Wine Dominion SUMMER 2024

KEMENYS TOP SELLING WHITE PERFECT FOR SUMMER

This is Kemeny's top selling white and it is not hard to see why. Clare Valley Riesling from one of the region's top producers. Classic regional aromas of bright citrus, subtle stone fruit and a whiff of sweet spring blossoms. The palate jumps with fresh, zesty lemon and lime flavours, some green apple and cool river stone minerality. Lively, cleansing acidity tucks in the wine neatly. Best drinking now through 5 years plus. This is available at cellar door for \$24 a bottle. Or you can secretly receive this from us, under its makers label, for only \$12.95 a bottle!

\$12.95 PER BOTTLE

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SECRET LABEL

Kemenys top selling white

Secret Label Clare Valley Riesling 2023 (KSL 5375)

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 94/100

This 25th anniversary release comes from such an exciting Clare Valley vintage that offer stunning value - stock the cellar! Pale lemon hue. Lovely citrus notes, but it is especially redolent of limes. Pleasing aromas of florals, but it is the limes to the fore - no surprise for a quality Clare Riesling. Fine acidity, so this is well balanced with impressive length. If you want to try a classic Clare Riesling, especially one so well priced, look no further. In good cellars, this has 12 to 20 years ahead of it. This is really good and a wine worthy of celebrating such an anniversary. Drink: 2023-2043. Price: \$24. Rating: 95/100.

Ken Gargett, *Winepilot.com* RRP \$24

TWO DOCTORS

It all began in 2012, over a friendly drink. Jerry, the cosmetic and laser surgeon, brewer and hospitality guru, yearned for a yet another side hustle. John, the much-lauded haematologist, saw an opportunity to indulge in a tad of alchemy by exploiting Jerry's existing brewing infrastructure to create pure liquid gold.

Two Doctors isn't about mass production or fleeting trends. Think single-malt barley, distilled with painstaking attention to detail, aging patiently in specially chosen casks. Two Doctors doesn't chase trends, they set them, offering superb single-cask releases bottled at distiller's strength - a testament to the singular beauty of their whiskey.

So, raise a glass to these unconventional docs. Two Doctors Whiskey isn't a cure-all, but it might just cure your search for the perfect dram.

Just remember, as the good doctors say, "consume thoughtfully and in moderation. Take your enjoyment to excess."



Two Doctors Single Malt Whiskey Cask 017 (700ml)

You won't need a second opinion

We are really enjoying each release of Two Doctors. Cask 017, the third release from Two Doctors. Cask fill in March 2016, disgorge in May 2023 making for an impressive 7+ years in barrel. There is certainly no expense spared. The rich colour of red clay accurately predicts teak oil and cedar wood notes interspersed with the fragrance of old lacquer. The first taste brings a big smile as burnt orange and crushed pine nuts start the journey towards cocoa powder and freshly cut birch. Dried oranges and cloves as 'pomander balls', once used to ward off evil spirits, combine harmoniously on the middle palate. They underline the crescendo to an intense lingering burnt caramel finish. This would make an excellent gift for any whisky connoisseur.

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OUR RATING SYSTEM

All wines are judged for quality with a Rating out of 100 awarded.

Our thumbs-up rating system represents selections that receive our highest recommendation.

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A must-have

& & & Buy as much as you can (afford)

OUR PRICING

Please feel free to mix up your own case of any wines in Kemenys Wine Dominion as the **across any 12** pricing applies to straight or mixed dozens. And **YES** you can include spirits in the mixed dozen. Please ring **13 8881** for more details.

OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee our wine. If, after trying a bottle, you are not satisfied, please call us on **13 8881** and we'll pick up the remainder of your case and offer you a refund for the whole case.



Why go through the hassle of looking for parking and burning cash on petrol? Just order 4 or more dozen wines and we'll deliver those (heavy) boxes FREE. These charges apply to Australian state capital cities. For less than 4 dozen wines, we'll deliver for a flat \$10. Please give us a ring on **13 8881** if you need more info.

PURENEW ZEALAND

Here we're uncorking the concept of "Pure New Zealand". Now, this isn't just some marketing spiel, it's the soul of Kiwi winemaking, etched in sunshine, wind, and soil.

Imagine this: glacial valleys cradling vines, kissed by cool winds off the Southern Ocean. Sunlight, long and bright, paints the grapes with intensity. Pristine waters quench their thirst, while isolation keeps diseases at bay. Nature, unbridled and pristine, whispers its terroir into every berry.

That's the essence of Pure New Zealand. It's not just a label, it's a promise. A pledge to minimal intervention, to letting the fruit shine through. No gimmicks, no shortcuts, just the honest symphony of grape and land.

Along with sauvignon blanc, the Kiwi's darling grape variety, and other white aromatics such as pinot gris, pinot noir, with its silken elegance, thrives in these cool climes. And don't underestimate the chardonnays, bursting with citrus, melon and delicious complexity.

Here's the clincher: Pure New Zealand isn't just about taste. It's about values. Sustainability isn't just lip service, it's ingrained in the vineyard, from organic practices to minimal water usage. These wines carry the weight of a clean conscience, alongside their delicious payload.

So, next time you reach for a Kiwi bottle, remember the "Pure" isn't just a descriptor. It's a journey, a taste of a land untamed, and a commitment to quality at every step. Cheers to that!

Now, who's ready to crack open a piece of paradise?

CRAGGY RANGE

Founded in 1998 by the Peabody family, it's a tale of audacious vision, meticulous craftsmanship, and an unwavering commitment to terroir-driven excellence.

Consistently ranking among New Zealand's top wineries, Craggy Range's dedication to quality shines through. From the sundrenched Gimblett Gravels, whispering tales of minerality, to the windswept slopes of Te Muna Road, each vineyards's terroir is chosen for its unique character.

This is a wine lover's sauvignon blanc

Craggy Range Te Muna Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Region: Martinborough Rating: 95/100 🟠

Very pale straw. Aromas of passionfruit pulp interwoven with kaffir lime leaf. The palate has the textural elements we have come to love in this vineyard, with succulence and sophistication. The finish is almost saline and leaves the drinker reaching for the second glass. This is a wine lover's sauvignon blanc.

Kemenvs **RRP \$35**

\$29.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE

A modern, new world expression of pure Chardonnav

Craggy Range Kidnappers Vineyard Chardonnay 2021

Region: Hawkes Bay Rating: 94/100

The cool yet sunny environment of the vineyard near Cape Kidnappers allows the development of intense Chardonnay flavours in the grapes, captured using traditional winemaking techniques seen in the Chablis region of France. The colour transforms into a pale straw hue, instantly evoking the coastal essence of the vineyard. The bouquet carries hints of oyster shells, sea spray, and cashew, further reinforcing its seaside character. A sense of vibrancy and freshness on the palate is complemented by lively acidity that doesn't compromise flavour. The taste of fresh lemon curd and subtle oak adds richness and makes for a delicious and invigorating palate. A modern, new world expression of pure Chardonnay

Kemenys RRP \$35



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Catalina Sounds Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Region: Marlborough Rating: 94/100

A go-to savvy for many

100% Marlborough with approximately 50% from Catalina's home Sound of White vineyard in the Waihopai Valley. A punchier nose than preceding years whilst maintaining the Catalina house style of delivering a textured and rich palate balanced with fruit precision and focus. Aromatically, the wine displays attractive grapefruit and white currant notes, with tropical fruits and crushed herbs in support and a perfectly balanced palate finishing refreshingly long and mouth-watering. A go-to savvy for many.

Kemenys RRP \$30





Felton Road's neighbour Domain Road Pinot Noir 2021

Region: Central Otago Rating: 95/100

This sells out in a flash. No surprise, as Domain Road's Defiance Vineyard is on Felton Road just next to the vineyards of arguably New Zealand's most famous name whose pinot noir sells for much higher prices. A rich and generous Central Otago style featuring aromas of deep ripe dark cherry and plum fruits, dark chocolate and baking spices. The supple palate delivers on every level, with dark plum and five spice, juicy cherry and some forest floor notes. Detailed and finely balanced with bright mineral acidity and fine tannins. Delicious pinot which will improve even further over the next few years.

Kemenys RRP \$40 \$**29**.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE



"A splendid rendition of the variety", Sam Kim

Peregrine Saddleback Pinot Noir 2021

Aromatic, Lush, Orchard Fruit,

Region: Central Otago Rating: 94/100

A splendid rendition of the variety with dark plum, blueberry, violet, olive and roasted almond notes. it's wonderfully weighted and plump in the mouth delivering excellent fruit purity as well as elegant complexity. Pristine and flavoursome, offering terrific drinking. At its best: now to 2027. Rating: 94/100

Sam Kim Wine Orbit



RRP \$36

\$**31**.95 in any 12 \$33.95 PER BOTTLE JAMES HALLIDAY

the release of James Halliday's Top 100, is an annual ritual in the Australian wine world, now gracing the scene with its latest edition. For nearly four decades, James Halliday, Australia's undisputed wine guru and his trusty team have meticulously tasted their way through countless bottles, palates finely tuned to deliver yet another compelling list of cracking wines.

The Halliday Top 100 isn't a popularity contest; it's a rigorous blind tasting of many high quality wines, a grueling examination of quality, terroir, and drinkability. For the wineries, it's validation and a reward for skill, backbreaking labor and unwavering passion.

Here's a selection from the Halliday Top 100. No need to agonize over your next wine purchase because the Halliday crew has done all the work for you.

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"Flood of dark fruit pulsating through to the finish", James Halliday

Lake Breeze Bernoota Shiraz Cabernet 2021 Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 94/100

A 60/40% blend ex-40-year-old vines, the 2021 vintage playing its part. Open fermented for eight to 10 days, finished in American oak; matured for 20 months in American and French barriques. The wine is a flood of dark fruit pulsating through to the finish, Alcohol: 14.5%, Closure: screwcap, Drink to: 2037. Price: \$22. Rating: 94/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023



RRP \$22 in any 13

Sandiovese 2022 Region: King Valley Rating: 95/100 From three estate blocks: a warm ferment extracts colour and softens tannins; matured for 14 months in used Troncais oak. It is an irresistible sangiovese,

with an ethereal play of sour through to crystallised cherry and Turkish delight; lingers long on the lips. Alcohol: 13.8%. Drink: to 2030. Price: \$29. Rating: 95/100 James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$29

"Lingers long on the lips",

Pizzini Pietra Rossa

James Halliday

\$**25**.95 in any 12 \$2795 PER BOTTLE

Seriously old vine

Head Old Vine Grenache 2022

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 96/100

Hand picked from 80-year-old Krondorf and 163-year-old Springton vines; foot-trodden, hand-plunged, matured in large-format oak. The bouquet is fragrant, with exotic spices showing the way, the palate juicy, laden with purple fruits. Silky tannins simply add to the flavour. Alcohol: 14.54%. Closure: screwcap. Drink to: 20259. Price: \$40. Rating: 96/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$40

34^{.95} in any 12 \$36.95 PER BOTTLE

"A very complex wine", James Halliday

Bleasdale Frank Potts 2021

Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 97/100

This is a 68/17/8/6/1% blend A very complex wine that has no need of time, thanks to its balance, texture and length. It is an outstanding achievement and offers equally exceptional value for money. Alcohol: 13.5%. Drink to: 2041. Price: \$39. Rating: 97/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$39

\$29.95 in any in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE

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"Wonderously fruity, yet bone dry", James Halliday

Charles Melton Rose of Virginia 2022

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 94/100

Destemmed (not crushed), 3-day cold soak, free run juice drained and settled; 4-6 week cool fermentation. The vivid magenta hue (in a clear glass bottle) is, to put it mildly, jaw-dropping. But it's far more than show; it's wondrously fruity, yet bone dry, its rainbow of small red berries enough to stop those who 'don't like roses' in their tracks. Alcohol: 13%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Sep 2022. Drink by: 2024. Price: \$32. Rating: 97/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$32

\$**28**.95 in any 12 \$30.95 PER BOTTLE



"Charlie Melton has been a leader of the pack", James Halliday

Charles Melton La Belle Mere GSM 2021

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 96/100

A delicious rendition of a style that has blossomed over the past 10 to 20 years, here gaining an extra degree in an excellent vintage. Winemaker Charlie Melton has been a leader of the pack from the start and intends to keep it there. Closure: screwcap. Alcohol: 14.5%. Drink: 2025. Price: \$32. Rating: 96/100

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$32

\$**30**.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE





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Halliday

Beautiful Meadowbank, on Tasmania's upper Derwent River, is primarily a grape grower with 52ha of vines - enough for only 800 dozen directed to wines contract-made by Peter Dredge. It's such a ravishing wine, as rich and deep as it is pure and fine. Redefines citrus. Alcohol: 11.5%. Closure: screwcap, Drink: 2043, Price: \$40, Rating: 98/100,

"It's such a ravishing wine", James

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$40

\$36.95 in any 12 \$38.95 PER BOTTLE

Kudos to Coriole

Coriole Piquepoul 2023

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 95/100

Piquepoul is known for its retention of acidity in the hot Mediterranean climate of southern France, and it brings that quality to McLaren Vale, where the Lloyd family regards it as a favourite variety. Its acidity is coupled with a lemony flavour in this iteration. Alcohol: 11.8%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2029. Price: \$28. Rating: 93/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$28

\$24.95 in any 12 \$26 95 PER BOTTLE

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"Hmm. Isn't this something", James Halliday

Longview Macclesfield Gruner Veltliner 2023

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 97/100

Hmm. Isn't this something? It has a dusting of white pepper on the bouquet, the palate with quite wonderful flavour and a glorious texture, thanks in part to near-invisible tannins. Bosc pear and a hint of dried apricot are sidelines. Alcohol: 12.5%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2033. Price: \$30. Rating: 97/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$30

\$**24**.95 in any 12 \$26.95 PER BOTTLE



"Precisely balanced", James Halliday

Taylors Estate Riesling 2023

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

Taylors' large estate plantings allow it to make rieslings at this low price, with precisely balanced lime, lemon and apple held together with balancing acidity. And, like all good rieslings, it will live for years, gaining depth and texture as it ages. Alcohol: 12%. closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2038. Price: \$22. Rating: 94/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$22



in any 12 \$18.95 PER BOTTLE



"Delicious mouthfeel", James Halliday

Tahbilk Museum Release Marsanne 2017

Region: Goulburn Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

A flowery honeysuckle perfume translates into a delicious mouthfeel, minerally acidity subdued by a generous serving of lime, Granny Smith apple and guava fruits. Once it has reached the plateau of its overall flavour, it will coast for another three to five years. Alcohol: 12%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2030. Price: \$26.95. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$26.95

\$**21**.95 in any 12 \$23.95 PER BOTTLE



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"As usual, exceptional value", James Halliday

Hard to pronounce, easy to drink

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 95/100

The moody Hunter weather threatened, but the

vines - and the quality of this super-expressive

lemon, apple and lanolin fruit had its life to live,

and transformed itself from chrysalis to resplendent

butterfly. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Drink:

to 2043. Price: \$30. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday's Top 100 2023

James Halliday,

\$22.95 in any 12

\$24.95 PER BOTTLE

RRP \$30

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De Iuliis Semillon 2023

Deep Woods Estate Sauvignon Blanc 2022 Region: Margaret River Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Partial barrel fermentation adds another dimension to the citrus, snow pea and passionfruit of the wine, the rich, varietally precise bouquet marking a multi-layered palate that takes barely a split second to fill every part of the long, lingering palate with its grapefruit and nectarine flavours. As usual, exceptional value. Alcohol: 13%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: 2025. Price: \$25. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$25



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HUNTER SEMILLON

Hunter Valley Semillon is one of the great cellaring wines of the world. There's a quiet prestige about the wine which belies its humble beginnings and extraordinary value for money compared to other internationally renowned classics. It isn't a wine of immediate flash. Its magic might not become fully apparent for decades, but the wait is worth it.

