

HENTLEY FARM

THE BEAUTY SHIRAZ

BAROSSA VALLEY
2023 VINTAGE



SEPPELTSFIELD VINEYARD

The Beauty, a fitting partner to the Beast, is a wine of elegance...

Grown on the coolest block on the property and co-fermented with a touch of Viognier, the Beauty displays complex lifted aromatics, along with the softness and subtlety befitting a wine of this name.

HENTLEY FARM WINES
CORNER OF GERALD ROBERTS & JENKE ROADS
SEPPELTSFIELD SA 5355

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KEITH HENTSCHKE PROPRIETOR

ANDREW QUIN CHIEF WINEMAKER VARIETAL SHIRAZ (97%), VIOGNIER (3%).

PRE-VINTAGE

RAINFALL: Winter (consistent) | Spring (above average).

TEMPERATURE: Mild Spring and early Summer | No extreme heat.

UPSHOT: Consistent flowering and fruit set | Healthy canopy.

VINTAGE

RAINFALL: Summer (below average) | Autumn (light).

TEMPERATURE: Days (mild - average) | Nights (cool).

UPSHOT: Delayed ripening conditions | Gradual δ extended

flavour accumulation | Great natural acidity.

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B-BLOCK: Deep red clay loam | Eastern bank of Greenock Creek

Low topographical position | Shaded mornings |

North-South oriented rows.

UPSHOT: Ripe yet elegant fruit | Soft tannins | Lifted aromatics.

HARVEST: 20 March - 04 April 2023

WINEMAKING

FERMENTATION: De-stemmed | Combined with wet Viognier skins

(3%) | 1/3 fermented off skins in oak | Basket

pressed

CELLARING: DRINK NOW TO 2034+

SENSORIAL

PROFILE: Blueberry | White florals | White pepper | Sage.

TEXTURE: Soft δ subtle | Lovely fruit drive | Soft tannin |

Seamlessly integrated oak.

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