

# VOYAGER ESTATE

MARGARET RIVER



EST. 1978

# THE PUREST EXPRESSION OF PLACE

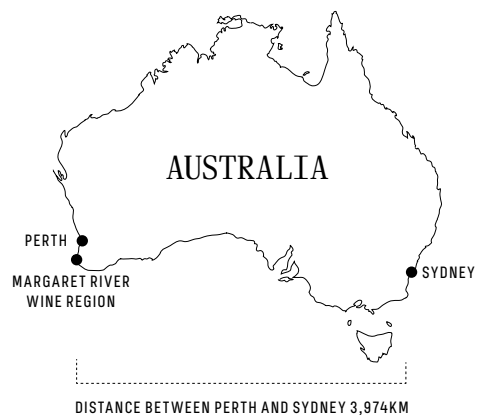
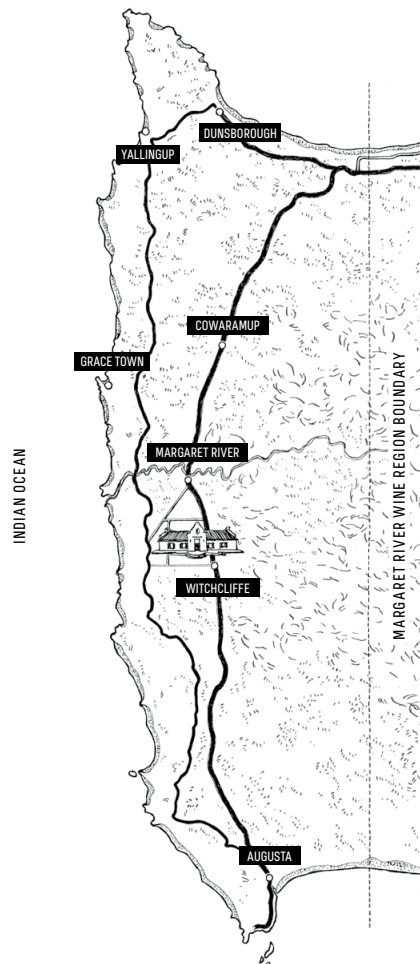
ORGANICALLY FARMED  
100% ESTATE GROWN & MADE  
WINES OF PLACE

# OUR PATCH OF MARGARET RIVER

The story behind every bottle begins in our little pocket of southern Margaret River, Stevens Valley, a place where idyllic microclimate, ancient geology and coastal influence converge to create our distinctive Voyager Estate style.







Our ultimate ambition couldn't be simpler – to craft wines that do justice to our extraordinary climate and soils through some of the purest expressions of Chardonnay and Cabernet Sauvignon in the world.

We're proud to have harvested our first certified organic grapes in 2020,

with the entire vineyard fully certified organic by 2023.

Through our continued focus on sustainability, craft and innovation, we aim to shine a light on Margaret River, one of the world's great wine regions, and our special place in it.



## INDEPENDENT, FAMILY-OWNED AND RUN

From the moment our founder dipped his shovel in the gravelly soils all those years ago, he knew this place was special. Voyager Estate is one of the iconic wine estates of the Margaret River region, conceived by Michael Wright— a farmer and regional pioneer.

To this day, Voyager Estate remains a small, family-owned and independently-run business, now lead by Michael's daughter Alexandra Burt. She is fiercely committed to a sustainable future that continues her father's legacy of creating wines of place.

# OUR CRAFT, OUR WINE

To lead the production of site-expressive wines with a genuine sense of place, our viticulture and winemaking team uses minimal input methods and organic farming practices, encouraging the vines to work harder

and go deeper, ultimately ultimately enhancing the expression of place. Farming sustainably for decades, the conversion to organic certification was the natural next step.





“Our wines are distinctive because they express a sense of place in every bottle, highlighting the unique soils and climate conditions we experience in Margaret River. They tell a story of power and refined elegance that cannot be emulated anywhere else in the world. Each year, we strive for excellence and to do justice to our special patch of land through meticulous organic practices on the property.”

TRAVIS LEMM, WINEMAKER & WINERY MANAGER

## WINE COLLECTION

All our wines are single estate grown and made. Each variety plays its part in demonstrating the effect that our site’s gravel soils, microclimate, aspect and maritime influence—wines that could be from no other place on earth; uniquely Voyager Estate and distinctly Margaret River.



## CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Uniquely expressive of our terroir - powerful yet elegant



## OTHER VARIETALS

Pure expressions of Southern Margaret River



## CHARDONNAY

Complex and textural with impeccable balance



## PROJECT WINES

Small batch innovation and alternate varieties





# OUR PEOPLE

The influence of our people, their ideas, passions and interpretations over the generations is what makes Voyager Estate what it is today.

Between Travis, Glen, Alex and James there is over 60 years of vineyard and winemaking experience.



