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MARGARET RIVER

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MARGARET RIVER, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Established in 1970 as one of Margaret River's 'founding five' wineries, Cape Mentelle pioneered many of the region's renowned wine styles and today is a benchmark for the quality of the region's wines. Wine industry pioneer, David Hohnen, and his brothers Mark and Giles established Cape Mentelle Vineyards in 1970. The winery takes its name from the nearby Cape, named by the French 'Baudin Expedition' which charted the coast of Western Australia in 1801.

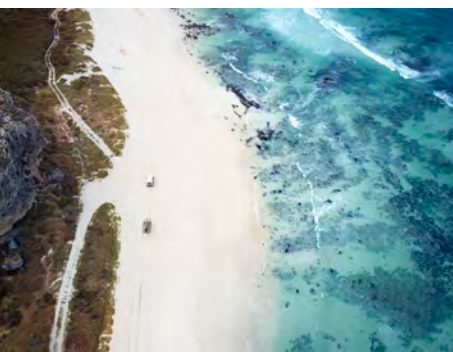




Senior Winemaker Coralie Lewis



Viticulturist David Moulton



In 1983 Cape Mentelle won the coveted Jimmy Watson Memorial Award for the best one-year-old dry red wine, and cemented its position as a premium wine maker with another win in 1984. Our Cabernet Sauvignon is now widely regarded as one of Australia's leading cabernets.

Another wine to become a core part of the winery's portfolio was the distinctive Zinfandel. The 1972 plantings at Cape Mentelle were one of the first commercial vineyards of the variety in Western Australia.

Whilst the first focus was on red wines, including Shiraz, there was a turning point for the production of white wines, when David Hohnen was inspired to craft a stylish Sauvignon Blanc Semillon blend, that was to become another benchmark of the Margaret River region, alongside Chardonnay.

Today Cape Mentelle continues to build on its solid foundations of winemaking and viticultural excellence, led by Cape Mentelle Manager and Viticulturist David Moulton and Senior Winemaker Coralie Lewis.

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CHAPEL HILL

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McLAREN VALE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Chapel Hill Winery is a prestigious and award-winning winery in McLaren Vale, South Australia. At Chapel Hill, there exists a deep respect for their land and vines. Along with the rich history, this has inspired the vision to handcraft wines with purity and balance through gentle winemaking.





Winemaker Michael Fragos, Viticulturist Rachel Steer, Winemaker Bryn Richards

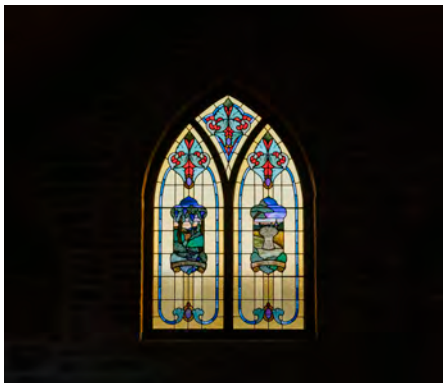


The winery and vineyard are situated on the site of the Seaview Methodist chapel and schoolhouse. The 1865 ironstone chapel still stands today and is an integral feature of the popular tasting room. The winery founder Thomas Nelson hand planted the vineyard on the estate starting in 1972 and the first vintage was in 1975. Chapel Hill is celebrating its 50th consecutive vintage in 2024.

At Chapel Hill there exists a deep respect for their land and vines. Along with the rich history, this inspires the vision to handcraft wines with purity and balance. All of the grapes and wines are handled gently in small batches to showcase the wonderful site and varietal characters of McLaren Vale.

Chapel Hill has been led by the winemaking team of Michael Fragos and Bryn Richards since the mid 2000s. Success came early for the pair, with Chapel Hill being awarded 'World's Best Winemaker' at the International Wine and Spirits Competition 2007 in London.

Michael and Bryn were then joined by Viticulturist Rachel Steer, who has great passion for sustainable farming practices. As a team they have enjoyed continual success, with their wines being recognised with international wine show awards and ongoing appreciation from the influential wine media. The combined grape-growing and winemaking philosophies continue to evolve, seeing Chapel Hill Winery become one of the most respected and trusted wineries in McLaren Vale.



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ISABEL
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MARLBOROUGH

Isabel Estate

MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND

Isabel Estate is one of the original Marlborough vineyards, with some of the oldest vines in the region on original rootstock. Planted early in the 1980s, the estate was eventually established in 1994. Isabel now focuses on sustainability, vineyards, small-batch wine and high-quality winemaking.

Estate grown, estate made in the Wairau Valley.





