

**Biodynamic wines  
grounded in earth.**

**Gemtree**

## Our Vineyards



At Gemtree we have been gifted the opportunity to work a unique patch of the earth in South Australia's McLaren Vale. By respecting and nurturing this land we harvest high quality, flavourful grapes each and every vintage from vineyards farmed with care.



## Meet the Family



The spirited husband and wife team of Melissa and Mike Brown are the custodians and proprietors of Gemtree.

Living in one of Australia's most celebrated natural regions has given them a mindfulness about the environment and the earth.



# Sustainability and Biodynamics



Biodynamic farming is not magic, nor is it a mystical belief that relies more upon hope than science. Biodynamics is simply a way of farming that enhances the soil and the environment around it through natural improvers rather than chemical sprays.





# **McLaren Vale Wine Region**

McLaren Vale is our home. A place where we work in our beautiful vineyards and play in the oceans and rivers of the Fleurieu Peninsula. Our vineyards are here, 40 kilometres south of Adelaide, the capital city of South Australia.





# Our Wines



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At Gemtree we revel in both creative innovation and the hands off, simple approach of winemaking.

Each and every bottle of Gemtree wine is a reflection of our individual estate, how and where our fruit is grown.





# Subterra Shiraz



Aged in a single barrel buried in the earth under our vines, this is an exceptional, rare and unique Shiraz experience. A wine truly made in the vineyard.

Subterra is a dark, dense and brooding Shiraz layered with rich intensity found in the great wines of the world.





# The Obsidian Shiraz



Grown from ancient soils, Gemtree's Obsidian Shiraz is born of the earth.

This Shiraz is hand crafted, shows the typicity of our great quality vineyards and is nurtured so the purity of fruit prevails, resulting in a truly remarkable and polished wine. The Obsidian is an elegant and pure Shiraz, impeccably integrated and balanced.



# Ernest Allan Shiraz



Ernest Allan Rivers was a market gardener and vigneron; he was also the grandfather of Melissa Brown, Gemtree proprietor and biodynamic viticulturalist. Ernest Allan Shiraz is a wine that celebrates and validates the relationship between the earth and the vine.

An intensely rich Shiraz, Ernest Allan is worthy of a memorable occasion.





# The Phantom Red Blend



Each year The Phantom appears – remarkable and startling, only revealing itself after its maker has skilfully blended each of its components.

The Phantom is a harmonised chorus of McLaren Vale fruit; a red wine soaked in creativity and innovation where the varieties and blends will change each year.

If you crave some intrigue and mystery, discover the x-factor of The Phantom.



# Small Batch Grenache

## SBO & SBE



Our Small Batch wines are made from small parcels of organic fruit, these wines are an expression of the joy and curiosity of winemaking.

Our 2020 Small Batch Grenache wines are the perfect manifestation of our Small Batch philosophy. Starting their journey to the bottle the exact same way, one parcel was sent to mature in oak barrels, the other concrete eggs.

The result? Two very different wines, a vinous curiosity.





# The Foundation Collection



Distinctive biodynamic wines of provenance.

The first wines we made. Our Foundation Collection wines are pure, flavourful and consistently excellent quality that showcase our home and encapsulate our biodynamic philosophies.



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## **Luna Crescente**

**Fiano**

**McLaren Vale**

The waning crescent moon is a time for relaxation. This Fiano is crisp, fresh, floral and textural. A perfect accompaniment.

## **Luna de Fresa**

**Rosé**

**McLaren Vale**

Luna de Fresa is everything we love about Rosé; dry, fresh and mouth watering!

## **Luna Temprana**

**Tempranillo (preservative free)**

**McLaren Vale**

Our Tempranillo is an aromatic and textural wine, with bright and juicy blueberry and cherry cola flavours.

## **Uncut**

**Shiraz**

**McLaren Vale**

Uncut is the first wine we made, a distinctive McLaren Vale Shiraz. It is generous, layered, bright and textural.

## **Bloodstone**

**Shiraz**

**McLaren Vale**

A pure and velvety Shiraz evoking ripe red cherries and black currants. Enjoy now or over the next five years.

## **Cinnabar**

**Grenache Shiraz Mataro**

**McLaren Vale**

Our GSM is blended seamlessly, a bright and lively wine bursting with delicious cherry and raspberry flavours.





