

WARRAMUNDA ESTATE

LIV ZAK

2017 SYRAH



BLEND

Shiraz

COLOUR

Deep red with crimson edge.

AROMATICS

Vibrant aromas of summer berries and blackcurrant exude from the glass with hints of spice, lavender and fresh herbs.

PALATE

A dynamic wine centered around red and black fruits dusted with wild herbs, pink peppercorn, black pepper and dark cacao. A soft, flowing wine that is full-flavoured yet delicate on the palate.

AGEING POTENTIAL

5 - 10 years.

WINEMAKING

Hand-picked, with a combination of whole berries and whole bunches in the ferment. Fermented with native yeast at relatively cool temperatures to retain delicate aromatics and draw only the smooth tannins.

VINEYARD NOTES

Contrasting with an unusually warm, early and compacted 2016 vintage, the 2017 Vintage in Coldstream was mild, steady and relatively drawn out. A cool, wet Spring led to delayed budburst and flowering, pushing harvest out later than recent years to more traditional timings! The first block to be harvested was Pinot Noir (114 and 115 clones) for Rose on the 1st of March, with the remaining Pinot Noir harvest commencing on the 3rd of March. Harvest concluded one month later on the 3rd of April.

WINEMAKING DATA

Geographical Indication / Beechworth

Harvest Date / March 2017

Oak / 16 months in French Oak

pH / 3.69

Titrateable Acidity / 6.03 g/L

Alcohol / 13.8%
