
THE SWINGING MALAYSIAN

Single Vineyard Shiraz 2010

McLaren Vale, Shiraz (100%)

**95 Points**

Winereview.com, USA

94 Points

Wine & Spirits, USA

94 Points

James Halliday

Australian Wine Companion, 2014 Edition

The 42-year-old vineyard was planted in loamy sand soils over limestone, originally to shiraz before being grafted to riesling in the late 1970s, returning to shiraz in 2001. Is built in an austere mode, with more earth, tar and dark chocolate nuances; has impressive structure and more texture than most of the wines in the line-up. Drink to 2040; 13.8% alc; screwcap.

93 Points

Josh Raynolds

Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar

Inky purple. Intense black and blue fruit aromas are complemented by notes of licorice, mint and woodsmoke. Deep, penetrating boysenberry and blueberry flavors are lifted by tangy acidity and show impressive clarity. Juicy and nervy on the finish, which strongly echoes the blue fruit note. Vivid ruby. Intense, spicy aromas of red berries, cherry and licorice, with floral and herb accents and a touch of white pepper. Offers deeply pitched black raspberry and bitter cherry flavors that gain energy with air. Shows impressive vivacity on the finish, which has a suave floral quality.

91 Points

Lisa Perotti-Brown

Robert Parker's Wine Advocate

90 Points

Winelinesonline.com, USA

Nick Stock

Australian Gourmet Traveller Wine

A diverse site that has one very spicy component which threads neatly into red and darker, plummy fruits. Attractive mineral edge and taut tannins.

96 Points

Wine Enthusiast