



Hand Crafted
by GEOFF HARDY

2017 Shiraz

McLaren Vale

Story: It's no secret that McLaren Vale is home to some of the best Shiraz in Australia. And this Hand Crafted by Geoff Hardy Shiraz is no exception.

Vintage: Spring and summer were cooler than normal with above average rainfall and the 2017 vintage happened much later than usual. The combination of those factors and dry weather for most of the harvest resulted in higher yields and excellent quality across regions.

Nose: The nose offers attractive and vibrant aromas of plums and berries with a good amount of spice.

Palate: The palate is beautifully lively with lashings of plums and a crisp, lingering finish.

Pairing: This rich Shiraz is best enjoyed with a home made Beef Wellington. Bon Appetit!

Oak maturation: 19 months in 15% new French hogsheads.

Cellaring: Drink now or to 2027

Alc: 15.5%

TA: 6.66g/L

pH: 3.39

RS: 2.3g/L
