



2018 SPECTRUM SYRAH

The Wine

A compote of dark berries dominate the bouquet with wafts of cinnamon and black licorice. The palate is intense and deep with plum, black fruits, smoky oak and lashings of baked plums and crushed blueberries. The lengthy finish is bountiful in spicy fruit, mouthwatering sapid acidity, and enticing silky tannin.

The Vintage

2018 was a consistent warm & dry vintage with minimal weather fluctuations. Our Shiraz vines produced a yield that was low—medium with minimal disease pressure and a long slow ripening period.

The Winemaking

The 2018 Spectrum was handpicked with 50% of the fruit being whole bunched pressed. It was then fermented to dryness on skins. The wine then spent 20 months in a predominantly French Oak program, with 45% of these barrels being new.

Spectrum is wine that we produce in only the outstanding vintage years, it is 100% from our Mt Benson vineyard and is our flagship red wine. Syrah from Mt Benson is beautiful, delicate and aromatic and these are the qualities we want to encapsulate within this wine. Cellaring potential for this wine is 10+years. This vintage sees Spectrum with a new label design that pays homage to our coastline and the Shiraz continuum.

Region: Mt Benson

Alcohol: 14%

Release Date: January 2021

Winemaker: Anita Goode



Drink me: Sticky beef short ribs with a star anise marinade, or beef bourguignon and polenta with generous amounts of parmesan and parsley.