

Cowra Wine Show 2019

Class 101 - Dry White - Chardonnay

CWS - 2018 & 2019

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2018	VINEYARD RESERVE CHARDONNAY	95.0	Gold
2	EDEN ROAD WINE	2018	EDEN ROAD TUMBARUMBA CHARDONNAY	84.0	
3	CHATEAU TANUNDA ESTATE	2018	COWRA ESTATE CHARDONNAY	84.0	
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
6	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE PINNACLE ITHACA CHARDONNAY	96.0	Gold
7	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST CHARDONNAY	90.0	Silver
8	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
9	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
10	SEW & SEW WINES	2018	SEW & SEW 'CONTOUR' CHARDONNAY		WD
11	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2018	Tahbilk 2018 Chardonnay	83.0	
12	BRANDS LAIRA	2018	BLOCKERS CHARDONNAY	88.0	Bronze
13	ROSNAY ORGANIC WINES P/L	2019	ROSNAY FREEDOM CHARDONNAY	80.0	
14	AYLESBURY ESTATE PTY LTD	2018	AYLESBURY ESTATE 'THE PATER SERIES' CHARDONNAY	89.0	Bronze
15	RIDGEMILL ESTATE	2018	'WYP'	85.0	Bronze
16	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2018	ROCKCLIFFE THIRD REEF CHARDONNAY	88.0	Bronze
17	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2018	QUARRAM ROCKS CHARDONNAY	00.0	NR
18	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	TEMPUS TWO COPPER WILDE CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
19	LISA MCGUIGAN WINES	2018	CLAUDIUS CHARDONNAY	00.0	NR
20	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2018	VAT 47 CHARDONNAY	87.0	Bronze
21	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2018	HUNTER VALLEY CHARDONNAY	82.0	
22	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	ONCE AND WELL MARGARET RIVER CHARDONNAY	83.0	
23	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2018	Miles from Nowhere Best Blocks Chardonnay	91.0	Silver
24	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2018	Left Hook Third Round Chardonnay	87.0	Bronze
25	WINDANCE ESTATE	2018	GLEN VALLEY CHARDONNAY	90.0	Silver
26	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2018	Franklin Tate Estates Traditional Chardonnay	84.0	
27	BERRIGAN WINES	2018	BERRIGAN WINES CHARDONNAY	83.0	
28	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	BLACK WATTLE VINEYARDS MOUNT BENSON 'THE ICON' CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
29	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	WILD OATS MUDGEE CHARDONNAY	00.0	NR
30	PFEIFFER WINES	2018	PFEIFFER CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
31	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2019	TAMBURLAINE 2019 PRESERVATIVE FREE CHARDONNAY	80.0	
32	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2018	SARAH ELIZABETH CHARDONNAY	93.0	Silver
33	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE CHARDONNAY	84.0	
34	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ON THE GRAPEVINE CHARDONNAY	83.0	
35	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DEEN DE BORTOLI CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
36	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2018	GEOFF MERRILL RESERVE CHARDONNAY	87.0	Bronze
37	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	WILDFLOWER CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
38	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
39	McWILLIAMS WINES	2018	HANWOOD	84.0	
40	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DBWS CHARDONNAY	90.0	Silver
41	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND CHARDONNAY	82.0	
42	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND RESERVE CHARDONNAY	82.0	
43	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND UNWOODED CHARDONNAY	84.0	
44	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	RIVERSDALE ESTATE CRATER TASMANIA CHARDONNAY	89.0	Bronze
45	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2018	Estate Chardonnay 2018	86.0	Bronze

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46	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	REGIONAL CLASSIC TUMBARUMBA CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
47	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2018	Coppabella Crest Chardonnay 2018	84.0	
48	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	MCGUIGAN CELLAR SELECT CHARDONNAY	83.0	
49	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2018	3 BRIDGES CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
50	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	REDEMPTION LANDMARK RELEASE TUMBARUMBA CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
51	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	DOVETAIL VINEYARDS YARRA VALLEY CHARDONNAY	90.0	Silver

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - A range of styles on display here. Preferred wines showing a balance of fruit and artefact, with fruit concentration awarded. Many wines lacking depth and conviction.

