2012 Shiraz

MCLAREN VALE

WINE ENTHUSIAST - JOE CZERWINSKI - APRIL 2016 - 94 POINTS

“A tip of the cap to the Angove family for turning out such an ageworthy wine. It’s packed and stacked with mulberry fruit, lashings of vanilla and just a hint of mint. Full-bodied and tannic, it should drink well from 2020–2030.”

ROB GEDDES MW, AUTHOR OF AUSTRALIAN WINE VINTAGES - MARCH 2015 - 94/100

“New Orleans Blues in a bottle. Senior service dark expressive oak with serious black fruit expression through violets, black cherry, mineral, prune and date aromas. In the mouth luxurious super fine tannins, black fruits, refined, slick and smooth like Wynton Marsalis, the richness is never cloying and the finish is finely woven tannins and acids. Super drinkable now and age worthy.”

JAMES HALLIDAY AUSTRALIAN WINE COMPANION 2015 - 5 STARS - 96 POINTS

“The vineyard may be relatively small, and the production a minuscule part of Angove’s total annual production, but its a worthy flag bearer. This is a wine of real distinction and class. While it has all the depth and structure needed for long cellaring, it is so supple and well balanced it can be enjoyed any time, its velvety blackberry fruit flavours wreathed by supple tannins and perfectly integrated quality oak.”

AWARDS:

International Wine Challenge 2015 - Silver