HEARTLAND

SPICE TRADER SHIRAZ | 2020

WINEMAKING

Winemaker:

Ben Glaetzer

Region:

Langhorne Creek

Soil:

Sandy loam

Variety:

Shiraz

Age of Vines:

25+ Years

Maturation:

1-3 year old French and American oak

Vinification:

Our Shiraz was de-stemmed, crushed and pumped over twice a day for nine days.

The wine matured for 12 months in oak prior to bottling.

WINE NOTES

Tasting Notes:

The aromas are of a fruit compote and freshly baked apple and raspberry pie.

The longer you leave it, the more you get. Black currants and dark forest fruits are cushioned by soft tannins providing a plush palate with a hint of Christmas spice on the finish. This is ready for enjoyment any time from release.

2020 Vintage:

Lower than average crops were the result of a dry flowering season. Temperatures were unusually mild. Harvest began on the 6th of February, with our Cabernet Sauvignon being picked in late March.

A long cool growing season led to excellent phenolic ripeness and intense colour and an inviting brightness on the palate.

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