

2017 ANDREAS SHIRAZ

CLASSIC SHIRAZ

VARIETY	100% Shiraz			
FRUIT SOURCE	Clare Valley			
	Selected from an ancient block and picked late in the season, hand processed through our 100+ year old Mintaro slate open fermenters and matured in our best French Oak barrels for 20 months. This wine is a hallmark of Polish Hill River Shiraz.			
VINTAGE	A gnarly old block planted by Andreas Wayman back in 1910 that has survived drought conditions and the devastating Ash Wednesday bush fires in 1983. Surrounded by beautiful flowering Red Gums this vineyard has low yields resulting in exceptionally high quality fruit.			
BOTTLED	March 2019			
WINE SPECIFICATIONS	Alcohol	15.0%	Total Acidity	6.92g/L
	pH	3.30	Reducing Sugar	0.8/L
COLOUR	Deep crimson red, purple hue.			
AROMA	Dark Plum and Cherry. Chocolate and Vanillin. Sweet spices.			
PALATE	Rich, concentrated and mouth coating, showing plum and dark cherry supported by underlying chocolate and vanillin. Fine tannin, elegant structure balance and length..			
OAK MATURATION	20 months French Oak			
CELLARING	Drink now or cellar for 7 - 10 years.			
FOOD IDEAS	Roast beef, osso bucco or a matured hard cheese.			