TRAVIS LEMM, WINEMAKER & WINERY MANAGER



GLEN RYAN, VINEYARD MANAGER



JAMES PENTON, ASSISTANT WINEMAKER



ALEX MILLER, TECHNICAL VITICULTURIST

# A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

From the practices in our vineyard to the way we care for our planet and our people, sustainability is at the core of Voyager Estate. We aim to leave the land in a better place than we found it for future generations. Over the past 20 years we've put the health

of our environment and soils front and centre, using beneficial bugs to combat pests, turning our grape marc and kitchen scraps into mounds of beautiful compost, and having an advanced irrigation system that conserves our water resources.



We've planted over 70,000 indigenous trees to rehabilitate cleared farmland and slow surface run-off. We carefully monitor waterways and reuse winery wastewater for wood lot watering.

Beyond the land, Voyager Estate engages with philosophically-aligned partners with the aim of making a positive impact on the region. 25% of our energy comes from our own solar panels and we offset the balance of our carbon footprint by purchasing approved carbon credits.

In addition to our organics program, we are a certified member of Sustainable Winegrowing Australia (SWA), a national program for winemakers to demonstrate

and continuously improve their sustainability in the vineyard and winery through the environmental, social and economic aspects of their businesses.

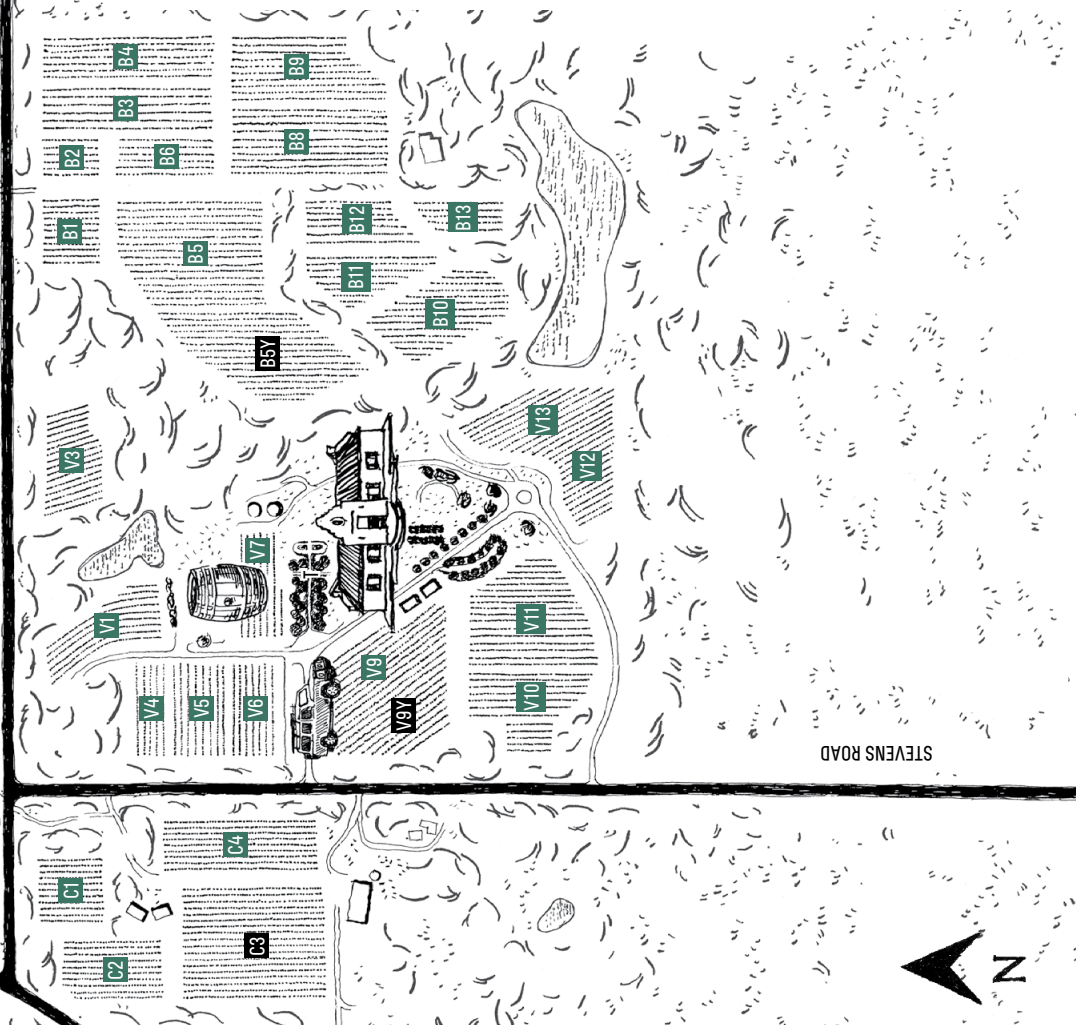
In 2022 we were welcomed as an applicant member of International Wineries for Climate Action (IWCA) confirming our commitment to taking immediate and long-term action to reduce greenhouse emission. Membership to IWCA requires becoming Net Zero by 2050 at the latest, demonstrating a constant annual reduction of greenhouse emissions and for all winemaking operations to be powered by renewable energy.



