

2017 'von Kasper' Cabernet Sauvignon

GREAT BAROSSAN CABERNETS COME FROM RARE AND SPECIAL SITES. SITES WHERE THE LAND IS FLAT, THE AIR IS COOL, THE SOILS ARE DEEP AND THE VINES ARE PROTECTED FROM THE AFTERNOON SUN, JUST LIKE THE ONE ON WHICH THE FRUIT FOR THE VON KASPER IS GROWN. TRUE TO BOTH REGION AND VARIETAL, THE VON KASPER DISPLAYS THE INTENSE FRUIT EXPECTED FROM THE BAROSSA, WITH THE ESSENTIAL UNDERLYING HERBACEOUSNESS OF THE CABERNET.



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Winemaker

Variety | Blend

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Pre-Vintage

Rainfall: Very wet Winter | Consistent Spring rainfall
Temperature: Cool to warm Spring to early Summer
Upshot: Balanced vines | Slow development | Late flowering and fruit set | Later expected harvest dates

Vintage

Rainfall: Rain event in early February | Dry thereafter
Temperature: Mild Summer temperatures
Upshot: Delayed harvest | Outstanding flavour development | High natural acidity | Wines of poise and balance

Vineyard

H Block: Deep red clay loam | Western bank of Greenock Creek | Old clone | Low topographical position | Slight easterly aspect | East-west oriented rows
Upshot: Intense fruit | Consistent varietal characteristics | Herbaceous notes

Winemaking

Fermentation: De-stemmed | 2-3 pump overs per day | 8 days on skins
Oak: French: 35% new, 65% seasoned | Natural malolactic fermentation | 20 months maturation
Tech. Analysis: Alcohol: 14.5% | pH: 3.56 | Acid: 7.0g/L | RS: <1.0g/L

Noteworthy Dates

Harvested: 24th March 2017 | **Bottled:** December 2018 | **Released:** October 2019 | **Enjoy:** Now to 2047

Sensoral Information

Profile: Blueberry | Blackberry | Rosemary | Mint | Eucalypt
Texture: Fine tannins | Great length | Fresh acidity

Characteristics

Animal: Black Panther
Vehicle: Porsche Panamera Turbo
Musical: Bass Trombone

Accolades

2019 Marananga Wine Show
TROPHY
Best Cabernet Sauvignon of Show
James Halliday
95 points



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