Yangarra Estate 'PF' Shiraz, McLaren Vale [Organic & Biodynamic] 2021

2022 Vintage

IWC Bronze
2023

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Yangarra

— Mclaren Vale, Australia

The PF Shiraz is a preservative free, fruit-driven Shiraz that is intentionally produced to be enjoyed as a young wine. Grapes are grown on Yangarra's certified biodynamic single-estate vineyard, grown without herbicides, fungicides or synthetic chemicals. It is made without additions of any kind: sulphites, acid, tannin or finings.

Production

Grapes are picked from 19-23 year old vines in the Kangarilla region of McLaren Vale that sits 150-180m above sea level. There are 100 hectares of vineyards at Yangarra in 35 individual blocks. These vineyards are spread amongst an extra 70 hectares of creeks, native vegetation and native corridors. The estate has twelve individual blocks of Shiraz. Each block is defined by different aspects and subtle variations of the sand and Ironstone soils that overlie the ancient North Maslin Sands geological formation. Grapes are hand picked, destemmed and mechanically sorted with a large percentage of whole berries retained and tipped into open-top fermenters. After a few days of gentle cold soaking, the must was allowed to warm, and wild fermentation to occur. The wine was carefully basket pressed after approximately 2 weeks on skins. Bottled in August 2021, after completing malolactic fermentation.

Tasting note

Vibrant plummy fruit with underlying black jacks and dried currants. A hugely energetic drop to follow and in spite of its perceived required youth, it's fascinating to taste how this wine evolves.

Food Match

The intensity of the fruit makes this ideal for salty, snacky food as well as heftier meat dishes. Try with Twiglets, bruschetta or braised pig cheeks.

ABV:
14.00%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Screwcap

Category:
Organic/Sustainable

Appellation:
Kangarilla

Winemaker:
Peter Fraser & Shelley Torresan

Grape Varieties:
Shiraz 100%

Suitable for:
Vegan

Allergen Info:
Contains Sulphites and No Other Allergens

Bottle Barcode:
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