Chief Winemaker Jeremy McKenzie

It's all about staying true to their roots, by creating exceptional wines 100 per cent grown and bottled within the boundaries of the estate. Each block produces grapes that grow to express the distinctive characters of each individual patch of terroir, contributing to Isabel Estate's distinguished wines of elegance and finesse.

Located on the edge of the Omaka River, Isabel Estate is a single estate that enjoys extended sunshine hours and mild autumns that help the grapes ripen slowly and develop intense flavours and aromas. With some of the oldest vines in the region, the vineyards are watched over by Chief Winemaker, Jeremy McKenzie, who has a passion for creating wines that reflect the unique terroir of this world-class wine region.

The Isabel Estate philosophy on working the land is simple: "Respect the soil where the grapes grow and allow the unique characters of each vineyard and variety to be expressed in the final wine". This philosophy – mixed with a dash of passion in the winemaking process – has made Isabel Estate an international favourite, and the perfect ambassador for a remarkable region.

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JOSEF CHROMY
T A S M A N I A

Josef Chromy

TAMAR VALLEY, TASMANIA

Josef Chromy is one of the most renowned wineries in Tasmania. Producing exceptional, cool-climate wines and méthode traditionnelle sparklings, they showcase the unique terroir of the Tamar Valley region.

Chief Winemaker, Oekie Myburgh, and the team aim to produce wines of simple purity and elegance, wines with intense flavour, and a refreshing structure and natural balance.





Chief Winemaker Oockie Myburgh



At the heart of Josef Chromy is the desire to capture the true essence of Tasmania and share it with the world. Capturing the purity, elegance and fresh vitality of this island in everything they do and crafting wines that invite you to explore its untouched wilderness, and discover the genuine and generous character that makes it such a unique gift to the world of wine.

Working exclusively with cool climate varieties, the team aim to fully express the delicate aromatics, always in harmony with a richness of texture and layered complexity.

Intensity of flavour and natural crisp acidity of the grapes is critical. Year round viticulture is crucial, whilst choosing the perfect picking window to capture their essence.

All of the equipment at Josef Chromy wines is carefully selected to ensure gentle handling in the winery, ensuring the integrity and delicate characteristics of the fruit are maintained. This is their commitment to quality and winemaking philosophy.



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Kronndorf

BAROSSA VALLEY, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Head Winemaker, Nick Badrice, makes wines inspired by tradition with his signature touch of freshness. Barossa through and through, these wines speak of place and an in-depth understanding of the diverse terrain this exceptional region has to offer.





Krondorf's story is one of love, faith and hope. Those were the three values held by the Silesian settlers who established the Krondorf village in the Barossa Valley in 1847. The settlers left a lasting impression on the area's architecture, farmlands and vineyards, as they pioneered a winemaking tradition that continues to this day. Krondorf has gone on to receive incredible recognition, including being awarded the prestigious Jimmy Watson Memorial Trophy for the 1979 Krondorf Cabernet Sauvignon at the 1980 Royal Melbourne Wine Awards. Today, under the stewardship of experienced Head Winemaker, Nick Badrice, Krondorf has experienced a revival, crafting bold, fruit-forward wines that capture acclaim and accolades.

Nick has reignited the passion for great small-batch winemaking, and rediscovered the spirit of those early settlers. His mission is to make wines that are truly expressive of vineyard sites from where the grapes are grown. With Krondorf's history and heritage deeply ingrained in the Barossa landscape, Nick works with the carefully selected fruit to create wines true to their roots with a contemporary touch. Nick shows true talent and an in-depth understanding of what the Barossa has to offer, and how to get that perfectly into each bottle.

Krondorf's future is looking bright, with a number of acclaimed ranges currently showcasing the results of the label's enviable vintage resources, including old Barossa vines and lasting relationships with local family growers. Discover the fantastic flavours and lasting legacy of Krondorf wines, made as always with love, faith and hope.



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Head Winemaker Nick Badrice



OAKRIDGE 

Oakridge Wines

YARRA VALLEY, VICTORIA

Oakridge were at the forefront of reviving the Yarra Valley as a wine area in the early 1980s. Today, they have grown to become an internationally recognised wine producer of award-winning wines. Cool-climate site specialists, their wines emanate freshness, balance and length, showing an understanding of the region with sustainable practices at the forefront of all decision-making.





Chief Winemaker David Bicknell



Oakridge Wines have truly earned their position as being amongst the most respected and admired producers in the Australian wine industry. Pioneers of the Upper Yarra Valley, Oakridge saw the potential for making great wine on the rich red volcanic soils of this unique sub-region.

