>Cellaring:</b>	up to 7 years

### Technical Analysis:

<b>Alcohol:</b>	13.00%	<b>pH:</b>	3.51
<b>Packaging:</b>	1 x 750ml	<b>Titrateable Acidity:</b>	5.5g/L
<b>Hancocks Product:</b>	15373		