

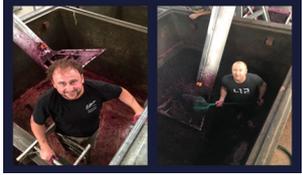
PROWEIN FUN



Cameron and Allister recently attended ProWein in Dusseldorf, Germany. It is always a great excuse to touch base with long time international distributors and meet new people. A chance to see what new things wineries are doing in other parts of the world and make sure we keep spreading the Elderton word.

Left are some photos of their time away - including a pic of Al very chilly in Copenhagen, and a pic of Cam with Max, he is one of the many international staff we have had do vintage here with us. Max is German and did vintage with us in 2017, the boys enjoyed seeing him again.

THE RIVALRY IS REAL



The quiet, underlying (or not so underlying) rivalry between siblings is not lost on the Ashmead brothers when it comes to digging out fermenters. Whilst it can never be proven either way who is quicker due to some varieties being harder to dig, how full the tanks are and a few other factors they are happy to get in and dig for glory when required. They are not the only ones though, Karli and a few of the other staff that don't normally head into the winery tanks love getting their hands dirty and involved in the vintage fun...

AND THE LIZARDS KEEP GETTING BIGGER



Last month I shared a pic of the Bearded Dragon Brett saved from the crusher - We thought he was a good size (pic on left)... Today, Brett has topped it with this monster. Both lizards have safely been returned to their natural habitat in the vineyards (pic on right).

EXPOSURE

APRIL 2018

2014 COMMAND & 2015 ASHMEAD

Our 2014 Command Shiraz is now half depleted and mostly allocated, so if you haven't secured an allocation, or you would like more please contact Allister quickly. We do not want you to miss out! Similarly the 2015 Ashmead cabernet Sauvignon is moving fast!

WORTH A GIGGLE???

TYPES OF BEVERAGE GLASSES



↑ RED WINE GLASS ↑ RED WINE GLASS

WINE OF THE MONTH

2016 Barossa Merlot

(Last stocks)

This medium bodied wine is supple on the palate with earth, spice and plum characters.

- Richard Langford

Style: Medium bodied, classic, supple
Colour: Deep red

Aroma: Plum, spice, earthy notes

Palate: Plum, spice, black fruits and cedar
Alc/Vol: 14.5%

Vineyard Source: 100% estate grown, Nuriootpa

Vine Age: 13 - 32 years

Picking Date: 8 March 2016

Oak: Predominantly second fill French hogsheads, 14 months

Cellaring: Drink now or cellar confidently for 5 - 10 years from vintage

STOCK UPDATES

2014 Command Shiraz
- ALLOCATED PRODUCT

2015 Ashmead Cabernet Sauvignon

2008 Command Shiraz Museum Release
- Now available

2012 Command Shiraz
- 375ml bottles still available

2017 Western Ridge Grenache Carignan
- AVAILABLE NOW

2015 Fifteen Shiraz - Allocations available
PLEASE SECURE ALLOCATIONS

2015 Barossa GSM
- SOLD OUT (2016 available mid April)

2015 Neil Ashmead GTS
- STOCK GETTING LOW

2017 Barossa Rosé
- STOCK GETTING LOW

2016 Barossa Merlot
- STOCK GETTING LOW

