

Reviews & Awards

FAMILY CREST

2022 SHIRAZ

McLAREN VALE

REVIEWS

94 POINTS | Sam Kim, Wine Orbit - March 2025

"Upfront and richly expressed, the wine shows black/blueberry, rich floral, vanillin oak, and mixed spice aromas on the nose. The palate is equally satisfying, with succulent fruit intensity splendidly framed by a fleshy texture and layers of fine tannins, making it delectable and highly enjoyable."

93 POINTS | Ken Gargett, Wine Pilot - February 2025

"McLaren Vale Shiraz from an excellent vintage, it includes parcels of old vines. This is deep maroon in colour, and cracking value. There are notes of chocolate, warm earth, licorice, animal hides, cherries, blackberries and even a touch of black jellybean on the nose. There is a fine line of acidity here and a supple texture, with satiny tannins and impressive length. Enjoy this over the next six to eight years. One of those wines which it is impossible not to enjoy. Not sure I'd go with the team's recommended match of beef curry – a good steak or gourmet sausages seem more the ticket."

Windsor Dobbin, Wine of the Week - March 2025

"Here's a red of serious weekend drinking quality that's priced like a midweek quaffer. It's well worth seeking out a bottle of two of this if you like your reds flavoursome but graceful and stylish. I was surprised just how easy this was to drink. The flavours are classic McLaren Vale - dark berry and plum notes with hints of moccha and spice. There is a lightness of touch to Tony Ingle's winemaking, however, that makes this a very food-friendly new release. You could pair this with anything from a Sunday roast to a Lebanese mezze plate but I'd probably choose a meaty pizza. And a second bottle."

AWARDS

Mundus Vini Grand International Wine Award 2025 - **Silver**

Melbourne International Wine Competition 2024 - **Silver**

Great Australian Shiraz Challenge 2024 - **Silver**

Sydney Royal Wine Show 2024 - **Bronze**

Melbourne Royal Wine Show 2024 - **Bronze**