With age, this wine undergoes a remarkable transformation, with each phase revealing something new. The youthful citrus-based vibrancy softens, replaced by a richness and complexity, comprising toasty, honeyed buttery notes and roasted nuts with a compelling stony mineral texture.

If you're lucky enough to find an aged Hunter Semillon, cherish it. It's a rare and precious gift, a testament to the enduring beauty of this remarkable wine region. Otherwise, grab one of these and hide it in the cellar for at least a decade.









"Already drinks

superbly", Huon

Hooke

Tyrrell's

Basket

Pressed

Region: Hunter Valley

Rating: 96/100

Semillon 2018

Pale colour and a lightly straw-

grassy, vibrant aroma which is

bursting with freshness. A hint

of lanolin. The wine is again

bright and fresh in the mouth:

clean and balanced, soft and

fluent. It's quite up-front and

no doubt also age well. (250

1908). Alcohol: 12.2%. Tasted:

May 2019. Drink: 2019-2031.

Price: \$90. Rating: 95/100.

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already drinks superbly but will

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"Destined for fine thinas with a decade of patience", Ned Goodwin MW

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PEPPER TREE

Pepper Tree Alluvius Single Vinevard Semillon 2021 Region: Hunter Valley

Rating: 96/100 🕹 🍐

A fine Hunter semillon that is as juicy and optimally ripe despite its light weight and low alcohol - as it is pixelated, vibrant and intense because of it. Lanolin, lemon squash, tonic and galangal notes stream along chalky acid rails. The finish, pointed and immensely long. Destined for fine things with a decade of patience. Alcohol: 10.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Sep 2021. Drink by: 2034. Price: \$55. Rating: 96/100.

Ned Goodwin MW. Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$55

\$**39**.95 in any 12 \$43.95 PER BOTTLE

Hunter Valley natural

Usher Tinkler

Semillon 2022

If you are a fan of traditional

Hunter semillon clean and

crisp, then this is probably

not for you. Here is Usher

Tinkler's alternative expression

of the Hunter Valley semillon

style made in a natural way.

aged for 3 months in French

preservatives and without any

and mouth-watering, with a

value is high.

\$26^{.95}

\$28.95 PER BOTTLE

Kemenys

RRP \$30

citrus tannin zing. The interest

fining or filtration. It is textured

Fermented with skins and

oak. Bottled without any

semillon?

Death By

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 93/100

Australia's finest semillon (possibly finest white)

Tyrrells Vat 1 Semillon 2015

TRRELL'S WINES

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Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 97/100

Hand-picked in the early morning, lightly pressed before relatively cool fermentation. This is still in its infancy but is gloriously well balanced, which quarantees youth at 10yo, maturity at 20, and age yet further down the track. When to drink? Your choice. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jan 2020. Drink by: 2030. Price: \$115. Rating: 97/100

James Halliday, Halliday Wine Companion **RRP \$115**

74.95 in any 12 \$79.95 PER BOTTLE

"A very bright future", Gary Walsh

Secret Label Hunter Valley Semillon 2014 (KSL 2072)

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🖒

Bright young floral estery thing, lime and peach, light talc chalkiness and gentle herbal twang - great fruit flavour and shape here - abridged by a minor level of youthful coarseness on the finish but with the promise of a very bright future and much much more to come Alcohol: 11% Closure: screwcap. Drink: 2015-2030. Rating: 94/100.

Garv Walsh The Wine Front RRP \$36

\$**13**.95 PER BOTTLE

"Great line and length", Kim Brebach 1960 Tyrrells

Old Vine **Distillery Block** Semillon 2017 Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🍐

Some of the vines that donated their dry-grown grapes to this wine are more than 100 years old. It shows in the wine's complexity and backbone. Crisp Semillon made from fruit off the famous HVD vinevard we think. Vibrant fruit, with fresh lemons and crunchy green apples, great line and length. Rating: 94+/100

Kim Brebach, Best Wines under \$20



style of wine **Five Barrells** By Neil

An old Hunter Valley

"White Burgundy

McGuigan Semillon 2022 Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 96/100 🖒 🖒

Picked from Neil's personal vinevard. The semillon master has down it again. A generous

colour, lifted complex nose of cashew nuts, spice and tropical fruit with a palate that is rich, full sayoury and finishing with zesty acidity. An old Hunter Valley "White Burgundy" style of wine

Kemenys RRP \$50 \$**39**.95 in any 12

\$41.95 PER BOTTLE

The Real Review RRP \$90 \$**64**.95



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Jackson Family Wines is a family-run powerhouse crafting world-class wines with a passion that spans generations. Since their California debut in 1974 they have expanded their operations beyond the USA, from Tuscany to Bordeaux and beyond – including the acquisition of three superb Australian wineries, Yangarra Estate, Giant Steps and Hickinbotham.

Jackson Family Wines in Australia, or anywhere for that matter, isn't just about acquiring wineries; it's about celebrating diversity, honoring the land, and crafting wines that tell the unique stories of each terroir.

GIANT STEPS YARRA VALLEY

Giant Steps in the Yarra Valley is a study in cool-climate precision. Specializing in world-class pinot noir and chardonnay, they draw on numerous elite vineyards, allowing each unique terroir to work its magic.



Yangarra Estate is devoted solely to producing wines from the best grape varieties of the southern Rhone. Every Yangarra Estate wine is a confident reflection of the nature of this land. Under the watchful eye of highly-awarded winemaker Peter Fraser, Yangarra has gone from strength to strength, and is now, arguably, McLaren Vale's premier producer.

A blend of chardonnay from Giant Steps prized vineyards

Giant Steps Yarra Valley Chardonnay 2022

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

The Yarra Valley Chardonnay is sourced from Giant Steps prized single vineyards: Sexton, Tarraford and Applejack. It is not uncommon for this Estate blend to be rated as high (or even more highly) than the single vineyard Chardonnay's given its access to multiple quality vineyards. The 2021 vintage was terrific across the Yarra Valley. A super-bright green gold. Vibrant aromas with perfectly ripened stone fruits. It shows the pedigree of the top Giant Steps wines but delivers also on drinkability. Classy chardonnay.



Kemenys RRP \$48

\$**39**.95 \$42.95 PER BOTTLE



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A superb entry point into Giant Step's Yarra Valley pinots

Giants Steps Yarra Valley Pinot Noir 2023

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 95/100 🏠

Giant Steps has forged a reputation as one of the Yarra Valley's leading wineries with their high quality pinot noir and chardonnay amongst the nation's finest examples. This is the entry point to Phil Sexton & Steve Flamsteed's highly acclaimed pinot noir range. A pinot noir blend sourced from Giant Steps famed vineyards (Sexton, Applejack, Primavera, Swallowfield, Wombat Creek and Tarraford). This delivers remarkable vibrancy and approachability, the underlying complexity and intensity of flavour makes this a standout - and, considering the pedigree, exceptional value for money at this price.

Kemenvs RRP \$48

39.95 in any 12 \$42.95 PER BOTTLE

"Delicious", James Halliday

Yangarra Estate Vineyard Shiraz 2021

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100 🖒 🏠

From the Blewitt Springs single-vineyard estate on sand and ironstone soils. It wasn't entirely a surprise that McLaren Vale's first-among-equals winery should have made this gorgeously succulent wine, but I couldn't help but consulting the thesaurus to be sure 'succulent' covered the field. The entry reads: 'juicy, moist, luscious, soft, tender, mouth-watering, appetising, flavoursome, tasty, delicious. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Sep 2022. Drink: 2051. Price: \$38. Rating: 97/100

James Halliday, Halliday Wine Companion **RRP \$38**

From Australia's finest grenache

31.95 in any 12 \$33.95 PER BOTTLE

producer



ANGARRA

McLaren Vale region. They are Australia's finest grenache producer. From gnarly bush vines planted in 1946 in a deep sandy dune that Yangarra call The Beach: dry-grown, bunch-sorted, wild yeast, open fermented and basket pressed. A complex, perfumed and elegant wine with a trademark tannin

structure. Kemenvs RRP \$50 \$**44**.95 in any 12

\$48.95 PER BOTTLE

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HICKINBOTHAM

First planted in 1971 to dry-farmed Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz, Hickinbotham Vineyard is situated on the high elevation hills of Clarendon, a subregion along the northern edge of McLaren Vale in South Australia. Since the 2012 sale to Jackson Family Wines, Hickenbotham led by winemakers Christopher Carpenter and Peter Fraser and viticulturer Michael Lane is now in the top echelon of Australian producers.

Australia's merlot star **Hickinbotham**

Clarendon Vineyard The Revivalist Merlot 2019

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100

Some of the world's greatest wines are made from merlot (such as Bordeaux's famed Petrus, Tenuta dell'Ornellaia of Bolgheri and Napa Valley stars like Duckhorn). Part of the reason that Australia has not embraced merlot is that we lacked a genuine star that was until now. Hickinbotham's merlot is aptly named The Revivalist. If any merlot can revive the interest in this noble variety, surely this can. This has the power and lingering length that highlights what truly great merlot is.

Kemenys RRP \$90

"Lona, textured and delicious". Aaron Brasher

Hickinbotham **Clarendon Vineyard Brooks Road Shiraz** 2021

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100

Impressively youthful, dark and deep in the glass. Evocative aromas of mulberry, dark cherry, dried herbs, anise, cola, mocha and sweet spice. Really exotic and lifted. Flavours are full, dense, dark and powerful, lashings of dark fruits, spice and nutty oak. There's firm, shapely tannins and punchy acidity ensuring the plush fruit is kept under control. Long, textured and delicious. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: June 2023. Drink: 2023-2038. Price: \$90. Rating: 96/100.

Aaron Brasher, The Real Review RRP \$90

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Hidden Label Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2023 (KHL 2565)

Region: Marlborough Rating: 93/100

This renowned Marlborough producer selects grapes from their top vinevards in the Waihopai and Wairau valleys, resulting in classic Marlborough aromas of citrus, tropical fruit and fresh herbs. The crisp, juicy palate features lime, green apple, nectarine and passionfruit with subtle fresh grassy undertones and mouth-watering acidity. Judicious lees contact and a small barrel-fermented portion has given tantalising texture and spice. A standout Marlborough sauvignon blanc which is a perfect match for grilled seafood and freshly shucked ovsters

Kemenvs Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label



Stupendous value Hidden Label Adelaide Hills Chardonnay 2023 (KHL 2531)

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100

This boutique winery is considered to be (along with Shaw + Smith) one of best producers of elegant. award-winning cool climate wines in the Adelaide Hills. It should be no surprise that their chardonnay is so highly regarded as their winemaker used to be the chief winemaker at Shaw + Smith. Tantalising aromas of iasmine and ripe lemon but with a round, velvety structure. The palate showcases crisp, mouth-watering flavours of grapefruit, apricot, and white peach, finishing with lingering. crisp minerality. Drinking beautifully now but will continue to evolve with careful cellaring. This is a bargain at its cellar door price of \$26, so our price of only \$13 is stupendous value.

Would sell for up to \$26 under its own label

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(KHL 4955)



this price". Ken Garaett **Hidden Label Clare** Valley Riesling 2023

"Has an exciting future, especially at

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 94/100

It is a wonderful thing when nature gives a region three cracking vintages on the trot and the Clare Valley has certainly been blessed. The 2023 Rieslings are proving to be just as exciting as its two predecessors. This is pale straw with a nose radiating with citrus, limes, spices and florals, all lovely stuff, full of flavour. This is approachable now but certainly has an exciting future, especially at this price with notes of orange blossoms. Slightly crunchy acidity and a long, lingering, clean finish, which maintains its intensity. Drink over the next six to ten years. Drink: 2023-2033. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Ken Gargett, Winepilot.com Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

Now this is cool

Hidden Label Tumbarumba Chardonnay 2022 (KHL 8560)

Region: Tumbarumba Rating: 94/100

Cool climate chardonnay from Tumbarumba, at the foothills of the Snowy Mountains in Southern NSW. The elegance and purity of Tumbarumba Chardonnay challenges people's perception of Australian Chardonnay of days gone by. Bright and lifted on the nose with citrus, fig and flinty notes. The palate is long and elegant with the varietal flavours, knitting in neatly with subtle toasty French oak, adding a spicy, nutty complexity.

Kemenvs Would sell for up to \$39 under its own label



\$19.00 PER BOTTLE

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"Classic citrus and green apple flavours", James Halliday

Hidden Label Adelaide **Hills Sauvignon Blanc** 2023 (KHL 2538)

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100

Picked over a two-week span, harvested from individual rows. No SO2 added to bins and taken to the winery cool room within an hour of harvest. Pressed using only free-run juice, then extended lees contact in tank. Classic citrus and green apple flavours. Alcohol: 11.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Aug 2023. Drink: 2024. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100

James Halliday, Hallidav Wine Companion Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

\$**12**.00 in any 12 \$14.00 PER BOTTLE

"how's the purity?". Garv Walsh **Hidden Label Reserve** Hunter Valley Semillon 2017 (KHL 7880)

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 96/100

Crisp, fresh, slight grassiness, light powdery soft chalkiness through it, and more to lemon than lime in the flavour department. Good length. Zips along. Fresh squeezed lemon juice sweetness plays out on the finish. How's the purity? Tasty now too, though better later. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jul 17. Drink: 2017-2030+. Price: \$45. Rating: 94+/100.

