PARACOMBE



## Paracombe 2017 Cabernet Franc

## TASTING NOTES

Single varietal releases of Cabernet Franc are rare in Australia and Paracombe's Cabernet Franc is considered one of the finest examples. Initially released in 1993, we've released a vintage every year since.

Matured in seasoned French Oak barrels, this vintage has delivered a wine with lifted berry, violets and spicy aromas. The palate provides alluring soft fruit, aniseed spice, fine tannin and a lingering finish. Enjoy now or will please with cellaring.

With its gentle style, our Cabernet Franc is suited to mushroom & game dishes.

## WINE INFORMATION

Vintage: 2017

Region: Adelaide Hills, South Australia

Variety: Cabernet Franc

Vineyard: Harvested exclusively from the original 1983

plantings of the Paracombe vineyard

Harvest: 10<sup>th</sup> April 2017

Vinification: Open tank fermentation with hand plunging

Oak: 21 months in French Oak Barriques

Maturation: Bottled and matured in winery underground cellars

for 21 months before release

Alc: 14%

Case: 12 x 750ml

Production: 270 cases (12 x 750mL)

Ageing: 10 Years +

Award History: 2001 Vintage – Trophies for Best Wine of Show, Best

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