Class 102 - Dry White - Chardonnay

CWS - 2017 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	SNOBS CREEK VINEYARD	2017	SNOBS CREEK CORDWAINER CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
2	CHATEAU TANUNDA ESTATE	2017	GULFSTREAM CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
3	EDEN ROAD WINE	2017	EDEN ROAD THE LONG ROAD CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
4	PINNAROO ESTATE WINES	2016	Pinnaroo Estate Wines Chardonnay Partners Reserve	86.0	Bronze
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
6	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2017	SIDEWOOD MAPPINGA CHARDONNAY	83.0	
7	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER	2017	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER - 2017 CHARDONNAY	84.0	
8	WINDOWRIE ESTATE	2016	WINDOWRIE ESTATE FAMILY RESERVE	84.0	
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER POPPY'S BLOCK CHARDONNAY	95.0	Gold
10	ELBOURNE WINES	2015	ELBOURNE SINGLE VINEYARD CHARDONNAY	84.0	
11	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2017	VAT 47 CHARDONNAY	92.0	Silver
12	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2017	GEOFF MERRILL RESERVE CHARDONNAY	83.0	
13	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	BLACK WATTLE VINEYARDS MOUNT BENSON 'THE ICON' CHARDONNAY	84.0	
14	WALTER WINE CO PTY LTD	2017	RESERVE CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
15	SLOW WINE CO	2017	SLOW WINE CO CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
16	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT CHARDONNAY	86.0	Bronze
17	MILTON VINEYARD	2017	MILTON VINEYARD RESERVE CHARDONNAY	90.0	Silver
18	PINNACLE DRINKS	2017	DISTANT SOUTH TASMANIA CHARDONNAY	88.0	Bronze
19	GOATY HILLS WINES	2017	GOATY HILL CHARDONNAY	96.0	Gold
20	McWILLIAMS WINES	2017	BARWANG	88.0	Bronze
21	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	REDEMPTION LANDMARK RELEASE TUMBARUMBA CHARDONNAY	88.0	Bronze
22	McWILLIAMS WINES	2017	MCWILLIAM'S REGIONAL COLLECTION YARRA VALLEY	90.0	Silver
23	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX REGIONAL YARRA VALLEY CHARDONNAY	85.0	Bronze
24	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2017	Franklin Tate Estates Alexander's Vineyard Chardonnay	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney, Shannon Burgess-Moore - A strong class with many good examples with a range of styles. The best wines had freshness, textural line, length and complexity. Some wines limited by greener fruit profiles, diluting palate and flavour length. More work in vineyards questioned, to manage flavour balance at earlier picking times. Overall pleasing to see many wines with well managed wine making inputs.

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Class 103 - Dry White - Pinot Gris/Grigio

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	EDEN ROAD WINE	2018	EDEN ROAD THE LONG ROAD PINOT GRIS	82.0	
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE PINOT GRIS	84.0	
3	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD PINOT GRIS	83.0	
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE PINOT GRIS	85.0	Bronze
5	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX REGIONAL HARCOURT VALLEY PINOT GRIS	84.0	
6	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER	2018	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER - 2018 PINOT GRIS	86.0	Bronze
7	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	WILD OATS MUDGEE PINOT GRIGIO	90.0	Silver
8	PFEIFFER WINES	2019	PFEIFFER PINOT GRIGIO	85.0	Bronze
9	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2019	STEPHANIE PINOT GRIS	92.0	Silver
10	DE BORTOLI WINES	2019	LA BOSSA PINOT GRIGIO	95.0	Gold
11	WARBURN ESTATE	2019	WARBURN ESTATE PINOT GRIGIO	83.0	
12	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DE BORTOLI PINOT G	85.0	Bronze
13	MCWILLIAMS WINES	2019	MCWILLIAM'S 480 TUMBARUMBA	86.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney, Shannon Burgess-Moore - Solid class showing focus on the variety. Some really lovely examples with varietal aromatics, delicacy and textural length.