They were at the forefront of reviving the Yarra Valley as a wine area in the early 1980s, and today, they have grown to become an internationally recognised wine producer of award-winning wines. Holding an impressive accumulated tally of over 500 domestic and international trophies and medals, Oakridge is a shining light in cool-climate, minimal-intervention viticulture and winemaking.

From vine to cellar, sustainable practices are at the forefront of all decision-making. Great wine begins in the vineyard, so the focus in the vineyard is on environmentally sensitive practices and valuing the vine and soil health to grow the best possible fruit. The team's expertise and innate understanding of the region shines through, with each site and aspect carefully chosen to suit each variety. All grapes are handpicked to maintain the uncompromising quality Oakridge is renowned for. In the cellar, a similar approach is taken, with very little additions made throughout the winemaking process. With such exceptional fruit, a gentle touch is all that is required.

It is David Bicknell who heads up the team as Chief Winemaker. A true master who has helped to shape the modern styles of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir that the Yarra Valley is known for. He is joined by Viticulturist Steve Faulkner and these meticulous hands work together to ensure quality is at the core of what they grow and produce. They make wines which emanate freshness, balance and length, showing an understanding of the region.

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RIDDOCH
COONAWARRA

Riddoch

COONAWARRA , SOUTH AUSTRALIA

*Regarded as one of the founding fathers of Australian wine,
John Riddoch was the first to see the potential in the soils of
Coonawarra on South Australia's Limestone Coast.*

*More than 130 years since John planted his first vines,
the award-winning wines that bear his name are grown in that
same region, providing consistent fruit quality and a
distinctive flavour.*





With a long, cool ripening season (a climate similar to that of Bordeaux), the vineyards of Coonawarra are famously ideal for producing Cabernet Sauvignon. Riddoch boasts award-winning Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz, with great structure and rich flavours.

So many decades after John first explored the region, Riddoch Coonawarra is now led by Australian winemakers Tim Heath and Matthew Reimann. With over six decades of winemaking experience between them, and hundreds of wine show medals for their work around the country, the two of them work passionately, sourcing exceptional parcels of fruit and building relationships with key growers.

The Riddoch Coonawarra winemakers continue to build and benefit from long and fruitful relationships with Coonawarra grape-growing families. The name and story of Riddoch Coonawarra pay tribute to the legacy of John Riddoch — his pioneering spirit, passion for the region and the potential he unlocked for the world to savour.





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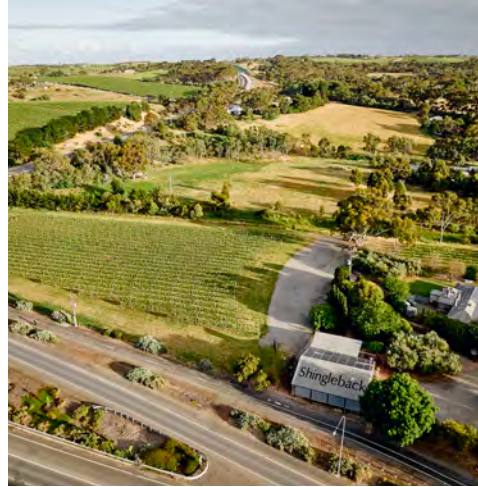
Shingleback

McLAREN VALLEY, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

McLaren Vale in South Australia is renowned as a premium wine growing area of great beauty that consistently produces high quality, richly flavoured wines. Fruit for the Shingleback wines is sourced from The Davey Estate Vineyard, located in Whites Valley at the southern end of the acclaimed wine region.

From its genesis in 1998, the Shingleback portfolio has grown into a collection of fine wines that showcase an uncompromised commitment to excellence.





Shingleback wines is a highly acclaimed McLaren Vale winery, with an enviable list of accolades. Awarded the esteemed Jimmy Watson Trophy in 2006, for the 2005 D Block Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon.

Shingleback has also experienced significant success within the Australian Wine Show circuit, including being awarded the most successful exhibitor at the McLaren Vale Wine show between 2016-2022.

The McLaren Vale region has a Mediterranean climate with wet winters, dry summers and plenty of glorious sunshine. The proximity to St. Vincent Gulf, coincidentally named after the patron saint of winemakers, benefits fruit quality with warmer spring and autumn conditions and cooler summers.

From the sustainably managed Davey Estate vineyard, the goal is to produce high-quality, single vineyard wines. Modern viticultural practices that minimise work to the soil and encourage a balanced environment are critical in our winemaking ethos.

The practice of managing canopies, hand-pruning, precise deficit irrigation and integrated pest management culminate in superior quality fruit and expressive wines.



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