

Mike Press Adelaide Hills Cabernet Sauvignon 2012

Variety: Cabernet Sauvignon
Grape Clone: Reynella Selection and CW44 Planted : 1998
Vineyard: Mike Press single vineyard at Lobethal in Adelaide Hills
Wood Maturation: The wine has matured for 16 months in French Oak hogsheads

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Mike's vines are maturing (now 15 years old) and so, too, is his approach in the winery, progressing toward more refined oak presence. This makes for one of the most elegant and poised Mike Press Cabernets, and one of his best, set to go down among the longest lived yet. It's bracingly youthful on release, packed with edgy, up-front cabernet character of green capsicum and raw coffee bean, blossoming into crunchy redcurrant, red cherry and fragrant rose bud character. Vibrant acidity conspires with well balanced dark chocolate oak and firm, fine tannin presence to build considerable structure and endurance. Best price direct.

94 Points

Drink: 2020 - 2027