



Chrismont

CHRISMONT CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017 - KING VALLEY

The Chrismont label is dedicated to wines crafted from classic European varietals, making cabernet sauvignon a perfect fit in the collection. Made from grapes harvested off the renowned Jacko's Block in King Valley, we've also upped the ante by releasing this vintage with some extra bottle age to complete (or start!) the benefits of fine cellaring for you.

TASTING NOTES

COLOUR: Dark cherry red.

AROMA: Black cherry and berry aromas combined with toasty oak.

PALATE: Ripe plum and blackcurrant flavours with red capsicum and subtle oak. A full-bodied wine with a fine, tannin texture.

FOOD: Pair with beef eye fillet served with chive tossed chats, seasonal vegetables and red wine jus [Chrismont Restaurant, July 2021].

WINEMAKING

"The grapes are crushed and fermented in two batches; one on skins for seven days before being drained off, and the other fermented and left on skins for an extra four weeks extended maceration. These two variations help to show off the classic cabernet structure, while also assisting to maintain colour vibrancy and varietal flavours. The new wine is then racked into new and older French oak Hogsheads for malolactic fermentation and 18 months maturation before being blended and prepared for bottling." **Warren Proft, winemaker**

THE CHRISMONT COLLECTION

Classic European varietal wines made from some of the King Valley's oldest vineyards, capturing the region's unique terroir in fresh, contemporary styles.

WINE SPECIFICATIONS

VARIETY: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARD SITES: Single-vineyard 'Jacko's Block', King Valley

AVERAGE VINE AGE: 23 years

AVERAGE ALTITUDE: 250m

VINE TRAINING: Single wire, vertical shoot position

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS:

Alcohol: 14.0%

pH: 3.60

Acid: 5.92 g/L

Ageing: Now or cellar up to 2032

