

## McLaren Vale Shiraz

## 92 POINTS | ANDREW GRAHAM

This red shows the way — it's modern McLaren Vale Shiraz in full splendour. Bold and black fruited, it sings with a licoricey, chunky, mid-palate driven style, the flavours chunky, the palate seductive. I almost picked this as having some Viognier in the mix, such is the silkiness and sly perfume. The late warmth is unavoidable (if a distraction), but it doesn't hurt the appeal. I gave half the bottle to my brother in law who doesn't always drink Shiraz and he loved it too. I can see why. Best drinking: I like it now. Sure it will settle a bit but it's ready now.

Oz Wine Reviews, 31 January 2020 2018 Vintage

## 92 POINTS | PATRICK ECKEL

A quintessential example of McLaren Vale Shiraz at a great price; the nose is brimming with blackberry and plum alongside milk chocolate, spice and some saline notes. Medium to full bodied with a moreish baseline of tannin and oak richness with the saline note that is constant and an impressive addition to the concentrated dark berry fruits. There is a plushness of milk chocolate to finish with some earthen savoury nuance and excellent length.

Wine Reviewer, 12 January 2020 2018 Vintage

## SILVER MEDAL | 93 POINTS

Class 12, Shiraz 2018 or Younger.

McLaren Vale Wine Show 2019 2018 Vintage