

TE·ARO ESTATE

BAROSSA VALLEY



'Jokers Grin'

SHIRAZ (55%) / CABERNET SAUVIGNON (45%)
2006

Notes

Enjoy fresh berry aromas, soft and elegant fruit characters with black pepper, dusty tannins and a lingering mouthfeel.

Vintage Information

Acres	Shiraz 1.2 acres & Cabernet Sauvignon 1.4 acres
Tonnage	2.85 ton/acre
Harvested	Shiraz - 14 Mar '06 & Cabernet Sauvignon - 21 Mar '06
Oak regime	French & American Oak hogseeds
Time in Oak	18 months
Bottled	18th Oct 2007
Production	320 cases
Alc/Vol	15.3%

Vineyard Information

Row Orientation	North - south & East - west
Region	Williamstown home block & Sugarloaf property
Vine age	25 years and 9 years respectively
Pruning methodology	2 bud spur - single wire, permanent arm - hand pruned
Soil	Slate, loam over clay
Elevation	220 metres above sea level
Rainfall	858mls (avg. 680mls)

Awards

- Winestate Mar/Apr '09 - 4 stars
- Nick Stock – 100 Wines – Sep. '08 – 91 points
- James Halliday's '09 Wine Companion – 90 points
- Silver Medal '08 Rutherglen Wine Show
- Bronze - Cowra Wine Show

Character

At family get togethers, after a few glasses of red, we invariably catch someone sporting a 'Joker's Grin' - a proud grin of immense satisfaction. Experience a couple of glasses yourself and it's hard to wipe the smile from your face.



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