

CHAPEL HILL

'The Parson' Shiraz 2016



Category:	WINE
Style:	RED WINE
Variety:	SHIRAZ
Region:	MCLAREN VALE
Vintage:	2016
Volume:	750ml
Vineyard:	Chapel Hill Winery was built on the site of the historic Seaview Chapel. The Chapel was built in 1865 and now serves as our winery tasting room. The first vines were planted at Chapel Hill in 1972 and the first vintage was in 1975. Now under the guidance of Michael Fragos and Bryn Richards, Chapel Hill strives to hand craft wines with purity and balance.
Vinification:	Strategically harvested to avoid any overripe, broad or jammy fruit flavours. Allowed to remain on skins for up to 8 days to ensure optimum extraction of flavour and tannin. Following gentle pressing the free run and pressing fractions are combined. To promote varietal expression and complexity only well seasoned French oak was used. During this maturation period the wine was regularly racked to encourage the integration of the boisterous youthful tannins.
Bouquet:	Introducing The Parson Shiraz, a slight name change and a shiny new suit, The Parson replaces the wine you knew as Parsons Nose. This wine displays decadent aromas of blueberries, dusted with Indian spices.
Palate:	The luscious palate is brimming with Aniseed and Satsuma plum flavours that seamlessly integrate with the gently textured oak and the firm persistent tannins.
Food Match:	MEAT/CHEESE/GAME

Technical Analysis:

Alcohol:	14.50%	Packaging:	1 x 750ml
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