Class 104 - Dry White - Riesling

CWS - 2018 & 2019

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	EDEN ROAD WINE	2018	EDEN ROAD CANBERRA RIESLING	83.0	
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE RIESLING	82.0	
3	FOUR WINDS VINEYARD	2018	FOUR WINDS VINEYARD 2018 RIESLING	91.0	Silver
4	BRIARHILL ESTATE	2018	RIESLING	80.0	
5	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2018	Tahbilk 2018 Riesling	86.0	Bronze
6	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2019	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER RIESLING	90.0	Silver
7	MERCURI ESTATE	2019	SETTEBELLO FREYA AND JULES WATERVALE RIESLING	85.0	Bronze
8	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	TOLLEY CLARE VALLEY RIESLING	87.0	Bronze
9	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	MOCKINGBIRD HILL CLARE VALLEY RIESLING	84.0	
10	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2019	CALABRIA RESERVE RIESLING	77.0	
11	Z WINE PTY LTD	2019	SAUL	85.0	Bronze
12	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST RIESLING	84.0	
13	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	AVON BRAE EDEN VALLEY RIESLING	84.0	
14	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	MCGUIGAN CELLAR SELECT RIESLING	87.0	Bronze
15	WINDANCE ESTATE	2019	GLEN VALLEY RIESLING	88.0	Bronze
16	ROBERT STEIN WINERY	2019	ROBERT STEIN DRY RIESLING	96.0	Gold
17	ROBERT STEIN WINERY	2019	ROBERT STEIN RESERVE RIESLING	95.0	Gold
18	ROBERT STEIN WINERY	2019	ROBERT STEIN HALF DRY RIESLING	84.0	
19	PFEIFFER WINES	2019	PFEIFFER RIESLING	83.0	
20	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE RIESLING	82.0	
21	SLOW WINE CO	2018	SLOW WINE CO RIESLING	81.0	
22	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2018	BREAM CREEK ESTATE RIESLING	88.0	Bronze
23	GOATY HILLS WINES	2018	GOATY HILL RIESLING	89.0	Bronze
24	MILTON VINEYARD	2018	MILTON VINEYARD RIESLING	81.0	
25	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND RIESLING	83.0	
26	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2018	BREAM CREEK 'OLD VINE' RESERVE RIESLING	95.0	Gold

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Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff, Trent Kelly - A good range of style with some real highlights showing pristine fruit characters and lovely persistence. Non award winners showing more development and flattening of fruit.

Class 105 - Dry White - Riesling

CWS - 2017 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2016	Tahbilk 2016 Riesling	89.0	Bronze
2	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2014	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA AGED RIESLING	92.0	Silver
3	HIGHLAND HERITAGE ESTATE	2017	HIGHLAND HERITAGE ESTATE RIESLING	93.0	Silver
4	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT RIESLING	89.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff and Trent Kelly - Some attractive wines showing development and complexity, but without the fruit drive to achieve the highest award.

Class 106 - Dry White - Sauvignon Blanc

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2018	HUNTERS DREAM SAUVIGNON BLANC	88.0	Bronze
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2019	WICKS ESTATE SAUVIGNON BLANC	00.0	NR
3	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE SAUVIGNON BLANC	86.0	Bronze
4	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD MAPPINGA FUME	84.0	
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE PINNACLE PETREA SAUVIGNON BLANC	87.0	Bronze
6	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD SAUVIGNON BLANC	83.0	
7	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2018	P-SERIES BY PATRICK SAUVIGNON BLANC	84.0	
8	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2019	Miles from Nowhere Sauvignon Blanc	90.0	Silver
10	Haywood Wine Company	2018	THE GREEN ONE	84.0	
11	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	ROBERT OATLEY SIGNATURE SERIES MARGARET RIVER SAUVIGNON BLANC	84.0	
12	SCARPANTONI ESTATE WINES	2019	SCARPANTONI ESTATE SAUVIGNON BLANC	82.0	
13	BERRIGAN WINES	2019	BERRIGAN WINES SAUVIGNON BLANC	84.0	
14	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE FUME BLANC	92.0	Silver
15	SLOW WINE CO	2016	SLOW WINE CO SAUVIGNON BLANC	81.0	
16	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT SAUVIGNON BLANC	95.0	Gold
17	DE BORTOLI WINES	2019	DBWS SAUVIGNON BLANC	90.0	Silver
18	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2019	RICHLAND SAUVIGNON BLANC	83.0	
19	ZILZIE WINES	2019	SELECTION 23 SAUVIGNON BLANC	85.0	Bronze
20	WARBURN ESTATE	2019	GOSSIPS SAUVIGNON BLANC	84.0	
21	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DEEN DE BORTOLI SAUVIGNON BLANC	88.0	Bronze
22	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	DISTANT SOUTH TASMANIA SAUVIGNON BLANC	84.0	
23	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2017	BREAM CREEK SAUVIGNON BLANC	86.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Trent Kelly, Jane Skilton. Top wines exhibited freshness and balance. Many wines showing development issues.