Gary Walsh, The Wine Front Would sell for up to \$45 under its own label





The Hidden Label concept is simple.

We sell high quality, highly rated wines for far less than a winery would ever be prepared to let it be sold for under its own label. Simple.



Trophy, Best Tempranillo Wine Wise Small Vignerons Awards 2022 Hidden Label Frankland

River Tempranillo 2021 (KHL 1995)

Region: Frankland River Rating: 94/100

This caught our eye when it picked up the trophy for Best Tempranillo at the Wine Wise Small Vignerons Awards 2022. The famous Spanish grape flourishes in many Australian wine regions including the Frankland River in the Great Southern region of West Australia. Opaque black dark red core with a dark red hue. Pronounced ripe dark cherry aromas and spicy dried herb notes. A rich and juicy palate with dark cherry, liquorice fruits and a touch of spice. Its medium body is supported with a plush mid palate and silky tannins. Plenty of value to be had here and a great match with Spanish favourites like chorizo and paella.

Would sell for up to \$25 under its own label

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Gold medal winner at the Sydney Royal Wine Show 2022

Hidden Label Reserve Heathcote Shiraz 2019 (KHL 5039)

Region: Heathcote Rating: 95/100

First time that we have secured this well-known reserve Heathcote shiraz in our Hidden Label range. The vineyard was planted in 1994, on the eastern slope of the Mount Carmel range, about 25km north of the town of Heathcote. The oldest and best blocks were used for this reserve shiraz. Dark, inky purple with a vibrant hue. The nose shows rich dark fruits with the full array of pepper, charcuterie, and a subtle lift of French Oak. The palate has a richness and softness with dark fruit and chocolate and some spice. The tannin from the stalk and oak working well together gives the wine a silky texture and finish. Gold medal winner at the Sydney Royal Wine Show 2022 no surprise.

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Would sell for up to \$40 under its own label

"Surely a contender for value buy of the year", Ken Gargett

Hidden Label Clare Valley Shiraz 2021 (KHL 4960)

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 94/100

Surely a contender for value buy of the year. Indeed, the range of four reds released here is definitely odds on for best buying collection for 2023. Maroon purple, this is a brooding, deep red with aromas of plums, chocolate, cigar boxes, dry herbs and raspberries - the black fruits kick in much more on the palate. There is good density, but the wine retains its freshness. With very fine tannins and a lingering finish, this is utterly delicious and should remain so for at least the next six to eight years. The palate exhibiting more chocolate, axle grease and blackberries as it develops in the glass. Terrific stuff. Date tasted: July 2023. Drink: 2023-2031. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Ken Gargett, *Winepilot.com* Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

"Big, bold and beautiful", James Halliday

Hidden Label Reserve Barossa Shiraz 2020 (KHL 8850)

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 95/100

All estate-grown fruit, 43/41/16% Craneford/ Greenock/Nuriootpa, matured in used American and French oak puncheons for 23 months. Big, bold and beautiful. And for good measure, tension between the cooler Eden Valley component (Craneford) and the richer flavours of the Barossa floor. Alcohol: 14.8%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Sep 2022. Drink by: 2035. Price: \$38. Rating: 94/100.

James Halliday, Halliday Wine Companion Would sell for up to \$38 under its own label

\$19.00 in any 12 \$21.00 PER BOTTLE



"The balance excellent, ditto the length", James Halliday

Hidden Label Adelaide Hills Pinot Noir Chardonnay Brut NV (KHL 7739)

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 95/100

A selection of Dijon clones for both the 60% pinot and 40% chardonnay components. Enormous care is taken for a non-vintage blend at a price of \$22, following the trail of previous releases with gold medal success. Fresh, lively, the balance excellent, ditto the length. Price: \$22. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday, *Halliday Wine Companion* Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

\$13.00 in any 12 \$15.00 PER BOTTLE

"A classic Coonawarra cabernet" Aaron Brasher

Hidden Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon 2020 (KHL 8542)

Region: Coonawarra Rating: 95/100

Young, deep and dark colour in the glass. Lifted aromas of dried herbs, blackberry, dark cherry, tobacco, menthol and cedar-pretty complex stuff happening here. The palate is powerful: all blackberry, blackcurrant and mulberry intertwined with a brambly leafiness, firm granular tannins and bright acidity. Impressive texture and length, a classic Coonawarra cabernet. Alcohol: 14.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Mar 2022. Drink: 2022-2037. Price: \$36. Rating: 95/100.

Aaron Brasher, *The Real Review* Would sell for up to \$36 under its own label

One for the cellar

Hidden Label Reserve Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 (KHL 1887)

Region: Margaret River Rating: 95/100

A firmer, tighter and more concentrated cabernet which captures the vintage with its tannin structure and fruit power. This was a year that things had to be managed well in the winery because of the power the fruit delivered. This has been done very well here, with a wine that is still so tightly held but which will, with extended ageing, turn into something raher special. Cellar: 20 years. Rating: 95/100.

Ray Jordan, *West Australian Wine Guide* Would sell for up to \$55 under its own label



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Synonymous with the Clare **Knappstein Riesling** 2023

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

Steeped in history and synonymous with the Clare Valley in South Australia, the Knappstein Enterprise Winery has enjoyed a long and revered reputation as a maker of premium wines since it was established by Tim Knappstein in 1974. The cellar door and winery still operate in Clare from the original Enterprise Brewery building circa 1878, itself a listed heritage building and a major landmark of the Clare township, 2023 was another cracking vintage in Clare. This has elegance and intensity, with true Knappstein traits of lime, spice and white florals on the nose and a generously flavoured palate. Lively acid, mineral texture and a powerful and persistent lemon finish.

Kemenvs RRP \$22



"Astoundingly beautiful", Erin Larkin

Plantagenet Angevin Riesling 2020

Region: Great Southern Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

racy with concentrated fruit power. Quite an astoundingly beautiful and pure wine of poise, line and length. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jan 2021. Drink by: 2036. Price: \$34. Rating: 95/100.

Erin Larkin, Hallidav Wine Companion





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Fruit from Mount Barker. This is powder fine and

RRP \$34



One of Australia's finest examples of the noble variety

Petaluma Hanlin Hill Riesling 2022

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Planted in 1968, the Hanlin Hill vineyard is on a west-facing slope on the eastern edge of the Clare Valley where the vines are up to 550 meters above sea level. It is a unique site that produces the highest quality rieslings characterised with intense lime flavours and a backbone of natural acidity. Citrus peel and sweet white fruits, with undertones of grapefruit and citrus blossom. Lemon zest, jasmine and cherry blossom with powerful fruit intensity and drive finishing with fine acidity and beautiful perfume. A wine to enjoy now in its youth, but as with all Petaluma rieslings, it will be worth the wait to watch it develop in bottle for many more years. One of Australia's finest examples of the noble variety.

Kemenys RRP \$35

"A really delicious riesling", Huon Hooke

Secret Label Polish Hill Riesling 2022 (KSL 2440)

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 96/100 🖒 🏠

Very light straw-yellow with a whiff of minerally edginess, dried herbs and dried flowers, a faint suggestion of acetone, then a lemon-juicy palate that is generous and expansive at the same time as it retains its tautness and youthful reserve. There's a mandarin-like juiciness on the back-palate and finish, the aftertaste cleansingly dry. In all, a really delicious Riesling that is already highly enjoyable and has a bright future. Closure: screwcap. Alcohol: 12%. Date tasted: Dec 2022. Drink: 2022-2037. Price: \$38. Rating: 96/100.

Huon Hooke, The Real Review RRP \$38

"A super dry, superlative wine", Jeni Port

Pikes Traditionale Riesling 2023

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

A super dry, superlative wine highlighting the intrinsic pristine purity of Clare Valley Riesling. It's quite something to behold, and it should be noted that '23 is the third excellent Clare Riesling vintage in a row following 2022 and 2021. It shows in the intensity of the aromas in lime cordial, lemon, citrus zest, fresh cut green apple. Should you wish to drink early - and acid heads will be lining up my suggestion is not to over chill. Acidity is high with the 2023 vintage marked by cool weather and a slow ripening season. It is, at times, a galvanising feature of this wine but then it's also a good insurance policy as to its longevity. Something to keep in mind. So, with that in mind, open the wine, give it a swish, watch it transform and reveal its beauty. Pure, bright, intense and clean with a finish that won't let you go. Date tasted: December 2023. Drink: 2023-2036. Price: \$27. Rating: 95/100.

Jeni Port. Winepilot.com RRP \$27

PIKES

"Classic style of riesling that never goes out of date", Jeni Port

Kilikanoon Mort's Block Riesling 2022

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

A classic style of Riesling never goes out of date. Mort's Block epitomises that classic approach in its concentration of fruit and singular purity of expression. Floral and spring-like in scent: citrus blossom, lime, spicy musk, orange peel. Youthful, taut in structure with emerging white peach, ginger spice and citrus flavours. Time is on its side. Mort's Block, which is the basis for this label, boasts old vines planted in 1970 and grown on red loamy soils over limestone. That limestone plays a role. There's an almost effortless balance here with mineral-laced fineness. Watervale Riesling in a great year deserves more time in the cellar, but few will be able to resist opening a bottle right now. Drink: 2022-2035. Price: \$25. Rating: 95/100.

Jeni Port, Winepilot.com RRP \$25

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SUMMER OF RIBSING

Riesling has to be the obvious white wine choice for Australia's summer. Often referred to as Australia's 'most underrated grape variety' riesling is revered, and attracts stellar prices in Germany and France's Alsace. There is a plethora of brilliant Australian rieslings available for bargain prices.

Riesling just screams "summer". Its cool, bright, zesty lemon, lime and green apple aromas and flavours, make it so inviting in the summer months. It's difficult to imagine a better partner for grilled seafood or natural oysters, and it sits perfectly with any number of spicy

Asian-style dishes. Riesling also ages very gracefully, developing attractive toasty, honeyed characters, much like semillon and marsanne, making it a great cellaring option.

Australian riesling, in our opinion, remains inexplicably underpriced, so those of us who love the variety are very lucky indeed. Here are some superb summer treats.

"This is areat Australian rieslina". Huon Hooke

Secret Label Clare Valley Riesling 2018 (KSL 4093)

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 97/100

Bright, light to mid-straw colour, with a remarkably fresh aroma for its age, with dried floral notes and barely any toastiness yet. There are chalky, slatymineral notes intertwined. The palate is very taut and refined, crisp and highly tensioned, the finish very dry and long. The acidity cleanses the mouth and refreshes the finish. Tremendous intensity and persistence. A wine with a future that is drinking superbly now. This is a great Australian riesling. Alcohol: 13%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jan 2021. Drink: 2021-2033. Price: \$58. Rating: 97/100.

Huon Hooke The Real Review RRP \$58

Single Site|Old Vine|Tiny Batch Release

Claymore Superstition Riesling 2023

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100

100% estate grown, old vines on the Shankley Vineyard, Watervale, Clare Valley. Pale straw with the slightest hint of a white/green hue. It's alluring blossom and subtle lemon juice but with just enough minerally acids to promise a masterpiece with years ahead of it. Fresh lime pith, almost a sorbet zing, with subtle chalky acids. This wine shows hints of elderflower with a powerful underlying depth, finishing with a racey hint of fleshy texture. She's zesty, seductively layered and unarguably sophisticated!

Kemenvs **RRP \$32** \$**21**.95 in any 12 \$23,95 PER BOTTLE



"Extreme length and lingering aftertaste", James Hallidav

Helm Classic Dry Riesling 2023 Region: Canberra Rating: 96/100 🖒

Sourced from four estate vineyards dating back to 1975 The aromas waste no time in establishing their class, and underpin the citrus fruit intertwined with bright acidity. The palate has extreme length and lingering aftertaste. All three wines underline the strength of this great vintage. Alcohol: 11%. Date tasted: May 2023. Drink: 2033. Price: \$45. Rating: 96/100.

James Halliday, Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$45 ^{\$}37 .95 in any 12 \$41.95 PER BOTTLE

"An excellent off-dry riesling style", Huon Hooke

Bests Great Western Riesling 2023

Region: Great Western Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Palish lemon/green colour with a jasmine pungency to the floral aromatics. The wine is juicy with a faint tickle of apparent sweetness, taking into the off-dry realm. Plenty of acidity to dry the finish. Good fruit intensity and persistence. An excellent off-dry riesling style. Alcohol: 11.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Dec 2023. Drink: 2024-2035. Price: \$27. Rating: 95/100.

Huon Hooke, The Real Review RRP \$27 \$**23**.95 \$25.95 PER BOTTLE "Enticing exoticism", Tyson Stelzer

Riversdale Estate Riesling 2021 Region: Coal Valley Rating: 95/100 🕹 🍐



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fig, along with a subtle palate viscosity and not a hint of the bitterness that all too often sneaks in. A touch of sweetness has been played to masterful effect, leaving the final impression to a long tail of perfectly ripe yet energetic and lithe acidity. Drink it now or in a decade or more. Alcohol: 12%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Mar 2022. Drink by: 2036. Price: \$36. Rating: 95/100. Tyson Stelzer,

Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$36 \$**29**.95 in any 12

\$31.95 PER BOTTLE

"Lovely wine, and it has a briaht future". Huon Hooke

Gibson Burke's Hill **Riesling 2023**

Region: Eden Valley Rating: 95/100 ঌ

Light, bright colour with a floral, boronia, faintly iasmine like bouquet which leads into a full fruited rich palate that has good concentration and drive, a faint trace of yeastiness and a long and satisfying finish. Lovely wine, and it has a bright future. Alcohol: 10.6%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Aug 2023. Drink: 2023-2035. Price: \$39. Rating: 95/100

Huon Hooke, The Real Review RRP \$39 \$32.95 in any 12

\$36.95 PER BOTTLE

"Powerful", Aaron Brasher

Bay of Fires Riesling 2021

Region: Northern Tasmania Rating: 96/100

Pale and fresh in the glass. Lifted floral aromas, jasmine, citrus, wet stones, very pretty. Powerful and driven on the palate, lemon, zesty, lovely drive of pointed acidity, long and pinpointed. Built for the long haul. Alcohol: 12.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: May 2022. Drink: 2022-2037. Price: \$47. Rating: 96/100.

