

*Jackson*



## 2012 JACKSON CABERNET SHIRAZ

The beloved St Jakobi vineyard hosts a number of grape varieties with Shiraz leading the way. Alongside our Shiraz is a small patch of Cabernet Sauvignon. This Cabernet in the past has found its way into our WillowBend blend of Shiraz Cabernet Merlot.

We've thought of producing a Cabernet Shiraz blend for some time. Then in 2010 we did it!

The 2010 worked a treat so we've done it again in 2012! These two varieties go together so well and make wines that have wonderful structure and flavour. It's no wonder Aussie winemakers have been blending these two varieties for such a long time.

The "Jackson" Cabernet Shiraz is named after our young lad who frequently spends time in the shed with Dad sharing in many of his long stories.

<b>Winemaker</b>	Wayne Dutschke
<b>Vineyards</b>	St. Jakobi Vineyard
<b>Blocks</b>	"78" Block Cabernet & "95" Block Shiraz
<b>Region</b>	Lyndoch, Barossa Valley, South Australia
<b>Harvest Dates</b>	Both blocks harvested on 6 March 2012
<b>Alcohol</b>	14.7%
<b>Oak Maturation</b>	19 months in new, 1 and 2 year old Hogsheads (50% French & 50% American Oak)
<b>Bottling Date</b>	November 2013
<b>Cellaring potential</b>	Drink now to 2022