

BLUE EYED BOY SHIRAZ, MOLLYDOOKER

Vintage

2018



(AUSSIE FOR LEFT HANDED)

MOLLYDOOKER



Named after Sarah's son Luke, who appears on the label, Blue Eyed Boy is 100% Shiraz from McLaren Vale.

TASTING NOTE

The colour and fragrance of plum provide an alluring first glance, with gentle notes of strawberry and mocha filling the aroma. Expressive, rich fruit adds elements of blueberries and molten chocolate, while subtle tannins create a silky mouthfeel.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Starting in early March, the 2018 vintage can be defined by the even ripening that led to great fermentation conditions.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

The grapes came into the winery at a steady pace with excellent colour and breadth of flavour shown as soon as the fruit was first crushed. Ferments were easily controlled allowing efficient extraction of tannins and flavours from the skins during pump-overs. Malolactic fermentation moved quickly during the oak maturation phase to reveal the intensity and depth of character that will be the hallmark of the 2018 wines. Blue Eyed Boy was both fermented and matured in 100% American oak barrels, of which 58% were new, 42% one year old.

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol

15.5

Residual sugar

0.8

pH

3.65

GREEN CREDENTIALS

Member of Sustainable Winegrowing Australia.

ATTRIBUTES



Origin

Australia



Variety

Shiraz (Syrah)



Malolactic Fermentation

Yes



Bottle Size

75cl



Vegetarian

Yes



Fining Agent



Closure

Screw top



Region

McLaren Vale



Vegan

Yes