Aaron Brasher. The Real Review RRP \$47



"An extraordinary wine", Huon Hooke

Lanson Noble Cuvee Brut 2002 Region: Champagne Rating: 98/100

Medium to full yellow colour with an explosive, rich super-complex bouquet of toasted bread and roasted nuts, dried flowers and dried herbs, straw and subtle iced pastry nuances. A fabulous bouquet! The palate has amazing power and mouthfilling richness, tremendous length and a finish that reverberates on and on. An extraordinary wine of great harmony and extension, the layers of flavour and aroma are exceptional and the combination of power and finesse such as we never see anywhere outside Champagne. Rating: 98/100.

Huon Hooke, The Real Review



Extra dry Champagne perfectly matched with oysters

Collet Extra Brut Premier Cru NV

Region: Champagne Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

This assemblage is based on a meticulous selection of 20 Crus from the Premiers and Grands Crus of the Champagne region. According to the champagne house itself the cuvee Extra Brut Premier Cru "brings out its best chams when paired with iodised dishes such as the famous oyster basket". The best champagnes to match with oysters are dry. This has just 3 grams/litre "liqueur d'expedition" - it is dry but avoids austerity. It also benefits from 20% older reserve wines as well as long ageing on lees which brings length, power and richness of red fruit. Very good value when compared to the big name champagne brands at a similar price.

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\$71.95 in any 12 \$75.95 PER BOTTLE

"One of the finest entry NVs on the planet", Tyson Stelzer

Bollinger Special Cuvee Brut NV

Region: Champagne Rating: 96/100 🖒 🏠

Benchmark Bollinger, fresh and vivacious, yet wonderfully resonant with all the depth and triumphant complexity that set Special Cuvee apart. A universe of complexity spans light years of black cherries, plums, fresh lemon zest, red apple, even the richness of ripe peach and fig. Deep reserves allow primary fruit to speak articulately, reverberating softly with Bollinger's signature notes of ginger, dried nectarine, mixed spice, toast, brioche, honey and roast nuts. For all this, it upholds achingly pristine citrus zest freshness throughout, riding on a vibrant acid line, culminating in a masterful crescendo of fine, frothing, salt and iodine-infused minerality. Black cherry fruit lingers long and profound. One of the finest entry NVs on the planet. Rating: 95/100.

Tyson Stelzer, The Champagne Guide

BOLLINGER

CHANPAGNE

What a perfect season to indulge in the joys of Champagne. It screams luxury and celebration, and recognizes its status as the epitome of sparkling wine styles.

There's the taste of France in every sip. Indulge yourself and those close to you with a bubbly masterpiece.

High quality grower Champagne A Bergere Origine NV Region: Champagne Rating: 95/100 ₺ ₺

Each year champagne expert, Tyson Stelzer, hosts a trade day to explore champagne. Whilst the big champagne houses are always present, we were after a high quality "grower champagne" that we could introduce to Kemenys customers. And here it is! The Bergere family have been growing grapes for the major champagne houses for three generations. However, the current custodian, Andre Bergere, decided to bottle some of his best grapes under his own label (and we are glad he did). A chardonnay dominant blend (70%) spending 30 months on lees. Aromas of white fruits like nectarine or white vine peach. Structured and creamy with a fresh finish. The interest value is high with this one. **Kemenys**

\$73.95 in any 12 \$77.95 PER BOTTLE

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A genuine ode to Chardonnay

Ayala Le Blanc de Blancs 2016

Region: Champagne Rating: 96/100 🖒

The emblematic cuvee of the House of Ayala, this is really delicious. Aged six years on lees in the cellars with a dosage of 6 g/L. A Blanc de Blancs that exudes richness with a lavish mouth-watering fullness. Just the right amount of acidity to leave the palate refreshed. Lemon curd, acacia honey, touch of pastry with subtle spice and a long and persistent minerally finish. A genuine ode to Chardonnay.



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Ruinart

"Hits the right note for a superior blend", Jancis Robinson MW

Louis Roederer Collection 243 NV

Region: Champagne Rating: 96/100 🖒

Based on 2018, described by Jean-Baptiste Lecaillon as 'a truly magical year', with oak aged wines from 2009, 2011 and all vintages from 2013 to 2017 inclusive that make up this impeccable house's perpetual reserve begun in 2012. Wonderfully complex aroma rises from the glass as soon as this is poured. So complex on the nose and uncompromisingly dry but well balanced on the palate. Lightly smoky but with no shortage of fine, ripe fruit in an interesting honeysuckle and lime spectrum. Clean and fresh and extremely long. This definitely deserves to be priced above regular nonvintage champagne. Not quite delicate. Not quite creamy. Just hits the right note for a superior blend. Drink: 2022-2030. Rating: 17+720.

Jancis Robinson MW

"A stunning and striking champagne", Bernadette O'Shea

Ruinart Rose NV

Region: Champagne Rating: 97/100 🖒

Created from Premier and Grand Cru vineyards in this oldest Champagne House. It has a glorious pinky/orange colour and a nose of climbing roses and pink sweet peas. The palate reflects lots of figs and pomegranates with edges of cherries, raspberries, guava, deep pink grapefruit and pistachio nuts with hints of mint.55% pinot noir from Montagne de Reims and Valle de la Marne - 18% of which is vinified as red wine (to give colour) and 45% chardonnay from Cote des Blancs and Montagne de Reims chardonnay enclave. A stunning and striking champagne.

Bernadette O'Shea, champagneconsultant.com.au

\$210.00 PER BOTTLE



IMPORNEÏ SPARKI

Kemenys stocks a wide and ever-changing list of imported sparkling wines.

Whether it be from From Central Otago or the Loire Valley or somewhere in-between, we have an imported bubbly to hit the spot.



The complete package **Biscardo Millesimato** Prosecco 2021 Region: Italy Rating: 94/100

A beautifully crafted vintage prosecco from the Biscardo family who have been making wine for over 150 years. Straw yellow, fine and persistent perlage. Intense and aromatic, with hints of apple and peach blossom. Smooth, velvety, with an harmonic and aromatic aftertaste. Quite dry in the end. With a striking bottle, it is the complete package. Excellent as aperitif, perfect with appetizer but also ideal accompaniment for the whole meal with fish courses.

RRP \$26 \$21.95 PER BOTTLE

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in any 12



French cuvee craft meets German artisanal production

Henkell Trocken Dry Sec Sparkling NV Region: Germany Rating: 90/100

Made in Wiesbaden (Germany) and first produced in the late 19th century - today, Henkell is Germany's most recognised sparkling. A harmonic composition of four grape varietals: chardonnay, sauvignon blanc, pinot noir and chenin. Trocken, German for dry. Fresh and attractive fruity nose with citrus characters evident. Smooth and creamy taste with tingling fruit flavours and a delicious lingering finish. French cuvee craft meets German artisanal production

Kemenys RRP \$23

> 16 \$18.95 PER BOTTLE



"Insanely aood drinkina". Mike Bennie

Quartz Reef Methode **Traditionnelle NV** Region: Central Otago Rating: 95/100 🖒

Incredible intensity, inward concentration, a knife edge of acidity in finely wrapped layers of toastiness, marzipan, brioche with a sleek, lean profile of green apple and citrus. Fine, fine bubbles add dimension and freshness. Aside its precision, it's gorgeous to drink, refreshing the palate with each sip, leaving lingering detail of the presence of the wine. Insanely good drinking. It's fine wine personified. Kudos here. Alcohol: 12.5%. Closure: cork, Rating: 95/100.

Mike Bennie, The Wine Front RRP \$43

\$**35**.95 in any 12 \$38.95 PER BOTTLE

Sante

Grandin Methode Traditionnelle Brut NV Region: Loire Valley Rating: 91/100

Since 1886, Grandin has produced excellent quality sparkling from the Loire Valley in France. It is made by the Methode Traditionelle method which is identical to the method used in Champagne It sports crisp, fresh flavours of citrus, nuts and spice. It can be drunk on its own or to match a wide range of foods. It's also an excellent quality base for a large range of summer cocktails. It's a great all-rounder and certainly one not to be missed at this price. Sante!

Kemenvs RRP \$25 .95 6 in any 12 \$18.95 PER BOTTLE

GRANDIN





Region: Italy Rating: 94/100

We suspect that this might be a hit

A refined cuvee of the most delicate white grape varieties of Veneto (such as Glera, Garganega and Chardonnay). A precious straw yellow, the fruity bouquet displays fragrances of spring flowers, supported by the liveliness of tropical fruit. Confetti, dried fruit and lemon peel complete the rich aromatic profile. The sip, round and enveloping, releases delicious mineral notes, spread over a blanket of white flowers. The fine and delicate perlage gives a further touch of great elegance. Flash packaging. We suspect that this might be a hit.

Kemenys **RRP \$28** \$**21**.95 in any 12 \$23.95 PER BOTTLE

An affordable alternative to Champagne

Domaine Joseph Cattin Cremant d'Alsace Brut NV

Region: Alsace Rating: 95/100

Cattin is one of the largest family owned Estates in Alsace. Produced in accordance with the traditional method, like Champagne, the Cremant d'Alsace is a high-quality sparkling. Light and effervescent with numerous fine bubbles. Nose is fresh, light and fruity. Palate is delightfully dry, delicate, fresh and fruity. An affordable alternative to Champagne.

Kemenvs RRP \$35

BRUTCATTO

\$27.95 in any in any 12 \$29.95 PER BOTTLE

Perfect party bubbles

Veuve Elise Blanc de Blancs Brut NV Region: France Rating: 92/100

Made in Southern France from a unique blend of Ugni Blanc from Charente in France and Airen from La Mancha in Spain! Pale yellow in colour with fine bubbles. Harmonious and fresh. The world demand for sparkling wine is enormous, and much of it is driven by the more affordable, value bottlings such as this. Perfect party bubbles.

Kemenvs RRP \$22

\$**15**.95 in any 12 \$17.95 PER BOTTLE



"Far from standard", Jeni Port Pizzini Prosecco NV

Region: King Valley Rating: 93/100

King Valley is like a little Italy, where dynamic Italian migrant families established wineries focused on the popular Italian varietals Pizzini is one making their way from Trentino (Northern Italy) to the King Valley in 1956. Wine critic, Jeni Port (Halliday Wine Companion) says "our standard prosecco from the King Valley certainly carries a lot of style and depth. Fresh apples, pear with an almost piercing lemoncitrus brightness that carries the day. The texture is supple yet retains plenty of chalky, citrusy drive. Vibrant plus and far from standard".

Kemenys **RRP \$23** \$**18**.95

\$20.95 PER BOTTLE

Bargain bubbles



Yarra Burn Premium **Cuvee Brut NV** Region: Victoria Rating: 92/100 🕹 🏠

Made by Australia's greatest sparkling winemaker, Ed Carr, from Tasmania's House of Arras. The blend includes aged wines and premium quality Victorian fruit. Sparkling expert Tyson Stelzer says "the Champenois rightly insist that there is no substitute for age in achieving balance, complexity and texture in sparkling wine. Age is not something you'd expect at this price, which is why this is one of the most sophisticated sparkling wines on the bottom shelf". It captures citrus zest and wild honey, finishing dry and refreshing with a finely mineral note. It is a bargain sparkling.

Kemenvs RRP \$17

"Consistently impressive", Shateh Wale

Yarrabank Cuvee 2017

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 96/100 🖒

A consistently impressive traditional method sparkling and graces many of the top wine lists of this country. The 2017 is made up of 60% Pinot Noir and 40% Chardonnav from the Wombat Creek vinevard with an impressive 6 years on lees and 3g/l dosage. Green apple skin curls, lemon balm and white peaches in syrup. The palate abounds with grapefruit, lemon curd and honeysuckle with persistent soaring acidity and a long white chocolate, nougatine finish. Golden syrup oozing through baked crumpets, this is less messy and just as indulgent. A wine with plenty of years ahead of it, drink now or will cellar for another 5 years. Drink with scallop bathed in browned butter in the half shell. A stella wine to stock up with for Christmas festivities. Price: \$45. Rating: 95/100.

Shanteh Wale. Winepilot.com RRP \$45

AUSTRALIAN SPARKLING

Australian sparkling wines are versatile and enjoyable, made from a variety of grapes and regions and suitable for any occasion and any palate.

Cooler regions such as Tasmania, Adelaide Hills and Yarra Valley produce the top expressions. Very good Prosecco styles are proliferating from areas such as the King Valley in Victoria.

An exceptional sparkling **Clover Hill Tasmanian** Multi Vintage Exceptionnelle Region: Tasmania Rating: 96/100 🖒 The Clover Hill Tasmanian Multi Vintage Exceptionnelle is indeed an exceptional sparkling. Exhibits a light straw/green hue in the glass, with a fine persistent mousse. On the nose it delivers vibrant citrus and stone fruits which are complemented by layers of creamy complexity. The palate offers a crisp acidity and a concentration of rich and balanced lemon curd and lime which draw the wine through to a delicious and extended finish. Kemenvs LOVER HILI

RRP \$45 \$**39**.95 \$42 95 PER ROTTLE

Always classy Petaluma Croser Vintage Brut 2019

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100 Croser was founded by Brian Croser in 1985 in the belief that the right region could produce sparkling wine to rival Champagne. Croser believed that the Piccadilly Valley in the Adelaide Hills was the right region. Majority pinot noir (84%) with a splash of chardonnay. Three years on lees. An elegant and complex vintage Croser with a nose redolent of honey and cashew and an alluring citrus lift. The palate shows wild strawberry pinot characters alongside a more buttery nectarine chardonnay before a soft yeasty finish buoyed by green apple acidity. Great value for a vintage sparkling.

Kemenys RRP \$42

CROSER

.95 in any 12 \$33.95 PER BOTTLE

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Region: Pyrenees Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠 An estate blend of Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Pinot Meunier made in the "methode champenoise" true to this Estate's French origins. Pale pink hues across a straw green colour with very fine and persistent bubbles. Green & red apple notes emerge through baked bread characters, indicative of a complex

An extraordinary sparkling bargain

sparkling wine. The lively palate is driven by a fresh acidity, which lingers harmoniously with the confection and aged complexity. Extraordinary value

Kemenvs RRP \$37



Australia's greatest non-vintage sparkling

Arras Brut Elite Chardonnay Pinot Noir NV

Region: Tasmania Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Made by the incomparable Master Winemaker Ed Carr, Arras is now the benchmark for all other Australian sparklings - and stands tall amongst the best in the world. The Arras standard is extreme, and driven by Ed's vision and philosophy as to what makes a great sparkling wine. His method revolves around belief in the quality of Tasmanian fruit, selecting and blending the finest parcels of that fruit, and the benefits of bottle age in providing the complex finishing touches to the masterpiece in the bottle. Tantalizing flavours of fresh citrus, brioche, spice and nuts. Beautifully dry and very long, this would run rings around many champagnes. A great price for a classic.

