

# Reillys

## CLARE VALLEY

# 2014 Dry Land Cabernet Sauvignon



Vineyards: Smyth's Block, Leasingham

Vine age - 50 years

Cropping: 2.0T/acre

Fermentation: Open 10 days

Maturation: French Oak - 24 months

Total Acidity: 6.26g/L pH: 3.71

Residual Sugar: 2.8g/L Alcohol: 15%

Best Drinking: Now - 2025

#### WINEMAKERS NOTES

Handpicking, open fermentation and 2 years in French oak have resulted in a full bodied wine with distinct regional characteristics of mint and eucalyptus with rich blackcurrant and chocolate, it has well integrated oak with firm tannins and lingering palate, enjoy now or cellar until 2025.

### **AWARDS & ACCOLADES**

95 POINTS  $\sim$  James Halliday, www.winecompanion.com.au DOUBLE GOLD MEDAL  $\sim 2017$  Melbourne International Wine Comp. GOLD MEDAL  $\sim 2017$  Cairns Show Wine Awards

**BRONZE MEDAL**  $\sim$  2017 KPMG Sydney Royal Wine Show

# Winestate Magazine, July/August 2017

"Lovely ripe and nicely concentrated raspberry/mulberry fruit. Some spiciness to the nose and lovely texture and length to the silky smooth palate."

#### PREVIOUS VINTAGE AWARDS

#### 2013

**BLUE-GOLD AWARD & TOP 100 WINES \sim 2017** Sydney International Wine Competition

SILVER MEDAL ~ 2016 Australian Small Winemakers Show

**SILVER MEDAL** ~ 2016 Cairns Show Wine Awards

**SILVER MEDAL** ~ 2015 Clare Valley Wine Show

93 POINTS & TONY LOVE'S TOP 100 WINES ~ The Advertiser, 16.7.16

4 STARS ~ Winestate Magazine, July/August 2016 2012

GOLD MEDAL ~ 2015 Clare Valley Wine Show

GOLD MEDAL ~ 2015 Australian Small Winemakers Show

SILVER MEDAL ~ 2014 Royal Adelaide Wine Show

SILVER MEDAL ~ 2014 Australian Small Winemakers Show

92 POINTS ~ James Halliday, www.winecompanion.com.au

91 POINTS ~ Josh Raynolds (USA), www.vinous.com, March 2016

**4.5 STARS** ~ Winestate Magazine, Clare Valley & Surrounding Regions, July/August 2015

