



IRONSTONE BARRELS THE TYRE FITTER SYRAH 2021

LIMITED RELEASE | 3,000 BOTTLES PRODUCED

[ANALYSIS]

Alcohol | 14.0% alc/vol

pH | 3.47

Acid | 6.1 g/L

Closure | Stelvin

Bottling Date | JULY 2022

Estate Grown & Bottled

[VINIFICATION]

Sidewoods inaugural release of our Tyre Fitter Shiraz a single clone, single vineyard shiraz grown at our Ironstone Road vineyard in Echunga. The flinty, iron rich, free draining soils at Ironstone are perfectly suited to cool climate Shiraz. Ironstone has seven shiraz clones. Each carefully managed to provide low yields, and each producing unique flavors and characteristics. Block Three, produced from a SAVII 19 clone was one of two blocks from the 2021 vintage chosen for an individual release, with 3,000 bottles produced from three carefully selected barrels. Hand picked, partial whole bunch with extended maceration. Twelve months in French oak - 30% new.

[TASTING NOTES]

Hosting the "Syrah" label, this wine is a classic example of cool climate shiraz. It's soft purple tint harbour elegance and sophistication through out each layer uncovered with each sip. Be enticed by the soft perfume of fig, violets and tar followed by a wave of raspberry, dark chocolate, and Szechuan spice. Seamless tannins leave you with a long smooth finish and lasting impression.

Can be enjoyed with grazing platters of charcuterie and cheese or with larger dishes such as Teriyaki duck or scotch fillet and seasonal greens.

[AWARDS]

97 POINTS | WINESTATE MAGAZINE 2023

97 POINTS | 2023 HUON HOOKE

95 POINTS | 2022 AUSTRALIAN WINE SHOWCASE

95 POINTS | 2022 WINE ORBIT

93 POINTS | 2022 ROD PHILLIPS

96 POINTS | 2022 WINE CURRENT

94 POINTS | WINE PILOT 2023

92 POINTS | 2023 JAMES SUCKLING

92 POINTS | 2024 THE WINE ADVOCATE

GOLD | 2024 INTERNATIONAL COOL CLIMATE WINE SHOW

SUSTAINABLY GROWN | SINGLE VINEYARD | HAND PICKED