Kemenvs RRP \$63

ARRAS



WHITE BLENDS

The number of white blends on the market is clearly on the rise as producers increasingly embrace the benefits of combining the best features of multiple varieties into one wine.

Of course, the ubiquitous and long-standing blends of semillon and sauvignon blanc continue to thrive and impress, but the influx of Rhone and Spanish varieties has also seen a spike in experimentation and availability of these varietal blends

Exciting times - try these.



Australia's best everyday white Houghton White Classic 2023

Region: Swan Valley Rating: 92/100 🕹 🏠

Houghton White Classic has been hugely successful since it was launched in 1937 (then known as Houghton White Burgundy). Initially made by the legendary West Australian winemaker Jack Mann, who oversaw a mighty 51 vintages at Houghton. This much loved label was an immediate hit with wine lovers and has maintained its popularity for more than 78 years. A blend of aromatic white varietals it drinks beautifully in its youth, but over the years has shown a surprising knack for rewarding medium-term cellaring. In fact, Houghton have previously held back quantities to release some years later as 'reserve' wines, which sell at significantly higher prices. Australia's best everyday white!

Kemenvs RRP \$15



A little touch of chardonnay **Pierro Ltc Semillon**

Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Region: Margaret River Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

One of the most popular wines from the west, the 'sold out' sign seems to go up earlier each year as well. Semillon & Sauvignon Blanc with just a Little Touch of Chardonnay (LTC). There is an intensity and concentration of flavour, a touch of lemongrass, some zingy tropical fruit flavours, all balance, fleshy texture and a crisp, zingy, ultra-dry finish that lingers. Some may find this irresistible - and who can blame them

Kemenvs RRP \$38 \$**31**.95 in any 13 \$33.95 PER BOTTLE

Secret Label Margaret **River Sauvignon Blanc** X 5 Semillon 2023 (KSL 2881) Region: Margaret River Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠





RRP \$17 \$**10**^{.95}

PER BOTTLE

As good as Margaret River's famous white blend gets

Margaret River's famous white blend

Cullen Grace Madeline 2023 Region: Margaret River Rating: 96/100

Made entirely from mature sauvignon blanc and semillon vines planted on the Cullen Vineyard in 1976-1988. This is about as good as Margaret River's famous white blend gets. A beautiful bouquet of pineapples, apple, lime and citrus. Bright fresh crisp acidity, driving the mineral palate, expressing great length, amazing texture and polish. It is a wine for considered cellaring, although for most it will prove impossible to keep your hands off it.

Kemenvs RRP \$40 \$34.95 in any \$37.95 PER BOTTLE

PART MARKLER

TILLEN WINE

Italy meets Austria

Longview Vineyard Vista Grigio Gruner 2022

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

When we first saw the label, we weren't sure (but thought what the heck let's give it a go). Italy meets Austria. Wow! Punchy and exciting, the wine jumps out of the glass with freshly picked nettles, spice and pine-lime aromatics. The invigorating palate is all pizazz; upfront sherbet, then spicy poached pear with mouth-watering acidity, finishing with remarkable texture and length. A bright and brisk wine ready to go right now but, but as with Gruner Veltliners, it will be interesting to see how it develops into a serious, aged wine. Kudos to Longview - they have nailed this.

Kemenvs RRP \$25

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YANGARRA

15.95

\$17.95 PER BOTTL

A touch of France Yangarra Estate Vineyard Blanc 2022 Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 94/100 ঌ ঌ An electric blend of grenache blanc (49%),

picpoul (18%), Claudette (15%), roussanne (13%) and bourboulenc (5%) co-fermented in 675 litre ceramic eggs. Native to the southern Rhone, these Chateauneuf varieties have traditionally been blended for centuries in France inspiring Yangarra's pursuit of a progressive Chateauneuf blend on our southern coast. A bright, crisp, racy mix of stone fruit, citrus and allspice. Master of Wine Ned Goodwin say's "typically southern, evocative of the sort of wine with which one washes down everything and anything, from the Mediterranean belt of Montpellier to Avignon". A touch of France from Australia's most exciting producer.

Kemenvs RRP \$30

Perfect wine to pair with Asian food

d'Arenberg The Hermit Crab Viognier Marsanne 2022

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 93/100 🏠

Many of McLaren Vale's vineyards are on freedraining soils under-lain with limestone, formed by the calcareous remains of the local marine fauna. One such creature was the Hermit Crab, a reclusive little crustacean that inhabits the cast-off shells of others. The Osborn family thought the name appropriate for this. McLaren Vale's first ever blend of Viognier and Marsanne. "Hermit" is also an abbreviation for the French appellation of Hermitage, where the Marsanne grape variety dominates. A food friendly wine that is rich in texture, yet crisp and refreshing. The palate is full of fresh flavours of honeydew melon, pear and stone fruits. Perfect wine to pair with Asian food.

Kemenys RRP \$19

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One vineyard. 6 leading Australian winemakers. 6 award winning wines

Alpha Crucis Winemakers Series 2016 (6x750ml) Region: McLaren Vale

A 'wow' gift for any wine lover. The Alpha Crucis Winemakers Series is a world first that explores the influence a winemaker has over a single vineyard. Six top winemakers were tasked with making a wine autonomously, in a style of their choosing from super premium shiraz sourced from the Heritage Vineyard at Chalk Hill. The winemakers have full control which starts in the vineyard. Each winemaker is allocated 6 rows from the vineyard, they select the harvest date and the grapes are sent to their winery for processing. The wine is then made by the winemakers, without any influence before being bottled separately and sold. Whilst the quality of the vineyard shines through in all of the wines, so does the personality of each winemaker. All six wines were awarded 96/100 points by James Hallidav

Kemenys RRP \$400



Coriole Fiano 2023 Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 94/100 🏠

Australia's Fiano pioneer

The grape variety fiano originates from a province near Campania, east of Naples. Coriole was the pioneer of this outstanding variety with the first vineyard planted in 2011. Coriole released Australia's first fiano vintage in 2005. This is a rich, complex and full example of this great variety. The vibrant nose keeps you going back for further exploration; white peach, pear, fresh citrus, shaved fennel and lemongrass. The palate is beautifully balanced with great natural acidity and a soft, creamy texture. The wine shows grilled pineapple, lemon, guince, fresh ginger and white pepper. A more textural style that highlights how this variety thrives in McLaren Vale's warm. Mediterranean climate.

Kemenys RRP \$30



\$26.95 PER BOTTLE



Consistently one of the best value arenache **Robert Oatley** Signature Series G-21

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Grenache 2021

OATLE

G-2

Grapes from the southern end of McLaren Vale. Is there a better area for Grenache? Maybe not. If you have yet to explore Grenache it is an unwooded red, similar in weight and body to a young Pinot Noir, Tempranillo or Sangiovese. Vibrant, perfumed grenache with classic raspberry, rose petals and fragrant notes with soft tannin. It should be enjoyed at least lightly chilled, which will allow its lifted aromatics and bright, breezy personality to shine. Perfect with some light pasta dishes. Consistently one of the best value grenache produced in Australia.

Kemenvs RRP \$23

\$**19**.95 in any 12 \$21.95 PER BOTTLE



"This is juicy and just a joy", Ken Garaett

Colab and Bloom Sangiovese 2021 Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 93/100

Sangiovese has not always worked in Australia, rarely reaching quite the heights we'd hoped. This one has no such issues. From the Fleurieu Peninsula, this is delicious, just oozing flavour. An attractive crimson colour. There is an immediate note of red cherries on the nose, with other red fruits. Dried herbs and a hint of tomato bush with spices, leather, bergamot and tobacco leaf. Good acidity and decent length, this is juicy and just a joy, thanks to the exuberance of the flavours. Lovely stuff. If more Aussie Sangiovese was like this, there'd be more Aussie Sangiovese. Drink: 2024. Price: \$25. Rating: 92/100.

Ken Gargett, Winepilot.com RRP \$25 7.95





THE DISCOUNTS

The name is indeed not misleadina

Thistledown **Gorgeous Grenache** 2022

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 93/100 🏠

Grenache is such a great grape variety and Thistledown are slightly obsessed with it (being a Grenache specialist). Sourced from several Grenache vineyards across South Australia, including some of the region's most iconic sites, Gorgeous Grenache displays a beautifully perfumed nose with hints of violets and wild strawberry. The palate is succulent, juicy and Pinot-like in its profile while the finish is savoury and moreish (even gorgeous).

Kemenys **RRP \$26**

\$**^1**.95 in any 12 \$23.95 PER BOTTLE

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McLaren Vale is a wine region in South Australia, located about 35 km south of Adelaide. McLaren Vale is regarded as the birthplace of the South Australian wine industry and home to some of the world's oldest vineyards. The first vines were planted in 1838 by John Reynell and Thomas Hardy, and the region now has over 80 wineries and 750 grape growers. It is one of the most geologically diverse wine regions in Australia, with six distinct sub-regions and more than 40 soil types.

'The Vale' is well known for its rich red wines, mainly made from shiraz, cabernet and grenache, but more recently home to some innovative wines made from alternative varieties, such as tempranillo, sangiovese, nero d'Avola. White wines, because of The Vale's warmer 'Mediterranean' climate, also lean more to the robust European varieties such as fiano and viognier.



SHIRA/

Rating: 94/100. Brendan Black, Winepilot.com RRP \$50

\$29.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE

"very nice", Brendan Black

Monterra Reserve

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 94/100

If you like big and bold Shiraz which also has a

softer, refined side, then this is a great choice. A

notes to give complex aromas and tastes: cassis,

raspberry, mulberry, plum, nutmeg, black pepper,

seems somewhat darker than the nose, and the ripe

tannins and rich flavours give the wine an assertive

coconut, dark chocolate, and cola. The palate

presence in the mouth. Very nice. Price: \$50.

range of fruits and spices mix with emerging tertiary

Shiraz 2022

"Mighty expression of old vine McLaren Vale shiraz", Gary Walsh

Kay Brothers Block 6 Shiraz 2019

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100 🟠

From 127 year old vines, eking out 525 six packs. Liquorice, chocolate, oyster shell, blackberry, a little mint, spice and nutty oak. Deep and concentrated, intense and layered dark fruit and black olive, firm ironstone tannin, such depth and heft, but not really heavy, as such. It's saline and earthy, toasty sage-like oak in support, fresh blackberry acidity, and a umami finish of superb length and sticky ribs of tannin. So purple. Essence-like. A mighty expression of old vine McLaren Vale Shiraz. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Mar 2022. Drink: 2024-2042+. Price: \$125. Rating: 96/100.

Gary Walsh, The Wine Front RRP \$125

\$110.00



This is a gorgeous wine, and my pick of the current new releases, which packs a serious punch. The colour is deep suggesting a big dense style, but the wine is surprisingly light on its feet. Sweet, pure and vibrant blackcurrant fruits are tempered by dried herbs with some sweeter blackberry underneath. Oak is there too but sits in the background. This then leads to a bold and explosive palate full of power and energy - fruit pastille flavours are supported by fine acidity that is all underpinned by significant but well handled tannins. It is sooooo long too with the fruit concentration holding that flavour for minutes. A delicious wine stacked full of personality that is hard to put down. Drink: 2023-2032. Price: \$105. Rating: 96/100.

Angus Hughson, *Winepilot.com* RRP \$105

PER BOTTL

"An iconic Australian wine", Ned Goodwin MW

Hardys Eileen Hardy Shiraz 2018

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100 🖒

Hand picked. Fermented in open tops, largely ambient. Aged in French barriques (25% new) for 17 months. An iconic Australian wine and possibly the best young example tasted. The tannin management, increasingly more refined. Explosive aromas of raspberry bon-bon, bitter chocolate, violet, clove and licorice. Thankfully, though, more than the fruit (guaranteed in these parts), it is the tannic burr that is most provocative. Alcohol: 14.3%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Feb 2021. Drink by: 2038. Price: \$155. Rating: 96/100.

Ned Goodwin MW, *Halliday Wine Companion* RRP \$155



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The Quintessential McLaren Vale Shiraz

Secret Label McLaren Vale Shiraz 2019 (KSL 4463)

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

What can we say? The family name on the label is synonymous with the 'Vale', having migrated to region in the 50s, and the winery is rated the maximum 5-stars in James Halliday's Wine Companion.2019 was a very smart vintage for this wine. It is dark ruby in colour. Classic shiraz with concentrated dark berry aromas and flavours of blackberry, mulberry, black pepper and beautifully modulated oak in support. Tannins are supple and ripe. Serious wine which can be enjoyed now or cellared for another decade, this is the complete McLaren experience. How can a wine this good be available for only \$11.95 a bottle? Well, it was destined for an overseas client who missed the sale deadline. We swooped in and can now offer this absolutely cracking red to Kemenys customers.

Kemenys RRP \$25

PER BOTTLE

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\$**44**.95

PER BOTTLE

"this is serious, precise and driven", Erin Larkin

Secret Label McLaren Vale Shiraz 2019 (KSL 5660)

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 96/100 🖒 🏠

The 2019 (secret name) Shiraz was my pick of the bunch. This is serious, precise and driven and, again, sourced from Whites Valley. The maturation rolls out in 100% French oak. The extract here is savory and firm; the fruit is driven by tannins, and they really screw down the fruit and compress it in the glass. It's tight. One can see that the longevity of this wine may outweigh that of the others, making it quite a layered and exciting wine to drink-certainly now, but in the future too. Date tasted: October 2022. Price: \$105. Rating: 95/100.

Erin Larkin, Wine Advocate RRP \$105

"Intense and powerful", James Suckling

d'Arenberg The Old Bloke & The Three Young Blondes Shiraz Blend 2018

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 98/100 🕹 🕹

A reference to Chester Osborn and his trio of daughters, as well as a play on the blend of shiraz with roussanne, viognier and Marsanne that are co-fermented. The wine makes a very spicy first impression with rich red and dark plums, as well as blackcurrants and a darker, iodine-like edge. The palate has very complex textural quality with impressively dense, ripe dark plums and blackberries. Very intense and powerful with such complexity in terms of aroma, flavour and texture. Really impressive and the most refined tannin quality in the d'Arenberg range. Drink over the next decade or more. Closure: screwcap. Price: \$200. Rating: 97/100.

