

## FIFTH GENERATION Shiraz 2018

Frankland River Western Australia

COLOUR

Dark Ruby red.

NOSE

Lifted bouquet of violet, vanillin and white pepper.

PALATE

Flavours of rich plum with floral notes and white pepper finish. Fine velvety tannins integrated with oak fill the palate to give a long savoury finish.

## WINEMAKING

The Shiraz fruit was harvested ensuring perfect sugar, acid and tannin ripeness was achieved. The fruit was brought into the winery and fermentation started. Once fermentation was completed, the wine was then gently pressed off the skins, transferred to oak and allowed to complete malolactic fermentation in a mix of new and seasoned French oak barriques. Following 10 months maturation in the barriques, all barrels were tasted and the best from each parcel of Shiraz and a small batch of Merlot were selected to create this premium Shiraz wine, epitomising the best from Frankland River.

FOOD PAIRING

Ideal with hearty beef dishes and stews.

## VINTAGE NOTES

A superb vintage with perfect growing conditions throughout Spring. This ensured the development of healthy canopies, setting the vineyard up beautifully for the rest of the season. Mild, temperate conditions continued allowing the fruit to ripen perfectly, displaying pristine fruit quality with an abundance of flavour intensity, natural acid and sugar balance.

## QUICK NOTES

VINTAGE 2018
WINEMAKERS Elysia Harrison
GRAPE VARIETY Shiraz
BOTTLED May 2019
GROWING AREA Frankland River,
Western Australia

ALC %/VOL 14.9% v/v

TITRATABLE ACIDITY 6.06 g/I

PH 3.7

CELLAR POTENTIAL 10 - 15 years

OAK French

MATURATION 14 months on oak

TWO HORSES, TWO

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