

**TWO IN THE BUSH SHIRAZ, BIRD IN HAND**

 Vintage **2018**


Named after one of the original mineshafts in the Bird in Hand goldmine, Two in the Bush wines are great value wines designed for everyday drinking.

**TASTING NOTE**

Deep red in colour with bright purple hues, this wine exhibits lifted and intense aromas, with ripe and spicy dark fruit characters of blackberry and black plum mixed with a touch of pepper and vanilla bean. A medium- to full-bodied, elegant wine, it shows a balanced acidity and silky tannins, culminating in a long finish on the palate.

**VINTAGE CONDITIONS**

A dry spring and summer followed good rains throughout winter. Coupled with very warm January and February days yet mild nights, this led to optimal colour and flavour development for the 2018 harvest red wines.

**VINIFICATION DETAILS**

Harvested in the cool early morning, the fruit was destemmed with a large proportion of whole berries transferred into open fermenters. Parcels spent between 7-12 days on skins before being transferred to new (20%) and older French oak barrels for 14 months.


**TECHNICAL ANALYSIS**

<b>Alcohol</b>	
14.5	
<b>pH</b>	<b>Acidity</b>
3.64	5.9

**AWARDS**

Global Shiraz/Syrah Masters: Gold  
IWC: Silver

**ATTRIBUTES**

 <b>Origin</b> Australia	 <b>Variety</b> Shiraz (Syrah)	 <b>Malolactic Fermentation</b> Yes	 <b>Bottle Size</b> 75cl	 <b>Vegetarian</b> Yes
 <b>Fining Agent</b> Egg white	 <b>Closure</b> Screw top	 <b>Region</b> Adelaide Hills	 <b>Vegan</b> No	