James Suckling, jamessuckling.com RRP \$200



VICTORIAN PINOT

The Little Yering looks to be in good form

Yering Station Little Yering Pinot Noir 2022 Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 93/100 &

Victoria's first vineyard was planted at Yering Station in 1838 - quiet the claim to fame. Whilst only an introduction to Yering Station, this pinot is an exemplary expression of Victorian pinot. It is silky, fresh and approachable. True to the regional style, it offers red cherries coupled with delicious savoury spice. A silky concentration provides richness and length. The Little Yering looks to be in good form.

Kemenys RRP \$22 \$**17**.95

in any 12
\$19.95 PER BOTTLE



YERING

Textbook Pinot Noir

Provenance Golden Plains Pinot Noir 2022 Region: Victoria Rating: 94/100

Owners and winemakers Scott Ireland & Sam Vogel are obsessed with making wines that showcase their origin. After decades of searching for the perfect cool climate sites to make their wines, they now have a patchwork of vineyards across South-West Victoria. Sourced from vineyards located in Geelong, Ballarat and Henty. Brilliant, deep red. Perfumed, fresh fruit aromas of black cherry and spice are supported by an earthy, forest floor like bouquet. True to its bouquet, the fresh fruit-sweet character of this wine is matched to a supple, rich palate weight, textbook Pinot Noir. Long in flavour, the finish is supported by bright natural acid and graphite-like tannin.

Kemenys RRP \$35

\$28.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE

"Real complexity", Ken Gargett

Burton McMahon Syme on Yarra Vineyard Pinot Noir 2022

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒

This vineyard is planted on red soils in the Upper Yarra, east facing, with the MV6 clone.160 dozen. Crimson/red. There is already some real complexity evident with this wine. We have notes of animal skins, fungal/truffly touches, some ferally undergrowth notes, red fruits, notably red cherries and some brambly earth tones. This is nicely balanced, with fresh, bright acidity. Fine, if ever-soslightly grainy tannins plus good focus and length. Easy to see this wine still giving pleasure in a decade's time. Drink: 2023-2033. Price: \$50. Rating: 95/100.

Ken Gargett, *Winepilot.com* RRP \$50

"The depth of fruit that others lack", James Halliday

Red Claw Pinot Noir 2022

Region: Mornington Peninsula Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Hand picked and sorted; open fermented with 10% whole bunches; matured in used French puncheons. The perfumed spicy, foresty bouquet catches attention, reinforced by the medium-bodied palate where red cherries/berries have the depth of fruit that others lack. It will build on this foundation through to the end of the decade. Alcohol: 13.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Aug 2022. Drink by: 2029. Price: \$38. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday, *Halliday Wine Companion* RRP \$38





\$22.95 in any 12 \$23.95 PER BOTTLE

Kemenys

RRP \$25

A nod to Burgundy

Noir 2021

Mount Macleod Pinot

Region: Gippsland Rating: 94/100 🏠

Mount Macleod is the second label of the

Burgundian-inspired Caledonia Australis who, in

as a fine Pinot Noir producer. Cropped from dry

grown, organic vineyards in the Gippsland. A

classically silky Pinot with its classic mix of red

fruit, spice and forest floor savouriness. Young and

vibrant at the moment, there are fine grained fruit

tannins that will see the wine develop and show

lovely secondary characters with more time in the

bottle. At its modest price point this over delivers.

their fairly short lifespan, have carved a reputation

Not a 'cookie cutter' standard pinot noir

Rouleur Pinot Noir 2023

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 95/100

Wine critic, Angus Hughson, says that "if you don't know the Rouleur Wine Co then now is the time to check them out as it's home to a small range of incredibly well priced wines that are deliciously subtle and understated. These are wines that rarely, if ever, disappoint". The wines are made by young gun winemaker Matt East. More silken and juicy than prior vintages, but ready to drink early with that seductive 'Pinot lift' and fragrance and abundant deep red cherries, blue fruits, rhubarb and tilled earth over subtle malt-like oak. Not a 'cookie cutter' standard pinot noir.

Kemenys RRP \$36

\$29.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE



Victorian produces some of the planet's finest pinot noir. The variety is one of the most challenging grapes to grow and make wine from, as it is very sensitive to climate, soil and winemaking techniques. However, when done well, it can produce some of the most elegant and expressive wines in the

Victoria has a diverse range of wine regions and climates, from cool and maritime to warm and continental. Some of the best pinot noir wines in Australia come from the five wine regions that surround the state capital, Melbourne. These regions are known as the 'dress circle'. The dress circle comprises the regions of Yarra Valley, Mornington Peninsula, Geelong, Macedon Ranges and Gippsland.

COLDSTREAM HILLS

Coldstream Hills is a winery located in the Yarra Valley, Victoria, Australia. It was founded by James Halliday and his wife Suzanne in 1985. The winery has become a major wine producer in Victoria and has an extensive selection of award-winning Yarra Valley wines.

They are very highly regarded for their beautiful pinot noir wines, some of which we feature here for your enjoyment.





A highly expressive regional style Paringa Estate Peninsula Pinot Noir 2023

Region: Mornington Peninsula Rating: 94/100 🏠

Paringa Estate is a renowned pinot noir producer in the Mornington Peninsula. The fruit for Paringa Estate's Peninsula pinot is sourced from vineyards around the peninsula. It is a highly expressive regional style with an emphasis on lively fruit. James Halliday remarked that "the quality of these wines are often equal to many other vineyards best". The nose is bursting with lively red cherry aromas and spice. Whilst there is lots of red fruit on the palate, there is an appealing savoury tannin framework which gives structure and length. Great value.

Kemenys RRP \$36



Dexter Pinot Noir 2022

Region: Mornington Peninsula Rating: 94/100 🖒

Bright, medium-full crimson colour, purpletinted, with lovely purity of ripe cherry aromas, the fruit doing all the talking. Traces of spices and balsamic herbs. A fruit-sweet core with ample tannins surrounding it, adding structure and length. Impressive pinot, which is fresh and youthful and promises a bright future. Alcohol: 13.5%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: 2023-2035. Price: \$65. Rating: 96/100.

Huon Hooke, *The Real Review* RRP \$65

\$**56**.95 in any 12 \$61.95 PER BOTTLE Show 2023 Coldstream Hills

The star of the Yarra Valley Wine

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Pinot Noir 2022 Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 96/100

The star of the Yarra Valley Wine Show 2023. Winner of trophies for Best Pinot Noir, Best Red and the top gong Champion Wine of Show! Sourced from low yielding vineyards in the Lower and Upper Yarra Valley. The Lower Yarra provides dark cherry notes and structure, the Upper Yarra complements with elegance, spice, and perfume. Perfumed and seductive with sour cherry, raspberry and muddled strawberries interwoven with whole bunch spice. Vibrant cherry and raspberry characters are enhanced with notes of wild strawberry, whole bunch spice and seamless French oak. Complex, savoury and layered, an excellent expression of Yarra Valley Pinot Noir.

Kemenys RRP \$35





Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 97/100 🖒 🏠

Very bright, fresh purple-red colour; the bouquet is very aromatic and lifted, scented with red fruits and five-spice, a trace of star anise evident, and the palate a sumptuous riot of ripe dark cherry and brandied cherry, fruit-sweet and succulent. A gorgeous pinot, already showing layers of flavour and rolling through with tremendous persistence. A stunning pinot. Alcohol: 13.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jan 2023. Drink: 2023-2036. Price: \$50. Rating: 97/100.

Huon Hooke, *The Real Review* RRP \$50





Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 97/100 🟠

Deep red with a purple tinge, the bouquet reserved and tightly furled, with some oaky notes and some smoked charcuterie, the palate intense and firm, concentrated and deep, with abundant fine but firming tannins that help drive a long finish. This promises to reveal more with a little more time in the bottle. It also opens up with time in the glass. Excellent potential. Serious pinot noir. Drink: 2025-2038. Price: **\$85**. Rating: 96/100.

Huon Hooke, *The Real Review* RRP \$85

\$74.35 in any 12 **\$79.95 PER BOTTLE**



"A cut above most at ~\$18", James Hallidav

Secret Label Margaret River Chardonnay 2023 (KSL 2842)

Region: Margaret River Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Subtle with fragrant characters of lemon, peach, and hazelnuts. Some floral and melon accents pop out of the glass as the wine warms up. Fine body with a creamy texture. The flavours are varietal and balanced, expressing the central Margaret River/ Wilyabrup area terroir and microclimate. James Halliday says that "consistent with other wines under this label, a cut above most at " \$18". So our price of \$10.95 a bottle is very special. What you save on the wine you could put into matching with a grilled marron with lemon and dill butter.

Kemenys RRP \$17

\$**10**.95

It works a treat

Angullong Chardonnay 2022

Region: Orange Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

The Orange Region is renowned for its cool, elegant Chardonnay. The slow ripening of the grapes ensure an intensity of flavour, with finesse being the key. The Angullong Chardonnay is a modern wine with layers of flavour including stonefruit and citrus. The oak is balanced in a way that highlight these flavours without dominating. It works a treat.

Kemenys RRP \$24



\$**15**.95 in any 12 \$17.95 PER BOTTLE

CLASSIC CHARDONNAY

Chardonnay is a white grape variety that originated in the Burgundy region of France and is now grown worldwide. It is a versatile and popular white wine that can be made in different styles, from crisp and minerally to rich and oaky.

Modern Australian chardonnays, with some exceptions, lean to the crisper textural styles whereas Californian expressions mainly display creamier, buttery traits.

Kemenys has a great range of chardonnays - try these on for size.

Classic Californian Chardonnay Creamery Barrel Fermented Chardonnay 2021

Region: Sonoma Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

100% barrel fermented (7 months barrel aging in 60% American/40% French oak). With a name like The Creamery, it should come as no surprise that this is full-bodied, lusciously rich style of chardonnay. Exhibits a classic profile of tropical fruit and Bosc pear alongside warm oak aromatics. The luscious palate suggests creme brulee and buttered toast, and finishes with fresh acidity. It'll make a tasty match for equally creamy cheeses or pasta dishes.

RRP \$35 \$29.95 in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE

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HABLIS

Chablis? Don't mind if I do.

Louis Jadot Chablis 2021

Region: Chablis Rating: 95/100

Chablis? Don't mind if I do. Pristine, bright and fresh with high acidity and citrus and mineral aromas and flavours, hailing from one of the best Chablis producers in the region. Delicious with poultry, shellfish and lobster, it is the perfect introduction to the alluring world of French white wine.

RRP \$65 \$**54.95** in any 12 \$59.95 PER BOTTLE

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"Another ripper", Phillip Rich

Salo Chardonnay 2022 Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 97/100 🖒 🖒

From the early 2000s-planted Full Moon vineyard in the Upper Yarra. Natural fermentation on full solids, and no lees stirring or mlf. At Salo, Dave Mackintosh and Steve Flamsteed only make one Yarra wine, and the 2022 is another ripper. From a low-yielding vintage, this is slightly more powerful than the 2021 and here you'll find aromas of white nectarines, lemon oil and spice with some marine scents. Intense and richly textured on the palate and balanced by the wine's vibrant acidity and a touch of grip on the finish. By the time this is released in August 2023, this should be singing. Alcohol: 13%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Mar 2023. Drink by: 2029. Price: \$50. Rating: 96/100.

Phillip Rich, Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$50

Opulent and hedonistic

Pierro Chardonnay 2022



In the words of highly respected wine writer Jeremy Oliver ""Pierro Chardonnay is the role model for so many of Australia's more opulent and hedonistically proportioned chardonnays and is a stunning expression of Margaret River Chardonnay." Pierro has again served up a chardonnay of not only monumental power, but of simultaneously smooth and silky delivery. Intense with a rich, deep combination of nectarine, grapefruit, toasted cashews and fine spicy oak. Top shelf chardonnay and one of Pierro's finest.

Kemenys RRP \$118

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A chardonnay lover's chardonnay

Fighting Gully Road Chardonnay 2022

Region: Beechworth Rating: 95/100 🏠

Three quarters of the grapes were sourced from the Fighting Gully Road vineyard in Beechworth. The other proportion a selection from Mudgee and also the 'Smiths' vineyard - the oldest vines in the Beechworth region (planted in 1978). Cool climate Chardonnay characters prevail with grapefruit, melon, white stone fruit, mineral and a hint of struck match. Rich and concentrated yet simultaneously wonderfully refined and fresh, the palate is draped with layers of white peach, nectarine and subtle grapefruit flavours. A chardonnay lover's chardonnay.

Kemenys RRP \$55





Big rich red wines are a delight to the senses. They are full-bodied, bold and tannic, usually with a good dose of deep, dark fruit flavours, nutty, toasty oak and heroic tannins. Gererally they are exceptional cellaring propositions. Sometimes they are very expensive.

It is important to pair big reds with the right foods. They go brilliantly with hearty dishes such as steak, lamb, and stews, as well as with strong blue cheeses and aged cheddar. They can also be enjoyed on their own, as a velvety, fruit-rich relaxer after a long day.

Here is a carefully curated selection of big reds which should have you covered for choices.



Big, Rich, Concentrated Clare **Claymore Nirvana Reserve Shiraz 2021** Region: Clare Valley Rating: 96/100 🕹 🏠

Quintessential Clare shiraz. Big, rich and concentrated, its impenetrable colour sets the mood for this Clare beauty. Aromas of ripe dark berries, earth, spice and regional dried herbal notes. The nalate is sumptions and velvety, with luscious blackberry, dark cherry and earthy spice and toasty oak. It's all held in balance by a lace-work of chewy ripe tannins and refreshing acidity. A cracking shiraz that will cellar well in the medium term. Kemenys

RRP \$50



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The man who began it all Penfolds The Noble **Explorer Shiraz 2017** Region: South Australia Rating: 94/100

The noble explorer is Christopher Rawson Penfold, the man who began it all. A doctor, with an eve for winemaking, he and his wife Mary sought a new calling in Australia. They found it in Magill Estate. Here Christopher planted vines and set in motion philosophies that would remain with Penfolds to this day. Wine critic Huon Hooke says "deep red/purple colour, with a reserved but clean chocolaty bouquet and a full-bodied, rich, nicely rounded palate, which is smooth and supple and yet full-bodied and ample. The wine is generous and approachable and also has a future in the cellar" and recommends a drinking window for another decade.