Class 107 - Dry White - Semillon

CWS - 2018 & 2019

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
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1	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2018	VINEYARD RESERVE SEMILLON	83.0	
2	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2018	HUNTERS DREAM DIRECTORS SEMILLON	85.0	Bronze
3	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2018	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE SEMILLON	86.0	Bronze
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2019	MCGUIGAN BIN 9000 SEMILLON	96.0	Gold
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SEMILLON	87.0	Bronze
6	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	MCGUIGAN BIN 9000 SEMILLON	90.0	Silver
7	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2018	BENJAMIN SEMILLON	95.0	Gold
8	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 HUNTER VALLEY RESERVE SEMILLON	92.0	Silver
9	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2018	VAT 1 SEMILLON	89.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - extremely strong class. Only one wine not awarded a medal. Range of different styles from tight pure fruit and subtle through to more obvious drink-now and enjoy style.

Class 108 - Dry White - Semillon

CWS - 2016 & 2017

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SEMILLON	85.0	Bronze
2	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN BIN 9000 SEMILLON	88.0	Bronze
3	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST SEMILLON	83.0	
4	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2017	VAT 1 SEMILLON	95.0	Gold

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - very strong class. Top wine had lovely length of flavour power and finesse. Bronze wines just lacked the weight or finesse required.

Class 109 - Dry White - Semillon

CWS - 2015 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2015	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SEMILLON	83.0	
2	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2014	MCGUIGAN BIN 9000 SEMILLON	87.0	Bronze
3	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2014	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SEMILLON	88.0	Bronze
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2013	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SEMILLON	90.0	Silver
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2013	MCGUIGAN BIN 9000 SEMILLON	96.0	Gold
6	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2014	VAT 1 SEMILLON	92.0	Silver
7	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2013	VAT 1 SEMILLON	95.0	Gold

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - excellent class, a lot of wines brought back to discuss. Top wines showing some lovely development, still balanced by lovely acid drive and fine palate structure. Only one wine not awarded a medal. Some nice differentiation of style with some solids/lees characters becoming apparent.

Class 110 - Dry White - Verdelho

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	LUCY'S RUN	2019	THELMA'S VERDELHO	86.0	Bronze
2	ELBOURNE WINES	2019	ELBOURNE 'DE BEYERS' VERDELHO	88.0	Bronze
3	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2019	JESSICA VERDELHO	88.0	Bronze
4	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2019	TAMBURLAINE 2019 ON THE GRAPEVINE VERDELHO	85.0	Bronze

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5	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 HUNTER VALLEY RESERVE VERDELHO	83.0	
6	BLEASDALE VINEYARDS	2019	Potts' Catch	90.0	Silver
7	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2019	CRAIGMOOR THE REPLY VERDELHO	86.0	Bronze
8	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DEEN DE BORTOLI VERDELHO	83.0	

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff, Trent Kelly - a solid class of well made easy drinking wines.

Class 111 - Dry White - Other Variety**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	BELLARIVA FIANO	88.0	Bronze
2	PFEIFFER WINES	2018	PFEIFFER MARSANNE	86.0	Bronze
3	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2013	Tahbilk 2013 '1927 Vines' Marsanne	88.0	Bronze
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT GEWURZTRAMINER	88.0	Bronze
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT VIOGNIER	84.0	
6	BLUE PYRENEES ESTATE	2019	Viognier	86.0	Bronze
7	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT ARNEIS	85.0	Bronze
8	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE PINNACLE GRUNER VELTLINER	90.0	Silver
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT GRUNER VELTLINER	89.0	Bronze
10	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD PINOT BLANC	83.0	

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney and Shannon Burgess-Moore - Well made class of commercially acceptable wines, but lacking the complexity and palate line to medal higher. Top wine has textural and aromatic interest.

