

The Petaluma philosophy is anchored in distinguished vineyard sites and meticulous attention to detail. Petaluma is built on the belief that the best wines are created from the synergy between region, variety and site. Regarded as a crusader of the modern Australian wine industry, Petaluma has a prestigious reputation with five star awards and Langton Classifications.

2021 B&V Adelaide Hills Shiraz



Our flagship Yellow Label wines showcase the distinctiveness of distinguished sites in the Clare Valley, Adelaide Hills and Coonawarra. These wines can be enjoyed upon release but will also reward those with enough patience to cellar them carefully to enjoy with generous bottle age.

The B&V Vineyard is on the western escarpment of Mt. Barker in the Adelaide Hills and is planted on micaceous schist soils. Named after Bob and Verner Symons who planted the vineyard in 1992.

GRAPE VARIETY

Shiraz

COLOUR

Brilliant dark red with vibrant purple hue.

NOSE

Intense aromatics of blackberry and plum with hints of aniseed, black pepper and cocoa.

PALATE

Rich, thick and complex with dark berry flavours, chocolate, licorice, spice and pepper. This wine displays soft tannins, great length and balance.

VINEYARD REGION Adelaide Hills

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Conditions through the 2021 Vintage were ideal. Good winter rainfalls, a warm spring with sporadic rainfall preceded a mild summer with no extreme heat events. The resultant wines have outstanding colour, vibrant and fresh fruit flavours with soft, ripe tannins.

WINEMAKING

The grapes were handpicked, sorted and cold soaked prior to natural fermentation with 5% whole bunch and 4% Viognier included in open fermenters. The grapes were further hand plunged and then basket pressed before maturation in fine grain French oak.

WINE ANALYSIS

Alc/vol: 14.3% Acidity (TA): 6.1 g/L pH: 3.60 Residual Sugar: 0.65g/L

PEAK DRINKING

Peak drinking 2028 with cellaring potential up to 5-10 years.

FOOD MATCH

Enjoy with parmesan crusted lamb rack.

WINEMAKER

Ben Thoman