

# Brioni's Blend

THE YEAR THAT:

Brioni was called 'a great forklift driver for a girl'

# HISTORY

With 300 acres 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. These wines have been handcrafted to speak of both the variety and the vintage in which they have been produced.

### AROMA

Mulberry and violets, with a touch of ironstone. Wine jubes and plum preserves.

## PALATE

Bright and light on the palate. Fresh berry quince floral flavours, with plenty of chalky tannin to frame the palate. This is all fruit and all good!

#### WINE & VINTAGE

This is the first release of our Brioni's Blend! As you know, we like to name our wines after family members, and Brioni had got away without one for too long. We grafted the famous Portuguese variety Touriga over an old Merlot block in 2016. Touriga is super juicy and floral, so we blended it with structured Mataro and generous Shiraz....and Brioni's Blend was born!

# THE YEAR THAT.....

Brioni is our number one forklift driver at Oliver's Taranga, and she is a proper gun. We never get tired of watching random truck drivers shocked faces as they discover that (a) a girl is going to load their truck, and (b) that she is better than most other forklift drivers they come across, boy or girl! #winechicksrule



SMALL BATCH PRODUCTION 3672 bottles

## **GRAPE VARIETIES**

65% Touriga, 25% Mataro, 10% Shiraz

## REGION

100% McLaren Vale

COLOUR Bright purple red

ALCOHOL 13.5%



**STARTED BY OUR GREAT GREAT GREAT GREAT GRANDFATHER.** 

WHAT THE WRITERS HAVE TO SAY [ 2018 VINTAGE ]

# 2018 McLAREN VALE