

NEWS AND REVIEWS



Elderton Wines New Cellar Door Project

Some of you may have heard, some may not, but we are very excited here at the winery because the new Cellar Door project is right on track and looking great. The long term vision of using the Ashmead's original homestead (yes, were little Cameron and Allister grew up) as our Cellar Door and story telling space is morphing into reality.

Amazing landscaping (including the grass tennis court and swimming pool), sensational new tasting areas and a rather incredible 'glass' cellar with heighten the tasting experience for everyone that comes along, from near and far.

Keep an eye out for more little 'teasers' before our hopeful opening in September, just in time for our new event 'The Elderton Tennis Classic' (see below for more details on this).

New wines on the block

2017 Barossa Semillon & 2017 Barossa Rosé

Not only have we got a new Cellar Door on the go we are also looking forward to introducing you all to our new wines. Our 2017 Barossa Semillon and 2017 Barossa Rosé are nearly ready for release. Tasting notes, bottle shots and more information will be shared shortly.

A new event on the Elderton Calendar

We are excited to introduce a new event to the Elderton calendar and would love for you to be a part of the inaugural Elderton Tennis Classic.

This is a mixed doubles tournament being held on the 12th November with Fast4 rules, and great prizes up for grabs, but with the aim of everyone having a fun day of tennis, food and wine in the Barossa.

Champions take home wine to the value of \$1000 (RRP), plus prizes for runners-up, best dressed and more.

The early Knockout/Round Robin rounds are to be played throughout the morning, across eight hardcourts at the Nuriootpa Tennis Club. The finals will be on the grass centre court at Elderton Wines in the early afternoon and into the evening, with local food, wine and beer available for purchase

REGISTRATION OF \$100 PER MIXED DOUBLES PAIRING INCLUDES

2 x Elderton sweatbands along with 2 x Elderton wine glasses with your first glass of wine (glasses and wine value \$48)

VISIT THE ELDERTON WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS OR TO REGISTER & PAY FOR YOUR TEAM

The Excitement is Building!



Elderton

EXPOSURE JULY 2017

NEW RELEASES

2015 Barossa GSM

Winemaker's Comments

Shiraz is typically the first to ripen and was open top fermented alone, with co-fermentation for the later ripening Grenache and Mourvedre. Both parcels were transferred separately to older French oak puncheons. The Shiraz was later added to the blend to enrich and balance the colours, aromas and flavours. Shiraz offers structure with black pepper and richness, Mourvedre gives earthiness and liquorice with Grenache offering roundness to palate and blue fruits. - Richard Langford

Grenache 35%, Shiraz 33%, Mourvedre 32%

Style: Bright, elegant, textural
Colour: Medium red with purple hues
Aroma & Palate: Pepper, blue fruits, anise and violets

Alc/Vol: 14.5%
Vineyard Source: 100% Estate Grown, Greenock
Vine Age: 16 - 41 years
Picking Date: 19-24 February 2015
Oak: Old French puncheons, 15 months
Cellaring: Drink now or cellar confidently for 5+ years



STOCK UPDATES

- 2013 Command Shiraz - SOLD OUT - Allocation only
- 2008 & 2010 Command Shiraz Museum Release - Now Available
- 2012 Command Shiraz - 375ml bottles still available
- 2014 Ashmead Cabernet Sauvignon - LOW STOCK
- 2015 Western Ridge Grenache Carignan - Now Available / extremely limited
- 2014 Estate Shiraz - Last stocks, 2015 Available mid to late July
- 2014 Estate Cabernet Sauvignon - Running Low
- 2015 Estate Merlot - Last stocks
- 2014 Estate GSM - SOLD OUT
- 2015 Estate GSM - Now Available
- 2017 Estate Semillon - New, Available July
- 2017 Estate Rose - New, Available July
- 2015 Golden Semillon - SOLD OUT
- 2016 Golden Semillon - Now Available
- 2015 E Series Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon - Now Available

WORTH A GIGGLE???



WINE OF THE MONTH

2016 Eden Valley Chardonnay

Winemaker's Comments

Sitting up on a rocky hill at over 420 metres in the rather exposed Eden Valley ranges, gives the vines a determined character as they are fully exposed to the elements. The cooler temperatures of the Eden Valley allow the Chardonnay vines to ripen fruit slowly, ensuring ample natural acidity and wonderful flavours at harvest. Richard Langford

Style: Elegant, driven, focused
Colour: Pale straw
Aroma & Palate: Stonefruits, mineral and a hint of creamy oak
Alc/Vol: 13.0%
Vineyard Source: 100% Estate grown, Craneford
Vine Age: 24 years
Picking Date: 24 February 2016
Cellaring: Drink now or cellar confidently for 5+ years