Class 112 - Dry White - Blend**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	GRAPE EXPECTATIONS VINTNERS	2019	Miles from Nowhere Sauvignon Blanc Semillon	88.0	Bronze
2	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DOWN THE LANE PINOT GRIGIO ARNEIS	85.0	Bronze
3	TWO RIVERS WINES	2019	EAST WEST SEMILLON SAUVIGNON BLANC	83.0	
4	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	GALLOWS WINE CO THE BOMMY MARGARET RIVER SEMILLON SAUVIGNON BLANC	91.0	Silver
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL SEMILLON SAUVIGNON BLANC	83.0	
6	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2019	TAMBURLAINE 2019 WINE LOVERS SEMILLON VERDELHO	87.0	Bronze
7	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL SEMILLON CHARDONNAY	81.0	
8	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SHELLEY'S BLOCK MARSANNE VIOGNIER MARSANNE	79.0	
9	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2019	YARRUNGA WHITE	89.0	Bronze
10	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2018	Tahbilk 2018 RMV	87.0	Bronze
11	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	RENAISSANCE VIOGNIER ROUSANNE MARSANNE	82.0	
12	DE BORTOLI WINES	2016	RENAISSANCE VIOPGNIER ROUSANNE MARSANNE	81.0	

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Rob Mack and Brendan Kascorowski - Overall a range of sound, commercial wines. Watch brightness alcohol balance.

Cowra Wine Show 2019**Class 113 - White, Sweet - Table Wine (Non Botrytised)****CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2018	PIONEER SERIES TRAMINER	84.0	
2	LUCY'S RUN	2018	SWEET SOPHIE	84.0	
3	DE BORTOLI WINES	2019	SACRED HILL MOSCATO	85.0	Bronze
4	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	LA BOSSA PINK MOSCATO	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - phenolic management needs careful attention in these wines.

Class 114 - White, Sweet - Dessert Wine (Botrytised)**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL TRAMINER RIESLING	83.0	
2	LILLYPILLY ESTATE WINES	2018	LILLYPILLY NOBLE SAUVIGNON BLANC	86.0	Bronze
3	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	NOBLE ONE	88.0	Bronze
4	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	DEEN DE BORTOLI BOTRYTIS SEMILLON	92.0	Silver
5	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2017	3 BRIDGES BOTRYTIS	84.0	
6	DE BORTOLI WINES	2016	DE BORTOLI FLORENCE BROADHURST BOTRYTIS SEMILLON	84.0	
7	LILLYPILLY ESTATE WINES	2016	LILLYPILLY NOBLE HARVEST	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - slightly disappointing class with sugar/acid balance and some dirty botrytis characters posing issues.

Class 121 - Rosé style - Any Variety**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2019	WICKS ESTATE PINOT ROSE	95.0	Gold
2	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT TEMPRANILLO ROSE	83.0	
3	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE PINOT NOIR ROSE	84.0	
4	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD ROSÉ	83.0	
5	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2019	TAMBURLAINE 2019 PRESERVATIVE FREE ROSE	82.0	
6	WINDOWRIE ESTATE	2019	PIG IN THE HOUSE	93.0	Silver
7	ELBOURNE WINES	2019	ELBOURNE 'JOURS D'ETE' ROSE	85.0	Bronze
8	LUCY'S RUN	2019	2 FAT COWS ROSÉ	83.0	
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2019	MCGUIGAN CELLAR SELECT ROSE	84.0	
10	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2019	TEMPUS TWO COPPER SHIRAZ ROSE	90.0	Silver
11	DE BORTOLI WINES	2019	DE BORTOLI ROSE ROSE	85.0	Bronze
12	SCARPANTONI ESTATE WINES	2019	SCARPANTONI ESTATE GAMAY ROSE	84.0	
13	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2019	GEOFF MERRILL GRENACHE ROSE		WD
14	SLOW WINE CO	2017	SLOW WINE CO ROSE'	82.0	
15	DE BORTOLI WINES	2019	SACRED HILL ROSE	85.0	Bronze
16	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DOWN THE LANE GRIS DE GRIS ROSE	86.0	Bronze

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Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney and Shannon Burgess-Moore - Mixed class of wines with the best showing freshness, delicacy and texture. Care to be taken on sugar acid balance to ensure elegance and refreshment.

