



OAKDENE

BELLARINE PENINSULA, GEELONG

TASTING NOTE

2018 OAKDENE SPARKLING SHIRAZ



Appearance

Deep garnet in colour

Bouquet

The bouquet exhibits lifted red and black fruits, white pepper, and spice.

Palate

The palate is dominated by rich spicy red fruits, some clove and white pepper, leading to a soft, medium bodied mid- palate fine mousse and balanced acidity.

Conclusion

Enjoy well chilled as an aperitif with or without food.

Technical Analysis

Vineyard Location

Wallington, Bellarine Peninsula, Geelong, Victoria, Australia

Latitude -38.233674 Longitude 144.540137

Climate

Maritime climate moderated by Bass Strait to the south, the Rip at Port Phillip Heads to the east, Swan Bay and Port Phillip bay to the North, and the Barwon River to the west.

Soils

Moderate draining loam over a clay loam subsoil

Trellis style

Vertical shoot positioning (VSP)

Clones

PT23, Bests (Great Western)

Vines Planted

2001 & 2002

Fermentation

Oakdene Sparkling shiraz is a complex, dry, sparkling wine crafted from rich, spicy estate grown Shiraz made in the "traditional method", where the secondary ferment takes place in bottle. The wine is left to ferment and age on lees for 18 months before hand riddling, disgorging, corking and finished with a measured dosage (still wine and sugar addition) to balance the wine and fill out the palate.

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Alcohol 13.4% v/v

Residual Sugar 24.00 g/L

Case Production 352 dozen

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