

**BISCAY ROAD**  
**BAROSSA VALLEY**  
**SHIRAZ**  
**2022**

FOURTH GEN.  VIGNERONS

**BISCAY**  
**ROAD**



### **BISCAY ROAD VINEYARD**

Planted in 1981, the iconic Biscay Road Vineyard is one of only a few in the Barossa where the soil is unique, the cracking clay Biscay soils provide ideal vine growing conditions for red varieties. Biscay Road Vineyard grows Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon and Durif (Petit Syrah) across 64 acres on the edge of Tanunda and Bethany. It also supplies grapes to some of the most well-known wineries in the Barossa.

### **VINTAGE CONDITIONS**

Vintage 2022 kicked off with average to above average rainfall during winter through to November giving way to a very dry December with a large rain event in February freshening up the vines leading into harvest.

Yields from the vineyard was low but the fruit showed excellent intensity with acid levels holding in the grapes for a prolonged period providing near perfect ripening conditions. Winemakers are talking about vintage '22 wines as elegant and structured, with depth and length of flavour.

### **TASTING NOTES**

Luscious deep ruby red in colour with a bright nose featuring lifted aromas of black pepper, plums and hints of tobacco leaf. The palate is medium to full bodied showing excellent balance with flavours of blackberry, spicy plum sauce, all spice and charcuterie before giving way to a fine tannin finish of moderate length. An excellent example of classic Barossa Shiraz.

### **FOOD MATCHING**

Enjoy with grilled lamb and a chestnut and cashew loaf.

### **VEGAN FRIENDLY**

Our wines don't contain any traditional fining agents such as egg whites or casein (a protein found in milk) and are made without the use of animal products.

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

<b>Winemaker:</b>	Dan Graham
<b>Varietal:</b>	Shiraz 100%
<b>Region:</b>	Barossa Valley
<b>Oak Maturation:</b>	Aged for 18 months in French oak puncheons.
<b>Alc:</b> 15.0%, <b>pH:</b> 3.40, <b>TA:</b> 7.20 g/L	
<b>Harvest Date:</b>	April 2022



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