

2024 BELLA ROUGE CABERNET SAUVIGNON ROSÉ

STORY BEHIND THE WINE

Many people choose this vibrant style of wine for their drinking pleasure during the warmer summer months. Bella Rouge, Italian for "beautiful" and French for "red" respectively, takes its inspiration from these two traditional wine cultures, to make a refreshing rosé wine perfect for al fresco dining with family and friends.

THE WINERY

Langmeil Winery respectfully acknowledges the Kaurna, Ngadjuri and Peramangk people, past, present and future, the traditional custodians of the land on which we grow and make our wines.

The Lindner family of Langmeil Winery has been immersed in the Barossa's culture of farming, food, wine and community for six generations. Their commitment to quality in all aspects is unwavering and any wine that bears the Langmeil name represents the family's pursuit of excellence in wine and community.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES 2024 VINTAGE REPORT

After a long and late 2023 vintage, 2024 was quite the opposite! Below-average winter rainfall was followed by an even drier spring, with bud burst three weeks earlier than in 2023. Dry springs come with a frost risk, which was the case in September and October, and reduced yields. With some rain and slightly cooler-than-average days, December and early January saw vines flourish, and veraison was a month earlier than in 2023. February saw no rain, and temperatures were 2°C above average. Autumn remained dry, with an unseasonal heatwave in early March, then a cool conclusion to the vintage. The Barossa Valley reds are darker and more intense than the previous cooler years, and the old Shiraz blocks have made some spectacular wines to look forward to. Eden Valley whites were terrific, with fantastic flavours and natural acidity, while the reds ripened fully into the joyous wines, they can produce but didn't in 2022 and 2023. It was also great to finish vintage in April, not May!

Colour: Light raspberry red.

Aroma: A pretty perfume of strawberry and raspberry fruit with hints of toffee apple.

Palate: Generous with refreshing, sweet, and juicy raspberries that mingle with bright, zesty acidity, flowing through to a lingering, crisp red apple finish.

Food match: Charcuterie plate, Niçoise salad, tandoori chicken, pizza.

Paul Lindner, Chief Winemaker

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GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION

Barossa Valley

GRAPE COMPOSITION

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

OAK TREATMENT

No oak treatment

VINE AGE

10-15 year-old vines

SUBREGIONAL SOURCE

Lyndoch

YIELD PER ACRE

3-4 tonnes per acre

TRELLISING

Single wire, permanent arm with catch wire

SOIL TYPE

Black Biscay clay

HARVEST DETAILS

16 March

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 13% pH: 3.27 TA: 6.50 g/L Residual Sugar: 5.9 g/L VA: 0.18 g/L

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