

# **Elgin's Crossing Shiraz 2022**

Elgin's Crossing commemorates pioneering vigneron John Riddoch's outward voyage to Australia aboard the sailing ship, The Lady Elgin, in 1851. Riddoch went on to become an influential figure in South Australia, establishing the Coonawarra Fruit Colony in 1890.

#### Winemakers

Matthew Reimann

### Vintage

2022

#### Region

Coonawarra

#### Colour

Deep Ruby

#### Nose

Vibrant aromas of intense blackberry and mulberry, lifted by hints of spicy oak

#### **Palate**

Rich raspberry, satsuma plum, and red currant flavors, supported by supple, silky tannins. Subtle roasted walnut notes and a refined mineral finish add depth and elegance

#### **Food Match**

Pair with Eggplant parmigiana or a Beef Wellington.

# **Vineyard Details**

This is a blend of grapes grown in premium vineyards of the Coonawarra. Vineyards for this blend are directly east of the Coonawarra settlement and Northeast respectively. Also near the Riddoch highway north of the Coonawarra settlement. These vineyards all have different soil types consisting of Terra rossa, red loam/sand ironstone. All fruit is machine picked. Vines are all well managed with Premium fruit production a big focus for these growers. They are long term growers that love seeing premium wines produced from their properties

## **Winemaking Notes**

Fermented in stainless steel. All vineyards are kept separate in vinification and placed in barrels for maturation. Mixed barrel types gives complexity

#### Oak Maturation

Typically aged for 12 months in oak, allowing the fruit to shine while ensuring seamless integration without overpowering the palate

# **Cellaring Notes**

Enjoy in its youth now or carefully cellar over the medium term

# **Technical Details**

14% Alcohol

# **AWARDS AND TROPHIES**



