



Wattle Creek Sparkling Shiraz

Winemaker notes

This exciting wine presents with a pretty garnet and purple hue. The rich aromas of Raspberry and blueberry combine with a complex array of dusty terroir, a subtle oak undercurrent, and an approach of creamy yeast maturation. Flavors of explosive raspberry and similar earthy tones of terroir follow. Medium tannin and a full lush approach dance with effervescent vibrance. This wine shows rich Shiraz character. This is a fun and vibrant wine. Enjoy!

Vintage & Winemaking

The fruit for this Shiraz came from our 'Benjamin' estate vineyard in Alexander Valley. The wine was vinified in traditional fashion, being fermented on skins in open top vats, then drained directly to barrel. The wine spent 16 months in barrel prior to the blend being finalized and prepared for bottling down "en triage". This wine spent 15 months 'EN TIRAGE' prior to being disgorged.

Variety/Blend	100% Shiraz
Barrel Maturation	16 months
Bottle Maturation (en tirage)	15 months
Oak	100% French 28% New French
pH	3.63
T. Acidity	0.66 grams per 100mL
Alcohol	13.8 %