

HUGH HAMILTON

THE SCALLYWAG

2022

HUGH HAMILTON IS THE 5TH GENERATION OF A LARGE WINE DYNASTY AND IS REGARDED AS THE BLACK SHEEP OF THE FAMILY.

HIS DAUGHTER AND 6TH GENERATION OF THE FAMILY, MARY, CONTINUES THE LEGACY, MAKING US AUSTRALIA'S OLDEST WINE FAMILY.

THE BLACK SHEEP EXPERIENCE IS EXTRAORDINARY. HUGH IS THE MASTER OF A MOST REPROBATE RANGE OF VARIETIES FROM THE CLASSICS TO THE MORE ECLECTIC. WHEN IT COMES TO TASTING OUR WINES, YOU CAN EXPECT TO ENJOY THE DIFFERENCE.



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STORY

Knock, Knock. Who's there? Chardonnay. Chardonnay who? You know me. I'm THE classic white grape variety and I'm back. Where on earth have you been for the past few years? Quite simply I never went away; I've just been out of the spotlight while people have been sucked in by that shallow 'other white'. But guess what? They are now sick of it. Quite understandably because it lacks depth and it's always the same old, same old. On the other hand, I have always been about character and that means you don't tire of me easily. So, I didn't go away but nevertheless I'm back with renewed interest and, believe it or not, popularity. Now you can fall in love with me... all over again. Convince me you Scallywag! Read on McDuff...

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The amazing array of soils and topographies in McLaren Vale make an amazing range of styles and wines possible here. This Scallywag is sourced from the roof of the Vale, just a stone's throw from the Adelaide Hills, and yet retains all the best parts of its regional identity.

BOUQUET AND PALATE

Striking and subtle and satisfying, the Scally sidles up and says 'enjoy'. All white peaches, creamy/toasty oak, both bay and lemon leaves, and also a titch of vanilla and sage leaf. A swaggerous Scallywag that knows it's good and doesn't mind telling you all about it.

MCLAREN FLAT

VARIETAL

Chardonnay

COLOUR

Brilliant Straw

DRINK

Now through two years for reliable pleasure.

FOOD MATCH

Baked Rainbow Trout with Lemongrass, steamed Pak Choi and coconut rice.

HARVEST DATE

7th March 2022

BOTTLING DATE

17th January 2023

ANALYSIS: TA: 6.5 g/l | **PH:** 3.4 | **ALC:** 12.5% | **RS:** <1.0 g/l

