



VERMENTINO

2018
McLAREN VALE

THE YEAR THAT: We didn't start vintage until March

HISTORY

With 100 ha of premium grapevines on the Taranga property, the Oliver family has over 50 blocks representing different grape varieties, clones, soil types & vine ages. Each vintage, different varieties & blocks will show their strength and from this has been born the 'SMALL BATCH' range. Made in small batches of less than two tonnes, these wines have been handcrafted to speak of both the variety and the vintage in which they have been produced.

AROMA

Talcum powder, a squeeze of lemon over fresh fish, mandarin, fresh honey and oyster shell.

PALATE

Tight lemony acid, fresh honey florals on the back palate, touch of fruit tingle on the finish. Light & fresh!

WINE & VINTAGE

A native of Italy, Vermentino is generating a lot of interest in the wine community due to its heat tolerance and ability to produce beautiful crisp and fresh wines, perfect for the Australian palate.

This minimal intervention Vermentino is made with indigenous yeast, has no added acid and is made without the use of oak.

THE YEAR THAT.....

Our winery Dogue de Bordeaux, Saaz, spends 90% of her days sleeping. Somehow during all of that strenuous activity, she managed to do her cruiicate ligament on her left knee right in the middle of vintage. Arghhhh!!

WINEMAKER

Corrina Wright, 6th Generation

SMALL BATCH PRODUCTION

8133 bottles

GRAPE VARIETY

100% Vermentino

(pron. VERM-IN-TEENO)

REGION

100% McLaren Vale

COLOUR

Pale Straw

ALCOHOL

12 %



WHAT THE WRITERS HAVE TO SAY [2018 VINTAGE]

Very pale colour with a peppery, young, still-emerging aroma, which is also faintly grassy. The palate is delicate, fresh, crisp and vibrant, with straightforward but attractively delicate flavour. It finishes clean and dry and very refreshing. 91 points Huon Hooke

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GREAT GRANDFATHER.**