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FAMILY WINEMAKERS

THE ESTATE VINEYARD SHIRAZ

Variety Shiraz

Region Yarra Valley

Vineyard Selected from vineyard parcels grown on the Estate Vineyard at Dixons Creek. Vineyards planted from 1971 to 1994.

Size: 750 ml

Tasting Notes Medium with purple edge. Bright, dark fruited, aromatic, graphite. Violets, waves of ripe tannin, textural and supple.

Winemaker Steve Webber

Winemaking A combination of whole bunch and whole berry is tipped into open fermenters. Some foot plunging at the beginning is followed by judicious extraction by turnover and plunging. 20 days of maceration and fermentation with Indigenous yeast. Pressed, settled overnight and filled to barrel with gravity. Matured for 12 months in used 500L and 2300L casks.

Wine Analysis Alc/Vol: 13.5%, pH: 3.61, TA: 6.2g/L

