

2020 SEPPELTSFIELD BAROSSA GRENACHE

VINEYARD

The 2020 Seppeltsfield Barossa Grenache is the result of an evolution of the estate's prized Great Terraced Vineyard. The vineyard lies on the Western boundary of the Seppeltsfield estate itself and is planted in contoured rows and dry grown. The harvest of Grenache once solely fed Seppeltsfield's Tawny (fortified) wines, however a new perspective of retaining parcels of lighter bright fruit from a varietal still wine is now being employed. This is achieved through the selection of blocks and rows on the mid and lower levels of the vineyard, which are less exposed and moderated by cooling gully breezes.

The vineyard is entirely bush vine planted (no wire trellis or posts) which dictates only hand pruning and hand picking.

WINEMAKING

The 2020 Barossa Grenache is crafted in a 'joven' style – released young and without any oak maturation. The Grenache was vinified through the historic 1888 Gravity Cellar – which is highly regarded for its small batch format and gentle maceration. Built into the hillside on a series of terraces, gravity guides the flow of fruit down through the winery to deliver gentle extraction of colour, flavour and tannin.

TASTING NOTES

Sourced from the famous terraced vineyard at Seppeltsfield, this wine is joven in style and medium bodied, with a core of pure fruit and lithe tannin.

Colour: Brilliantly vibrant with crimson and blood red hues.

Aroma: Fresh picked raspberry and mulberry, dark cherry.

Palate: Deeply fruited mid palate with raspberry, cranberry, red cherry and complex notes of dark chocolate, complemented with fine cocoa tannins.

Food pairing: Char-grilled lamb or classic pork cassoulet.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Alcohol – 14.5%

Variety – Grenache (100%)

Region – Barossa, South Australia

RRP \$25

