

2009 The Chatterbox Barossa Valley Shiraz



The Chatterbox celebrates everything that's great about youth. Vibrance, energy, enthusiasm, and the wonderment of new discovery.

The winemaking is focused upon creating a medium bodied, yet generously flavoured style of wine that is approachable in its youth.

The Chatterbox is a blend of fragrant and earthy Koonunga Shiraz, with a tiny dash (5%) of Greenock Shiraz for richness.

10 months maturation in only seasoned French oak barrels encourages fineness of tannin and preservation of the vibrance and freshness of fruit character.

No fining nor filtration was performed prior to bottling in February 2010.

Tasting Note : 2009 Arete The Chatterbox Barossa Shiraz

Vibrant deep red with youthful crimson hues.

Lifted floral spice, black cherry, redcurrant with savory earth fruit character on the nose.

The medium to full bodied palate shows licorice, rich dark fruits and a touch of meatiness. Ripe, dry tannin rounds out the finish.

Whilst excellent drinking while young, this wine will reward short term cellaring up to 5-8 years.

Wine Analysis

Alc % 14.1%
Ph 3.59
TA 6.2g/L

Vineyard Coordinates

34°23'54.89"S 139° 0'7.52"E Andy Kalleske's Cemetery Block (Koonunga)
34°26'55.43"S 138°56'46.79"E Shawn Kalleske's Hill Block (Greenock)

350 cases produced



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