



2024 1920's VINEYARD SHIRAZ Barossa Valley, South Australia

The Story:

The Hahn family were among the original pioneers to the Barossa Valley, and began growing grapes in 1845. In 1997 a partnership was formed between 6th generation family custodians and internationally respected winemaker, Rolf Binder, in producing the JJ Hahn range of wines. Launched in 1999, as a shared desire to showcase the family's legacy of grape growing from a wonderful collection of Barossa old vine vineyards held in the family for generations.

The Vintage:

The 2024 vintage was a cool to warm year, with average rainfall in the winter and spring leading up to the vintage, which ensured the soil was well hydrated. However, there was little rainfall during the growing season, which allowed the vines to ripen the fruit without excess moisture, reducing disease risk. Harvest picking dates were much later than normal resulting wines produced all have great colour and strong flavour with a touch of elegance and amazing tannin structure.

The Vineyards:

Sourced from a gnarly old single vineyard in Moppa Springs planted in 1920.

The Winemaking:

The grapes were hand harvested fermented in open fermenters, with approximately 20% whole bunches and the rest whole berries. After 12 days it was pressed to tank before the wine is racked to barrel. The wine is aged in a selection of French (10% new) and American (30% new) oak for 18 months before blending and bottling.

The Taste and Experience:

Old school but made in a new school way, complex rich aromas but tight and restrained on the palate. Super dark, luscious fruit framed with velvety, powdery tannins. Super hedonistic with great density and structure, a small piece of liquid history!

The Analysis:

Alc: 14%
pH 3.65
TA: 6.5