

## **WAKEFIELD WINES**

### **2016 Estate Cabernet Sauvignon**

#### **Tasting Notes**

At release, the wine is a deep red with a vibrant purple hue. The wine has an aroma of rich blackcurrant, subtle spice, tomato leaf and a touch of eucalypt. French oak maturation is also evident with subtle aromas of cedar and dark chocolate. This is a wine of great intensity. It has distinctive blackcurrant and cassis fruit flavours. Subtle oak characters of cedar cigar box and spice are also evident. The tannins are fine and elegant – a hallmark of the varietal. The palate is well balanced, complex and fulfilling and lingers on the finish.

#### **Technical Data**

Varietal: 100% Cab. Sauvignon

Alcohol: 14.5%

Region: Clare Valley

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**Rated 93, Gold Medal & Best Buy, Tastings.com, January 5, 2018**

*"Deep purple color. Fruity aromas and flavors of cassis pie, roasted pepper relish, pencil shavings, and chocolate with a supple, bright, dry-yet-fruity medium-to-full body and an amusing, medium-long boysenberries, cedar bark, and dried eucalyptus finish with fine, dusty tannins and no oak. A rich, herbal cabernet for rich, spicy meals or a nice rest in the cellar."*

Available through Vintages +744235

**Rated 90, Natalie MacLean, May 12, 2018**

*"This Australian Cabernet Sauvignon offers sweet blueberry fruit and vanilla spice flavours on the palate. It's a good value. Juicy, full-bodied, rich palate. Aromas of mint and blackberry on the nose. Pair with juicy meat lovers pizza."*

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**Rated 88.5 & Recommended, Michael Vaughan, Vintage Assessments, October 13, 2018**

*"Extremely deep intense purple colour. Intense, spicy, plum puree nose with some cedary notes. Dry, medium bodied, quite well structured, spicy, slightly dusty, plum-cherry puree flavours with a lingering, lifted, cedary finish."*

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