

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

2010 VINTAGE REPORT

The Barossa experienced its best rainfall in five years during the winter and spring of 2009 and provided good soil moisture for the onset of the growing season. Late spring was fairly mild with some moderately warm days, resulting in an early budburst. Warm and mild weather ensued for the remainder of the growing season so canopies remained very healthy and ripening accelerated for an early vintage. The onset of cool nights in mid-March slowed the final harvest for some later varieties and vineyards. In summary, the 2010 wines are proving that this has been an exceptional year for the Barossa.

COLOUR: Medium to deep crimson with purple hues.

AROMA: Rich, dark fruits of black currants and black berries dominate the aroma with lifted minty, menthol notes and biscuity hints.

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

CELLARING: 2012 – 2024



VINTAGE
2010

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN
Australia

GEOGRAPHIC INDICATOR
Barossa Valley/Eden Valley

GRAPE COMPOSITION
100% Cabernet Sauvignon

OAK TREATMENT
Fermented & Matured in 17% new and 83% 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: 14.2%
pH: 3.42
TA: 7.05 g/L
Residual Sugar: 2.4 g/L
VA: 0.66 g/L