

# KAESLER



## 2018 Stonehorse Shiraz

## Winemaking

*The Stonehorse wines are full of character like the teams of Clydesdale horses that used to work the heavy clay soil at the Kaesler vineyard, long before tractors were invented.*

*Hand-picked and fermented with live yeast. Ten days of skin contact, with the ferment being worked twice a day for 30 minutes in the morning and a very light workout in the evening.*

*A blend of Shiraz from across our estate-grown vineyards displaying a panoramic perspective of our region's beautiful soils and vintage intricacies.*

*Maturation for 13 months in 4 year old French Oak.*



## Technical

## Tasting notes

Varietal(s): 100% Shiraz

Vintage: 2018

Vineyard: Nuriootpa, Barossa Valley and Watervale/  
Polish River, Clare Valley

Vines: Between 25 and 55 years old

Soils: Loam over clay

GI: Barossa Valley & Clare Valley

pH: 3.56

RS: 0.5

TA: 5.57

ABV: 14%

Colour: *Crimson with purple core.*

Nose: *Union of rich black and blue fruits, notably ripe plum, cherry and blueberry with spicy notes.*

Palate: *Medium to full in body. Black and purple fruits hang on ribs of tannin and acid, giving the wine a beautiful structure. The wine finishes with a long sweet aftertaste.*