

Mr. Riggs

McLaren Vale

Hamper Emporium Selections

2019 Mr. Riggs Sulis Langhorne Creek Cabernet



History

Mr. Riggs Wine Co. is one of McLaren Vale's most premium wine brands. Headed by winemaker Ben Riggs, our aim is to produce high quality wines with fruit purity and regional expression.

Sulis was a goddess of healing springs, and we like to think that drinking a glass of the Sulis Cabernet Sauvignon has the same healing power, and even better if you get to enjoy it in a bath or hot tub.

Vineyard

Langhorne Creek has a cool maritime climate, this is due to a wind known as the Lake Doctor coming off Lake Alexandrina travelling across the Antarctic and Southern Ocean to the Langhorne Creek vines.

Soil throughout the region is predominantly deep, alluvial sandy loams, with patches of black, self-mulching clays.

2019 vintage was a warm and dry vintage, with below average rainfall. However some late December rain helped the canopies throughout the warm summer to come, and the cooling southerly breeze coming off the ocean helped temperatures in the vineyards at night. An early harvest finished up by the end of March. The fruit has excellent natural acidity and well-defined tannins.

Wine

The Sulis is a generous expression of Cabernet Sauvignon with classic flavours of blackcurrant, dark chocolate, and a touch of mint.

Designed to be enjoyed now, or over the next 10-15 years.

Technical Details

pH:	3.49
TA:	6.30
Alc/Vol:	14.5%
Bottling date:	26th July 2021
Winemaker:	Ben Riggs

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