

#### VINEYARD

Estate grown at Reillys St Clare vineyard, Watervale.
Rich red loam over deep limestone.
90% Grenache, 10% Shiraz

#### **FERMENTATION**

Cold soaked with prolonged skin contact.

#### **MATURATION**

100% French oak hogsheads  $\sim 15$  months.

# **BOUQUET**

Dark cherry and plum with a touch of spice.

#### PALATE

Rich dark fruits with finely integrated French oak. Sweet ripe fruit on the finish with peppery spice. Velvety tannins with great persistence.

Total Acidity: 5.86 g/L

pH: 3.52

Residual Sugar: 2.8 g/L

Alcohol: 15%

Best Drinking: Now - 2024

Barking Mad pays tribute to Reillys winery Dachshunds past and present who, upon hearing the Bedford truck rumbling down the road laden with fruit, go completely barking mad!

Enjoy this wine with friends be they furry, mad or both!

www.reillyswines.com.au

## 2013 Vintage Accolades

#### ~ BRONZE MEDAL ~

2014 Australian Small Winemakers Show

# ~ James Halliday, www.winecompanion.com.au, tasted 23/12/14 ~

"Breaks the mould for Clare Valley Grenache... for it is crammed full of dusky red and black fruits, chocolate and spice, 15 months in used French hogsheads impacting more on texture than flavour..."

### ~ TOP 40 BEST BUY UNDER \$20 ~

Winestate Magazine, March/April 2015 Issue "Lifted Cherry Ripe aromas... Some sweet licorice characters with velvety tannins."



Winestate Magazine, Clare Valley & Surrounding Regions, July/August 2015 Issue "Intense lifted ripe fruit aromas and big chocolaty flavours offering good drinking now."

# 2014 GRENACHE SHIRAZ HIGH TRELLIS

# BARKING MAD