Kemenys **RRP \$40**

"Will drink superbly for two decades". Ken Garaett

Hewitson Mad Hatter Shiraz 2020

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 95/100

Yet another superb Barossa Shiraz, again from the powerful 2020 vintage, this one is from a single vineyard. The darkest magenta, we have notes of plush, dense chocolate. The nose just grabs you and tells you that you'll love this wine. There is power and concentration, and a great future, but it also offers joy now. The chocolate persists throughout. and we have beefstock, soy, licorice, plums and black fruits. This is very, very long and with extremely fine tannins. Wonderful wine which will drink superbly for two decades. The score should go even higher during that period. Drink: 2022-2042. Price: \$50. Rating: 96/100.

Ken Gargett, Winepilot.com RRP \$50



A cult red

Johns Blend Cabernet Sauvignon 2019

Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 95/100

First release in 1974, Johns Blend has built a cult following. Intense deep red. Extremely powerful nose of lifted chocolate, eucalypt and mint with very well balanced French oak in the background. The palate has characters on the nose carry through to the palate with great intensity. A big, rich and round palate with excellent French oak balance and soft tannin finish. A classic John's Blend Cabernet Sauvignon!

Kemenys RRP \$35 \$**31**.95 \$33.95 PER BOTTLE

Trophy, Best Museum Wine of Show, McLaren Vale Wine Show 2021

Secret Label McLaren Vale Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 (KSL 9102)

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 97/100 🖒 🍐

From the birthplace of the South Australian wine industry. Vinified from the most precious parcels of Cabernet Sauvignon available, traditionally crafted to old world techniques, employing antique basket presses and open fermenters to keep the history alive and create wines which merit perennial critical acclaim. A highly perfumed construct of McLaren Vale Cabernet, its judicious measure of spiced French vanilla oak complements the fruit richness and lingers on the memorable finish. No surprise it took out the Trophy at the 2021 McLaren Vale Wine Show for 'Best Museum Wine of Show', not to mention, 7 gold medals at major wine shows as well.

Kemenys **RRP \$73**

\$<mark>34^{.95}</mark>

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"it's a damn near perfect wine". Jeb Dunnuck

Lokoya Mount Veeder Cabernet Sauvignon 2014

Region: Napa Valley Rating: 99/100 🖒 🏠

The 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon Mount Veeder is beautifully complete, with a layered, multidimensional, elegant profile that's more structured than the Diamond Mountain, yet more seamless and approachable than the Howell Mountain. Creme de cassis, Asian spice, smoked earth, incense and sandalwood note all flow to full-bodied Cabernet Sauvignon that has no hard edges, ultra-fine tannin, incredibly purity of fruit and a great finish. As with all these 2014s, it's not about huge richness and opulence and more about purity, nuance and balance. It's a damn near perfect wine that will only get better with 2-4 years of bottle age and keep for three to four decades. Rating: 100/100.

leh Dunnuck jebdunnuck.com **RRP \$1000**

A 'bia boy' shiraz

Heidenreich Old School Principals Shiraz 2019 Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

A 'big boy' shiraz from Heidenreich weighing in at around 15% alcohol. It's a rich style. Deep red in colour. Dark berries and plums on the nose. The palate is fullsome and lush, with tastes of plum pudding, anise and pepper and licks of mocha oak with a velvet tannin finish. Needs meat!

Kemenvs RRP \$30 \$**24**.95 \$26,95 PER BOTTLE





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RIESLING BUNDLE 3 Bottles of each wine

\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98299

27% OFF RRP



"Classy value for money", Rav Jordan

d'Arenberg The Dry Dam Riesling 2023 Region: South Australia Rating: 92/100

Consistently delivers a classy value for money Riesling from McLaren Vale. The style is based on excellent fruit, which is not fermented to complete dryness, so that the trace of residual sugar provides an essential component to balance the palate. Fresh and lively with a lovely mouth feel. Perfect summer drink with fresh fruit. Date tasted: November 2023. Drink: 2023-2029. Price: \$19. Rating: 91/100.

Ray Jordan, *Winepilot.com* RRP \$19

\$**16**.95 in any 12 \$17.95 PER BOTTLE



"Lip-smacking stuff!", Jeni Port Kilikanoon Killermans Run Riesling 2022 Region: Clare Valley Rating: 93/100 ₺

Outstanding value here. Floral and high aromatics to the fore with apple blossom, red apple, citrus. Fresh and zesty to taste with a solid core of lime flavours from lime cordial through to lime zest - so very Clare playing throughout. It finishes with a touch of textural grapefruit pithiness - lip-smacking stuff The 2022 vintage was a great year in the Clare Valley and Riesling is one of its big beneficiaries. Date tasted: August 2022. Drink: 2022-2026. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Jenni Port, Winepilot.com RRP \$22

\$17.95 in any 12 \$19.95 PER BOTTLE

SEMILLON BUNDLE 3 Bottles of each wine

\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98303

33% OFF RRP

"Great line and length", Kim Brebach

1960 Tyrrells Old Vine Distillery Block Semillon 2017

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 95/100 🕹 🌢

Some of the vines that donated their drygrown grapes to this wine are more than 100 years old. It shows in the wine's complexity and backbone. Crisp Semillon made from fruit off the famous HVD vineyard we think. Vibrant fruit, with fresh lemons and crunchy green apples, great line and length. Date tasted: Jun 2020. Rating: 94+/100.

Kim Brebach, Best Wines under \$20 \$**19**-60

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A nod to history Kirkton Estate The William Semillon 2022 Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 93/100

James Busby planted hundreds of varieties at Kirkton Estate – the first vineyard in the Hunter Valley. He is recognised as the "father of the Australian wine industry". William Busby is James Busby son who inherited Kirkton Estate in 1857. This Semillon is dedicated to William. A fresh and crisp Semillon, with undertones of lemon sherbet and citrus fruit. The palate is clean and complex with a stunning lime finish. **Kemenys**

RRP \$25 \$**16**.95 in any 12 \$18.95 PER BOTTLE



\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98304

36% OFF RRP



Old Vine | Single Site Claymore Voodoo Child Chardonnay 2022

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Produced from the tiny yields of Claymore's 80+ year old vines grown on a single vineyard at Watervale. The conditions of 2022 were mild and cool, affording the luxury of crisp natural acidity and tight aromatics; the wine has been given a partial malo-lactic fermentation contributing a softness to the palate. Light French oak adds further complexity making it well suited to be enjoyed with food. As with all Claymore wines this is exceptional value.

Kemenys RRP \$22

\$**16**-95 in any 12 \$18.95 PER BOTTLE

Exceptional value Tumbarumba chardonnay

Moppity Lock & Key Single Vineyard Chardonnay 2022

Region: Tumbarumba Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

Moppity's Lock & Key Chardonnay is made from fruit grown at our mature, vineyard in Tumbarumba, Southern NSW. Planted in 1993, the vineyard comes highly regarded, largely due to the vast array of medal winning wines it has produced over the years. On mainland Australia there are few places that can consistently grow pure, expressive Chardonnay. Due to the ultra-cool climate and high altitude vineyards in the Tumbarumba region, we are one of the few places that can. Well balanced. On the palate notes of melon, limes, stone fruit. Complex and true to the region and variety. Exceptional value for money.

Kemenys RRP \$25

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\$**17.95** in any 12 \$19.95 PER BOTTLE

SHIRAZ BUNDLE **3 BOTTLES OF EACH WINE**

\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98306

28% OFF RRP



"The spice notes here, wow, they're gorgeous", Campbell Mattinson Mount Langi Billi Billi Shiraz 2021

Region: Grampians Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Mostly (83%) Grampians fruit, though there are contributions from Heathcote, Swan Hill and Bendigo. This wine is often a happy hunting ground for value, but this release is a particularly good version of it. It's alive with peppery spice and fluid with plum-shot flavour, and while it's medium in weight (at most) it feels silken and satisfying. The spice notes here, wow, they're gorgeous. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Nov 2022. Drink: 2028. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Campbell Mattinson, Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$22





"Real finesse here", Kim Brebach **1960 Moppity Single** Vineyard Quarry Block Hilltops Shiraz 2016

Region: Hilltops Rating: 96/100

The red fruit is bright and vibrant, and the voltage high for a 4-year-old red. The reds from this winery in the hilltops around Young are usually a little softer, with more oak in evidence, so this one needs more time to breathe and spread its wings. There's real finesse here, and great line and length. Will improve for 5 years easily, but is good drinking already. BUY. Rating: 94/100. Kim Brebach,

Rest Wines under \$20

\$**19**.60 PER BOTTLE

PINOT NOIR BUNDLE **3 BOTTLES OF EACH WINE**

\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98307

42% OFF RRP

Impressive price for an estate grown Yarra Valley pinot Yarrawood Pinot Noir 2022

Region: Yarra Valley Rating: 93/100 🖒

Yarrawood Estate is situated on the floor of the valley.100% estate grown fruit. Aromas of cherry, strawberry and savoury notes. On the palate it is elegant and supple with a hint of French oak. An easy drinking style ready for immediate enjoyment and for the next few years. Impressive price for an estate grown Yarra Valley pinot. Kemenvs

RRP \$22 \$**15**.95 \$17.95 PER BOTTLE

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Tumbarumba pinot is rarely seen at this price

Moppity Lock & Key Pinot Noir 2022

Region: Tumbarumba Rating: 93/100 🖒

From cool climate vineyards in Tumbarumba at the foothills of the Snowy Mountains. This is sourced from the famed Coppabella Vineyard which was founded by the region's founder in the early 90's and flagship Hilltops winery Moppity is now the custodian. Aromas of ripe red fruits, baking spices, nutty oak and some fresh herb. Bright aromas of dark cherry, plum and spice, with nicely judged French oak, crunchy acidity and fine tannins. Supple and elegant with excellent length. Great with duck or venison. Tumbarumba pinot is rarely seen at this price. Kemenvs

RRP \$30 \$17.95 in any 12 \$19.95 PER BOTTLE

RED BLEND BUNDLF 3 BOTTLES OF EACH WINE

\$90 PER PACK

- EQUATES TO \$15 PER BOTTLE

CODE 98308

30% OFF RRP



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\$**14**.95

WALLACE

One of Australia's best value reds Metala Single **Vineyard Shiraz** Cabernet 2021

Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Winning the first ever Jimmy Watson Trophy in 1962, Metala had stood the test of time. In 1882, William Formby purchased the Metala estate. In 1981, 5th Generation Guy Adams took over the management of the estate. With a sincere appreciation of the family legacy, Guy, together with his wife Liz, began a 20-year long battle to return Metala to its original home. In 2022 the dream became a reality and Metala came home to Langhorne Creek and the family who planted and have nurtured the vines for more than 130 years. This is now entirely sourced from the Metala Vinevard which is home to the oldest family-owned cabernet vineyard in the world and the oldest Shiraz vineyards in Langhorne Creek. Oodles of dark fruit flavour yet seamless. One of

Kemenvs \$16.95 PER BOTTLE RRP \$20



Glaetzer Wallace Shiraz Grenache 2021

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 92/100

A blend of northern Barossa shiraz/grenache. Deep crimson in hue with vibrant aromas of frangipani-flecked dark plum, blackberry and boysenberry fruits underscored with baking spices, rose petals, roasting meats, cola, ginger spice and earth. Bright acidity, a plume of red cherry and wild strawberry join the party on the palate, with fine sandy tannin and black tea and pure dark and red berry fruits on the exit. Alcohol: 14.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Feb 2023. Drink by: 2032. Price: \$23. Rating: 92/100

Dave Brookes, Halliday Wine Companion **RRP \$23**











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With White Dozen 2 bottles of Hidden Label Adelaide Hills Chardonnay 2022 (KHL 8557)



Hidden Label **Reserve Hunter** Valley Semillon 2017

(KHL 7880) Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 96/100

Crisp, fresh, slight grassiness, light powdery soft chalkiness through it, and more to lemon than lime in the flavour department, Good length, Zips along, Fresh squeezed lemon juice sweetness plays out on the finish. How's the purity? Tasty now too, though better later. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Jul 17. Drink: 2017-2030+. Price: \$45. Rating: 94+/100.

Gary Walsh, The Wine Front Would sell for up to \$45 under its own label

Hidden Label Clare Valley Shiraz 2021 (KHL 4960) Region: Clare Valley

Rating: 94/100

Surely a contender for value buy of the year. Indeed, the range of four reds released here is definitely odds on for best buying collection for 2023. Maroon purple, this is a brooding, deep red with aromas of plums, chocolate, cigar boxes, dry herbs and raspberries - the black fruits kick in much more on the palate. There is good density, but the wine retains its freshness. With very fine tannins and a lingering finish, this is utterly delicious and should remain so for at least the next six to eight years. The palate exhibiting more chocolate, axle grease and blackberries as it develops in the glass. Terrific stuff Date tasted: July 2023. Drink: 2023-2031. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Ken Gargett, Winenilot.com Would sell for up to \$22 under its own labe

KHL**mixed**dozen

2 bottles each of the red and white wines

Hidden Label McLaren Vale Shiraz 2021 (KHL 8552)

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 95/100

McLaren Vale shiraz from one of South Australia's most historic producers. This premium estate grown shiraz is from what is known as the Farm Block situated in front of this winery's McLaren Vale cellar door. Lovely rich, full, concentrated ripe shiraz palate with fine tannins that provide persistence and length. Round acidity provides elegance and grace. A beautiful match with full flavored plates of rare beef, aubergine lasagna or tapas

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Hidden Label Langhorne **Creek Cabernet** Sauvignon 2021 (KHL 3208)

Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 95/100

Destemmed and crushed to open fermenters: matured for 12 months in French puncheons (10% new). Finesse and elegance are the last words expected for a young cabernet, but they describe this most attractive wine. Has won a string of silver and gold medals. Alcohol: 13.5%. Closure: screwcan Date tasted: Nov 2022 Drink by: 2038. Price: \$22. Rating: 95/100

lames Halliday. Halliday Wine Companion Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

KHL**white**dozen

4 bottles each of the white wines

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WOULD SELL FOR UP TO \$372 UNDER THEIR OWN LABELS

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\$12.50 PER BOTTLE

Hidden Label Clare Valley Riesling 2023 (KHL 4955) Region: Clare Valley

gives a region three cracking vintages on the trot and the Clare Valley has certainly been blessed. The 2023 Rieslings are proving to be just as exciting as its two predecessors. This is pale straw with a nose radiating with citrus, limes, spices and florals, all lovely stuff, full of flavour. This is approachable now but certainly has an exciting future, especially at this price with notes of orange blossoms. Slightly crunchy acidity and a long, lingering, clean finish, which maintains its intensity. Drink over the next six to ten years. Drink: 2023-2033. Price: \$22. Rating: 93/100.

