

2013 Barossa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon

AT SCHILD ESTATE YOU CAN STILL SHAKE HANDS WITH FAMILY MEMBERS FROM THREE GENERATIONS WHO HAVE BECOME THE FAMILY'S HEART.

Schild Estate wines are created with authenticity and passion. From real earth in the Southern Barossa by generations of one family who have made that place their home.

Winemaker's Notes

2013 saw warm and dry conditions throughout most of growing season, but without any significant periods of severe heat. Yields were low and many red varieties ripened evenly, with great flavour depth and some firm prominent tannins which have softened well during maturation. As a result, many of the wines from the year show great structure and framing when young and look to have the ability to genuinely age well too.

Colour

Dense with dark purple hues

Bouquet

Deep and controlled with fresh, crunchy dark fruit supported by subtler secondary notes of cedar and sandalwood which provide a restrained edge to the wine. Ends with just a faint hint of classic Cabernet perfume to provide a clue at variety.

Palate

Attractive creamy dark berry compote fruit is supported by a fresh and a focused line of travel through the palate. This dark fruit holds firm, deep and long before just a hint of dusty tannins shows late working around the edges, providing another layer and rounding out the wine.

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Drink to 2022

Winemakers

Scott Hazeldine and Alex MacClelland





Technical Information

Vintage 2013

Region Barossa Valley

Sub region Rowland Flat, Lyndoch

Varietal(s) 100% Cabernet

Sauvignon

Oak Treatment New & seasoned French

Oak Hogsheads

Vignerons Ed & Michael

Schild

Vineyard Kleemans, Three

Springs, Angus Brae &

Liebech

Elevation 226—312m

Soil Brown to red, brown

loam over limestone

Harvest Mid to late March

Alc/Vol 14.5% pH 3.64

Titratable Acid 6.8 g/L