

LANGMEIL  THE LONG MILE

Langmeil
BAROSSA

BLACKSMITH CABERNET

STORY BEHIND THE WINE

In 1842 a 32 year old Blacksmith, Christian Auricht, arrived from Prussia with his wife and four children. He settled in the new hamlet of Langmeil and built a blacksmith shop, around which grew the trading area of the village and provides the aesthetics for the winery to this day.

The artisan of iron has now made way for the new craftsman who has blended the oldest of Barossa traditions to forge this spectacular wine. Our Cabernet Sauvignon, the unsung hero of Barossa wine, has been matured for 24 months, achieving the structure, depth and balance expected from this premium Australian grape growing region.

THE WINERY

Langmeil Winery embodies the ideals inspired by the refinement of knowledge shared from generations of Barossans – real people making real wine. Family owned and operated, the Lindner family is dedicated to producing wines from the varieties that have proven their qualitative attributes for generations.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

2009 VINTAGE REPORT

The lead up to harvest, whilst quite dry, was relatively cool, apart from a burst of hot weather in late January to early February. Fortunately, the weather then settled to warm days and cool nights allowing the vineyards to recover and the majority of the grapes to ripen slowly, producing wines with excellent colour and flavour. While the volume is lower than 2008, quality is exciting, as the white wines are showing well, with Riesling being the stand out variety. It is an outstanding red wine year, with the wines exhibiting strong varietal character accompanied by incredible depth of colour.

COLOUR: Medium to deep crimson with purple hues.

AROMA: Rich, dark fruits of boysenberries and black currants dominate the aroma with lovely hints of Anzac cookies to really get the mouth watering.

PALATE: Luscious, ripe and bright fruits coat the palate and mingle with brambly spice, hints of liquorice and velvety, fine tannins which flow onto the long and fruitful finish.

CELLARING: 2011 – 2024



VINTAGE

2009

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

Australia

GEOGRAPHIC INDICATOR

Barossa Valley/Eden Valley

GRAPE COMPOSITION

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

OAK TREATMENT

Fermented & Matured in 26% new and 74% seasoned French Oak

TIME IN OAK

24 months

VINE AGE

11 – 25 year old vines

SUB REGIONAL SOURCE

Multiple Barossa sub-regional blend

YIELD PER ACRE

1.5 – 3 Tonnes per Acre

TRELLISING

Most are single & double Permanent Arm

SOIL TYPE

Ranges from Biscay (black cracking clay) to red clay over Limestone

HARVEST DETAILS

Late February – Mid April

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.5%

pH: 3.40

TA: 6.53 g/L

Residual Sugar: 2.4 g/L

VA: 0.70 g/L