



WARRAMATE

YARRA VALLEY

Est. 1970

2019 Warramate Riesling

Region

Yarra Valley, Victoria, Australia

Vines

Fruit was sourced from our 48 year old, dry grown vineyard, elevation 160 to 180 metres. Silty clay loam over yellow clay. All Warramate vines are farmed without irrigation.

Wine

This dry Riesling has a citrus peel lift and a hint of wintergreen, green apple and a wet stone flintiness. A wine of fruit purity, lovely weight and some chalky texture brought by fermentation and storage in a ceramic egg.

Winemaking

Fruit was hand-picked from the Warramate 1.2 acre Riesling vineyard planted in 1970. Although not a common variety for the Yarra Valley, this plot of vines consistently delivers highly individual wines. Whole bunch pressing, neutral yeast (a German isolate) and 2/3 maturation in stainless steel and 1/3 in a ceramic egg (capacity 675L).

Bottled in November.

Cellaring

This will serve immediate drinking very well but will benefit from allowing its character and complexity to develop further in the bottle for 3-4 years under suitable cellaring conditions.

12% Alc. Residual Sugar: 0.5g/L.