Ken Gargett. Winepilot.com Would sell for up to \$22 under its own label

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KHL**red**dozen

Hidden Label

Hunter Valley

(KHL 7859)

Region: Hunter Valley

Rating: 93/100

Chardonnay 2021

Made to the same exacting standards

as the makers flagship chardonnay

(one of Australia's most famous

chardonnays). Lovely nose that

shows white stone fruit and vanillin

oak. The palate is robust with great

fruit intensity and texture through the

mid-palate, with a soft acid finish.

Textbook modern, Hunter Valley

chardonnay from an outstanding

Would sell for up to \$26 under its

vintage.

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4 bottles each of the red wines

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Rating: 94/100 It is a wonderful thing when nature

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Mitolo Jester Malbec 2019

Region: McLaren Vale Rating: 94/100

This is wonderfully fruited and brooding, showing dark fruit richness with nuances of game, dark spice and tapenade on the nose, leading to a richly flavoursome palate that's dense and silky. A bold expression offering gorgeous drinking. At its best: now to 2031. Price: \$25. Rating: 93/100.

Sam Kim, Wine Orhit RRP \$25

1960 Knappstein The Pioneer Cabernet Sauvignon 2020

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🖒

Knappstein has a proud pioneering heritage, with Fanny Filgate establishing the Enterprise Building in 1878 which has been the home of Knappstein Wines since its inception in 1974. The fruit comes from the acclaimed Enterprise Vineyard, which was planted in 1969 and has been producing exceptional grapes for Knappstein ever since. This culminated in 2004 with Knappstein's Cabernet Sauvignon winning the trophies for World's Best Cabernet Sauvignon and Best Australian Red Wine at the London International Wine & Spirits Competition, the first Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon to win these coveted trophies. Today, Knappstein Wines is creating this stunning Cabernet Sauvignon exclusively for Kemenys' customers, with these two iconic brands joining together in 2023 for the first time. The nose and the palate are perfectly aligned in this classical, savoury and structural Cabernet Sauvignon, Only 250 dozen produced.

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RRP \$297

SAVE

44%

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Selection mixed dozen

2 bottles each of the red and white wines

\$165 PER DOZEN \$13.75 PER BOTTLE

Terra Felix Heathcote Shiraz 2016

Region: Heathcote Rating: 95/100 🕹 🕹

An extended period in French oak followed a co-fermentation with a dollop of Viognier. This wine shows all the joy that Heathcote Shiraz can offer - a cracker and cracking value. Near opaque, this is richly flavoured with chocolate and spices, the merest whiff of white pepper, along with florals, bay leaves and cloves, with mulberries emerging on the palate. Seamless in structure with very fine, soft tannins plus excellent length. This has a decade ahead of it and a case in the cellar will reward. Date tasted: March 2023. Drink: 2023-2033. Price: \$35. Rating: 95/100.

Ken Gargett. Winepilot.com RRP \$35

Stonefish Sauvignon Blanc 2023 Region: Margaret River

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Rating: 95/100 🖒 🖒

The new Stonefish cellar-door is ultraimpressive located in the Margaret River's golden circle with Cullen and Pierro. This is an exciting Margaret River savvy in a style far removed from Marlborough. It was made by Bruce Dukes who is one of West Australia's star winemakers. Appealing mix of fresh tropical fruit, rockmelon, pineapple and white peach but nothing overly herbaceous. Its crisp and refreshing. It is wines like this that will see straight Margaret River sauvignon blanc continue to grow in popularity. Kemenys

RRP \$25

Selection white dozen

Kemenys WINEDOMINION SUMMER 2024

4 bottles each of the white wines



Rating: 94/100

allow it to make rieslings at this low price, with precisely balanced lime, lemon and apple held together with balancing acidity. And, like all good rieslings, it will live for years, gaining depth and texture as it ages. Alcohol: 12%. closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2038. Price: \$22. Rating: 94/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023

Taylors' large estate plantings

RRP \$22

Claymore Voodoo Child Chardonnay 2022

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 93/100 6 6

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Semillon 2014

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value Kemenys RRP \$22

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\$165 PER DOZEN \$13.75 PER BOTTLE

Selection red dozen

4 bottles each of the red wines

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\$165 PER DOZEN \$13.75 PER BOTTLE 40%

RRP \$276

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De Iuliis Semillon 2023

Region: Hunter Valley Rating: 95/100

The moody Hunter weather threatened, but the rain stopped, the soil allowed harvesters onto the vines - and the quality of this super-expressive lemon, apple and lanolin fruit had its life to live, and transformed itself from chrysalis to resplendent butterfly. Alcohol: 11%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2043. Price: \$30. Rating: 95/100

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 **RRP \$30**





Lake Breeze Bernoota Shiraz Cabernet 2021 Region: Langhorne Creek Rating: 94/100

A 60/40% blend ex-40-year-old vines, the 2021 vintage playing its part. Open fermented for eight to 10 days, finished in American oak; matured for 20 months in American and French barriques. The wine is a flood of dark fruit pulsating through to the finish. Alcohol: 14.5%. Closure: screwcap. Drink to: 2037. Price: \$22. Rating: 94/100

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$22

Purple Hands Mataro Grenache Shiraz 2021

Region: Barossa Valley Rating: 94/100

Vibrant red-purple in the glass with impressive fruit purity and vibrancy at its core. Dark and red plum fruits, blueberry flan and high tones of jasmine and violets are underscored by a bed of exotic spice, ginger cake, red licorice and earth. Fruit intensity and purity is impressive, flowing seamlessly over the palate, with fine tannins providing support as the wine sails off slowly. Lovely drinking. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Oct 2022. Drink: 2027. Price: \$30. Rating: 93/100.

Dave Brookes. Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$30

Longview Vineyard Devil's **Elbow Cabernet** Sauvignon 2020 Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

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An appealing magenta in colour, the nose here is dry herbs, florals, blackberries, cigar box notes, hints of bell peppers and much more. A classic cooler-climate Cabernet, done extremely well. The nicely fragrant nose moves on to a well-structured wine, finely crafted. This is balanced with very good length, good acidity and excellent focus. A hint of bacon fat emerges on the palate, with the darker fruits. With firm tannins, this should have no trouble in providing excellent drinking over the next ten years. Date tasted: April 2022. Drink: 2022-2032.

Ken Gargett. Winepilot.com RRP \$30

Price: \$30. Rating: 94/100

Tahbilk Museum Release Marsanne 2017 Region: Goulburn Valley Rating: 95/100

TAHBILK

A flowery honeysuckle perfume translates into a delicious mouthfeel minerally acidity subdued by a generous serving of lime, Granny Smith apple and guava fruits. Once it has reached the plateau of its overall flavour, it will coast for another three to five years. Alcohol: 12%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: to 2030. Price: \$26.95. Rating: 95/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$26.95

Longview **Vineyard Vista Grigio Gruner** 2022

Region: Adelaide Hills Rating: 94/100 6

When we first saw the label we weren't sure (but thought what the heck let's give it a go). Italy meets Austria, Wow! Punchy and exciting. the wine jumps out of the glass with freshly picked nettles, spice and pine-lime aromatics. The invigorating palate is all pizazz; upfront sherbet, then spicy poached pear with mouth-watering acidity, finishing with remarkable texture and length. A bright and brisk wine ready to go right now but, but as with Gruner Veltliners, it will be interesting to see how it develops into a serious, aged wine. Kudos to Longview - they have nailed this.

Kemenvs RRP \$25





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Kilikanoon Covenant Shiraz 2019

Region: Clare Valley Rating: 95/100

Matured for 14 months in French oak. Sandalwood and salted licorice rise up out of the glass, fighting for place over the blackberry bramble, blood plum and raspberry coulis. This is a gorgeous, opulent wine of grace and poise. There are layers upon layers of velvety flavour here. Luxurious, sybaritic, and bloody delicious. Alcohol: 14.5%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Dec 2021. Drink: 2031. Price: \$40. Rating: 95/100.

Erin Larkin, Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$40

Leasingham **Classic Clare** Cabernet Sauvignon 2018 Region: Clare Valley

Rating: 96/100 🖒 🖒

This appears riper, richer and warmer than the 14% alcohol suggests. But no denying its sense of place. Lots of intense flavours from blackberries, currants and mulberries, with espresso coffee to dark chocolate infused with mint. And yes, lots of toasty, cedary oak. Mouth-coating tannins and overall, a solid wine. Alcohol: 14%. Closure: screwcap. Date tasted: Mar 2021. Drink by: 2033. Price: \$79. Rating: 94/100 Jane Faulkner,

Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$79

Charles Melton La Belle Mere **GSM 2021** Region: Barossa Valley

CHARLES MELTON

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Rating: 96/100

A delicious rendition of a style that has blossomed over the past 10 to 20 years, here gaining an extra degree in an excellent vintage. Winemaker Charlie Melton has been a leader of the pack from the start and intends to keep it there. Closure: screwcap Alcohol: 14.5%. Drink: 2025. Price: \$32. Rating: 96/100.

James Halliday James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$32

Meadowbank **Riesling 2023**

Region: Derwent Valley Rating: 98/100 🖒 🖒

upper Derwent River, is primarily a grape grower with 52ha of vines enough for only 800 dozen directed to wines contract-made by Peter Dredge. It's such a ravishing wine, as rich and deep as it is pure and fine. Redefines citrus, Alcohol: 11.5%, Closure: screwcap. Drink: 2043. Price: \$40. . Rating: 98/100.

James Halliday, James Halliday's Top 100 2023 RRP \$40

Beautiful Meadowbank, on Tasmania's

Riversdale Estate Riesling 2021 Region: Coal Valley Rating: 95/100 🖒 🖒

From a single vineyard in the Coal River Valley. An enticing exoticism is lifted by all the best attributes of botrytis - orange blossom, apricot, loquat and fig, along with a subtle palate viscosity and not a hint of the bitterness that all too often sneaks in. A touch of sweetness has been played to masterful effect, leaving the final impression to a long tail of perfectly ripe yet energetic and lithe acidity. Drink it now or in a decade or more. Alcohol: 12%, Closure: screwcap, Date tasted: Mar 2022. Drink by: 2036. Price: \$36. Rating: 95/100.

Tyson Stelzer, Halliday Wine Companion RRP \$36

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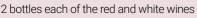
Grevstone Organic Chardonnay 2019 Region: Waipara

Rating: 95/100

Weighty and guite concentrated chardonnay with a nice mix of sweet fruit and savoury characters including peach, citrus, nectarine, baquette crust and spicy French oak. Alcohol: 13%. Closure: screwcap. Drink: 2020-2026. Rating: 95/100.

Bob Campbell MW, The Real Review RRP \$43

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ROSÉ

Summer is the ideal season for rosé. It's a refreshing and versatile wine, equally at home as a cheeky aperitif or matching with a complex main course.

Australian rosé holds its own when compared to the best in the world, including those from rosé's spiritual home of Provence.

Here's a nice selection to make Summer even more fun



Provencal in style except in price

Secret Label Margaret River Rosé 2023 (KSL 2873)

Region: Margaret River Rating: 93/100 🖒 🏠

Wow - a Margaret River rose at this price! Lovely pale Provencal colour. A delicious combination of pink musk sticks, Turkish delight, fairy floss and hints of rose petal and strawberries. The palate is soft, with juicy red fruits of strawberries and raspberries with hints of Turkish delight, pink marshmallows and baking spices. A lovely crisp and dry finish.

Kemenys RRP \$17 \$**10**.95 PER BOTTLE



"It smells like an Australian summer". Chris Kellv

Angullong Fossil Hill Rosé 2022

Region: Orange Rating: 94/100 🖒 🏠

The best rose doesn't necessarily have to come from France; in fact, we believe it comes from New South Wales. Renowned for being one of the best Australian rosé wines, Angullong Fossil Hill Rose is light in texture, and teeming with red berry fruits and touches of musk. It smells like an Australian summer, offering floral aromas hugged by citrusy undertones, with a palate that surprises with every sip. It is the perfect aperitif before a bustling multi-course meal or a wonderful accompaniment to a cheese olatter.

Chris Kelly, Hunter and Bligh RRP \$26

\$**16**.95 in any 12 \$18,95 PER BOTTLE



Trophy, Best Rose, National Cool Climate Wine Show 2022

Riversdale Estate Rosé 2022

Region: Coal Valley Rating: 96/100 🖒 🏠

Winner of the trophy for the Best Rosé at the National Cool Climate Wine Show. We think this is exclusive to Kemenys customers and cellar door - always nice. Riversdale Estate is a dark horse winery to look out for. An insanely picturesque vinevard on the River Derwent, no expense spared in the winemaking facilities and midas touch of winemaker Jasper Marais. Riversdale is already known for making Tasmania's most awarded syrah and here we have those prized grapes used to produce this stunning rosé. Bright confectionery pink. Red cherry, cranberry, redcurrant scents rise with a touch of musk. Delicate in flavour, framed in edgy, fine-acidity and middle palate texture. Great food and pool wine!

Kemenys RRP \$36 \$**29.95** in any 12 \$31.95 PER BOTTLE



"Brilliantly structured and lingering", Sam Kim

Secret Label Provence AOP Rosé 2022 (KSL 4083)

Region: Cotes de Provence Rating: 95/100 🖒 🏠

Stunningly beautiful and delicately expressed, the wine shows white flesh stone fruit, Gala apple, lemon peel and subtle strawberry aromas, followed by a finely flowing palate that's bright and linear. Brilliantly structured and lingering with elegant juicy flavours. At its best now to 2026. Rating: 95/100.

Sam Kim, *Wine Orbit* RRP \$45





Affordable luxury

Maison Saint AIX Provence AOP Rosé 2022

Region: Cotes de Provence Rating: 95/100 🖒

The hit sensation from Provence. From the renowned appellation AOP Coteaux d'Aix en Provence this is a fragrant and beautifully structured rosé. The nose is fresh and fragrant, delicate yet youthful and offers classy notes of watermelon, strawberry and flowers. The softest hint of Carignan was added to the classical Provence blend of Grenache, Syrah and Cinsault to give the release an even more profound depth - a serious rose and an affordable everyday little luxury.

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