

# Terroirs of the Barossa 'Ebenezer District' Shiraz 2018

## Heritage

Château Tanunda was established in 1890 and is the site of some of the first vines planted in the Barossa in the 1840s as well as the Valley's first winery. The Château is an Australian heritage icon whose grand buildings, magnificent gardens and prime vineyards are owned by the Geber family. In the Barossa, the family continue their own tradition of fine winemaking which spans over three centuries.

## Vineyard

The Terroirs of the Barossa highlights the unique wine flavor characteristics within the individual sub-regions, or 'Parishes' in the Barossa. These differences stem from the relationships between man and place, with soils, climate zones, viticulture, aspects and water access, all playing important roles in the flavor of the grapes of these sites.

From the northern district of Ebenezer, home to some of the greatest vineyards in Australia known for their great ageability and velvety tannins.

Soil: Red Brown Earth on Calcerous Subsoils. Altitude: 278m

## Winemaking

To ensure the unique character of this sub region is exemplified in the wine, small open fermenters and our basket press were employed to gently extract the wine.

Aging in the finest quality oak and selection of the truest barrels for 18 months has created a wine that respects and expresses its place of origin.

## Reviews

**95 Points** – Sam Kim, Wine Orbit

**96 Points** – Huon Hooke, The Review:

*"Deep, dark red/purple colour with a gun-flinty, machine-oil overtone to the bouquet. There are black fruit aromas beneath. The palate is very complex and layered, with smoky, briary, black olive and graphite nuances that follow throughout the palate. The tannins are firm and compact and beautifully balanced to add structure and contribute to length. A ripping wine"*



pH:	3.3	Closure:	Cork
TA:	6.7 g/L	Maturation:	18 months French and American oak
RS:	>1 g/L	Drink:	2020-2033
Alc/Vol:	15%	Winemaker:	Neville Rowe

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