GNARAWARY ROAD

# VINEYARD MAP

CERTIFIED ORGANIC BLOCKS  
The remaining blocks will be certified by 2023



## CORDI

- C1 - Petit Verdot EST 1994
- C2 - Shiraz EST 1994
- C3 - Tempranillo EST 2007
- C4 - Chardonnay EST 1994

## VOYAGER

- V1 - Chenin Blanc EST 1993
- V2 - Chardonnay EST 1998
- V3 - Merlot EST 1998
- V4 - Merlot EST 1998
- V5 - Chenin Blanc EST 1998
- V6 - Semillon EST 1998
- V7 - Chardonnay EST 1998
- V8 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 1998
- V9 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 1998
- V10 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2002
- V11 - Sauvignon Blanc EST 2004
- V12 - Chardonnay EST 2004
- V13 - Chardonnay EST 2002

## WEIGHTMAN

- W1 - Chenin Blanc EST 2000
- W2 - Merlot EST 2007
- W3 - Shiraz EST 2000
- W4 - Shiraz EST 2008
- W5 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2007
- W6 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2007
- W7 - Cabernet Franc EST 2007
- W8 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2008
- W9 - Merlot EST 2003
- W10 - Chardonnay EST 2009
- W11 - Chardonnay EST 2009
- W12 - Chardonnay EST 2008
- W13 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2008

## BROADVALE

- B1 - Malbec EST 2006
- B2 - Cabernet Sauvignon EST 2005
- B3 - Sauvignon Blanc EST 2002
- B4 - Sauvignon Blanc EST 2002
- B5 - Chardonnay EST 2009
- B6 - Chardonnay EST 2007
- B7 - Chardonnay EST 2004
- B8 - Sauvignon Blanc EST 2004
- B9 - Chardonnay EST 2004
- B10 - Chardonnay EST 2002
- B11 - Chardonnay EST 2006
- B12 - Chardonnay EST 2006
- B13 - Chardonnay EST 2007

As part of our ongoing commitment to our land, we are proud to be active members of Sustainable Winegrowing Australia's national program.



# SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

## RESTAURANT

Our award-winning degustation experiences reflect a fervour for Margaret River's coastal climate and our pristine local ingredients. Guests are invited to select from the seven-course Discovery Menu or the four-course Terroir Menu – each has been created in harmony with our wines and celebrates the progress of the vines, as well as the nuances of each season.

## WINE ROOM

The Wine Room is the gateway to our Estate, a space to discover our story and explore our wines of place. Enjoy wines to taste or buy, paired with locally sourced cheese plates. On warmer days, our Wine Terrace is a great place to enjoy a wine by the glass outside, or take advantage of our picnic rugs and relax on the lawn.







## ICONIC GROUNDS

Amidst a sanctuary of lush gardens and rolling lawns, our Cellar Door is housed in a beautiful white-washed Cape Dutch Manor House, all ringed by Estate vineyards and majestic Marris.

## EXPERIENCES

Guests are invited to taste their way through our range of elegant Margaret River wines, step out into the Vineyard and Winery and sample wine straight from the barrel, or dig deeper with a Sommelier-hosted look at wine craft and appreciation.

# AT A GLANCE

## VINEYARDS

~ 115 hectares (~ 284 acres)

~ 53% whites, 47% reds

95 hectares will be certified organic for the 2022 harvest

20 hectares are currently in conversion with Australian Certified Organic for 2023 harvest.

## CLIMATE

Temperate maritime

(MJT 20.4 degrees), average annual rainfall c. 1000mm (85% of which falls during winter and spring)

## SOILS

Predominantly deep, free-draining red/brown gravelly soils over a stony/clay sub-soil

## WHITE VARIETIES PLANTED

Chardonnay, Semillon, Sauvignon Blanc, Chenin Blanc, Sauvignon Gris

## RED VARIETIES PLANTED

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Shiraz, Tempranillo, Cabernet Franc, Malbec

## LOCATION

Steven's Valley, Margaret River

## AREA

~300 hectares (~741 acres)

## PRODUCTION

480,000 bottles

## AVERAGE GRAPE CRUSH

~500 tonnes

# ACCOLADES

## RAY JORDAN'S THE WEST AUSTRALIAN WINE GUIDE 2022

2019 MJW Chardonnay	98 pts
2019 Chardonnay	95 pts
2017 Cabernet Sauvignon	95 pts

## JAMES HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION 2022

2018 MJW Chardonnay	98 pts
2016 MJW Cabernet Sauvignon	97 pts
2017 Cabernet Sauvignon	96 pts
2018 The Modern Cabernet Sauvignon	95 pts
2019 Chardonnay	95 pts
2019 Broadvale Block 6 Chardonnay	95 pts
2020 Chenin Blanc	95 pts

## THE GLOBAL CHARDONNAY MASTERS 2021

Winner, Master Award  
2019 Voyager Estate Chardonnay

## AUSTRALIAN CHENIN BLANC CHALLENGE 2021

Winner, Best Young Chenin Blanc of Australia  
Winner, Best Chenin Blanc of Margaret River  
2020 Voyager Estate Chenin Blanc



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We look forward to welcoming you to  
our magical corner of the world soon.