

# Hand Crafted

by GEOFF HARDY

## Lagrein 2009

Lagrein is a relatively curious north east Italian grape variety well suited to Australian viticultural sites. Whilst these are early days for this variety in our Wirrega Vineyard, if this wine is anything to go by we certainly have something to look forward to.

This wine shows dark cherries, minty aniseed and a touch of black pepper with a lengthy pallet of blackcurrant, truffle and roasted herbs giving a quite savoury finish.

We sense this variety has a fantastic future in Australia.

Ideal with veal cutlets served with a green olive, parsley and pinenut pesto.



### Winemaking

Variety 100% Lagrein  
Region Limestone Coast

#### Winemaking:

Traditional open fermentation with our own yeast selection then minimal intervention during maturation in both French and American oak barrels

Alcohol: 14.22% alc/vol

Total acidity: 6.13 g/L

pH: 3.53

Residual sugar: 2.7 g/L

### Accolades

**Bronze Medal (Top of Class)**

Alternate Varieties Wine Show 2010

Sales and tastings at Pertaringa Cellar Door, 327 Hunt Road, McLaren Vale. Open 7days 11am—5pm

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