



SEPPELTSFIELD
BAROSSA

“ The most historic winery and greatest
showpiece of the Barossa Valley ”

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100/100 Points, Robert Parker's Wine
Advocate

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Lisa Perrotti Brown, Para 100 Year Old Tawny vintages
1908, 1909, 1910, 1913

“ 100/100 Points, James Halliday ”

James Halliday Wine Companion,
Para 100 Year Old Tawny vintages 1907 - 1919

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100/100 Points, James Suckling

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Jamessuckling.com, The Lalique Decanter 'Titan'

The History:

Seppeltsfield was established in the Barossa Valley by Joseph and Johanna Seppelt just 15 years after the European settlement of South Australia. Steeped in rich Barossan heritage, the estate is considered a true national treasure which helped shape the history of the Australian wine industry.

In 1850, Joseph Seppelt, an emigrant of Silesia, purchased 158 acres of land in the Hundred of Nuriootpa from Hermann Kook, farmer of Tanunda, at £1 an acre. Designating it 'Seppeltsfield', Joseph's original intention was to farm tobacco, with later Seppelt generations concentrating the estate's efforts on grape growing and winemaking.

Seppeltsfield flourished into the 20th century, as part of the Seppelt family's expanding interests in the liquor industry, which grew to include vineyards and wineries across various Australian regions. Along with wine, the Seppelt stable included spirits such as Brandy, Gin and Vermouth, as well as an assortment of cordials, vinegars and essences.

Regarded as one of Australia's most successful wine dynasties, the Seppelt family maintained ownership of their wine interests, including Seppeltsfield, until 1985. B Seppelt & Sons, as it was then known, went on to evolve into a period of corporate ownership which extended nearly three decades.

The estate returned to private ownership in 2007, now under the custodianship of proprietor Warren Randall.

Seppeltsfield is most famed for the Centennial Collection - an irreplaceable and unbroken lineage of Tawny, every vintage from 1878 to current year. The estate remains the only winery in the world to release a 100 year old, single vintage wine each year. The estate also boasts a remarkable collection of Apera (Australian Sherry), crossing Fino to Oloroso styles.

More recently, the recommissioning of the 1888 Gravity Cellar has revitalised the estate's prowess with still wines. Super premium Barossa red varietals are once again passed through the Gravity Cellar, which enables gentle colour and tannin extraction - now a coveted modern day winemaking practice.



OUR STORY

Seppeltsfield was established in 1851 by the visionary Seppelt family. The estate was founded on the belief in the importance of providing a whole community with work, purpose and tenure for life.

Today, the fully working heritage-listed winery is undergoing a renaissance. Led by the estate's current proprietor Warren Randall, Seppeltsfield's innovative 1888 Gravity Cellar and surrounding winery buildings have been painstakingly restored into a modern day village, celebrating fine wine, regional dining, crafts and contemporary design.

The Range - Red, White & Sparkling Wines

Hand crafted in the Barossa, our red, white and sparkling range is distinguished by two classifications - 'Village' and 'Grounds'.

Our 'Village' range celebrates the revitalisation of the Seppeltsfield estate as a vibrant community of artisans - a modern day village - and is the foundation of our portfolio. The wine expressions within include classic Barossa varieties, to more emerging and exotic offerings. Our winemakers place particular specialisation in the reimagining of traditional 'fortified' red varieties - many central to the Barossa's early emergence as grape growing region - now crafted into bright, modern wines of purity and elegance.

Our 'Grounds' releases are a study of the Barossa's regional hero - Shiraz. Grown on single vineyard sites across the patchwork of the Barossa, our releases look to express the differences in terroirs of where our fruit is farmed.

As a unique signature of Seppeltsfield, the recent recommissioning of the 1888 Gravity Cellar sees our red varieties once again passed through its heritage-listed walls. The cellar, in complement to open fermentation, enables gentle colour and tannin extraction and preservation of aromatics - now a coveted modern day winemaking practice.



'Village'

'Grounds'



The Range – Para Tawny Collection (Fortified)

The heart and soul of the Seppeltsfield fortified range is the Para Tawny Collection. Para has been synonymous with luxurious fortified wine for more than a century, with the iconic insignia being the name of the river that meanders through the Barossa landscape.

Our Para Tawny Collection includes blended styles classified as 'Grand' and 'Rare', as well as single vintage expressions - sheer concentration and complexity maintaining Seppeltsfield's reputation as Australia's greatest fortified wine estate.



Para Grand Tawny



Para Rare Tawny



Para 21 Year Old Vintage Tawny



BLEND AGE
10
YEARS IN OAK

SEPPELTSFIELD
PARA
GRAND
TAWNY