Class 122 - Dry Red - Cabernet Sauvignon

CWS - 2017 & 2018

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	PINNAROO ESTATE WINES	2018	Pinnaroo Estate Wines Partners Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	84.0	
2	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2017	HUNTERS DREAM CABERNET SAUVIGNON	82.0	
3	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
4	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2017	3 BRIDGES CABERNET SAUVIGNON	88.0	Bronze
5	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2017	Eric Stevens Purbrick 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon	84.0	
6	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2018	ALLEGIANCE WINES THE ARTISAN COONAWARRA CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2018	90.0	Silver
7	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2018	ALLEGIANCE WINES THE FOREMAN COONAWARRA CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2018	93.0	Silver
8	REDMAN WINES	2017	REDMAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON	00.0	WD
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST CABERNET SAUVIGNON	81.0	
10	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER CABERNET	88.0	Bronze
11	MAJELLA WINES	2017	MAJELLA CABERNET	85.0	Bronze
12	PINNACLE DRINKS	2017	RIDDOCH COONAWARRA RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	86.0	Bronze
13	KOONARA WINES	2017	1000 SUNDOWNS	84.0	
14	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX REGIONAL COONAWARRA CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
15	ROSNAY ORGANIC WINES P/L	2017	ROSNAY CABERNET SAUVIGNON	81.0	
16	AYLESBURY ESTATE PTY LTD	2017	AYLESBURY ESTATE 'THE PATER SERIES' CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
17	RIDGEMILL ESTATE	2017	'BLACK DOG'	00.0	TR
18	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2017	ROCKCLIFFE THIRD REEF CABERNET SAUVIGNON	82.0	
19	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	WOODFIRED CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
20	YARRAN WINES	2018	YARRAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON	87.0	Bronze
21	GROVE ESTATE WINES	2018	THE PARTNERS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
22	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2017	88.0	Bronze
23	TWO RIVERS WINES	2018	ROCKY CROSSING CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	
24	BLEASDALE VINEYARDS	2017	Mulberry Tree	87.0	Bronze
25	WINDANCE ESTATE	2018	GLEN VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON	95.0	Gold
26	WINDANCE ESTATE	2018	CABERNET SAUVIGNON	85.0	
27	WINDANCE ESTATE	2018	CABERNET MERLOT	88.0	Bronze
28	Haywood Wine Company	2017	#RED TRUCK	78.0	
29	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	ROSABROOK MARGARET RIVER CABERNET SAUVIGNON	87.0	Bronze
30	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2017	KANGARILLA HILL CABERNET SAUVIGNON	79.0	
31	PFEIFFER WINES	2017	PFEIFFER CABERNET SAUVIGNON	89.0	Bronze
32	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	85.0	Bronze
33	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2017	TAMBURLAINE 2017 ON THE GRAPEVINE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	92.0	Silver
34	McWILLIAMS WINES	2018	HANWOOD.	83.0	
35	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	DBWS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	
36	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2018	QUARRAM ROCKS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	

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37	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX PREMIUM YARRA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON	86.0	Bronze
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Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Trent Kelly, Andrew Duff - strong class with two fantastic examples of cabernet achieving Gold. Best examples had vibrant core fruit, ripe tannins giving length and well handled oak. Non award winners looking tired.

Class 123 - Dry Red - Cabernet Sauvignon

CWS - 2016

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2016	C J WICKS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2016	WICKS ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	
3	REDMAN WINES	2016	REDMAN 'FIRST DIVIDE' CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	
4	BRANDS LAIRA	2016	ONE SEVEN ONE	95.0	Gold
5	MAJELLA WINES	2016	MAJELLA CABERNET	96.0	Gold
6	BRANDS LAIRA	2016	1968 VINES CABERNET SAUVIGNON	91.0	Silver
7	REDMAN WINES	2016	REDMAN CABERNET SAUVIGNON	83.0	
8	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2016	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST CABERNET SAUVIGNON	85.0	Bronze
9	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2016	ROBERT OATLEY FINISTERRE GREAT SOUTHERN CABERNET SAUVIGNON	86.0	Bronze
10	DE BORTOLI WINES	2016	DB RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	90.0	Silver
11	McWILLIAMS WINES	2016	BARWANG	86.0	Bronze
12	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2016	ROBERT OATLEY FINISTERRE MARGARET RIVER CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
13	BERRIGAN WINES	2016	BERRIGAN WINES CABERNET SAUVIGNON	00.0	WD
14	BLUE PYRENEES ESTATE	2016	Cabernet Sauvignon	82.0	
15	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2016	Fleurieu Cabernet Sauvignon	91.0	Silver
16	BRANDS LAIRA	2016	BLOCKERS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	89.0	Bronze
17	RIDGEMILL ESTATE	2016	BLACK DOG	95.0	Gold

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - a mixed class to judge here. Better examples showing vitality, however, many wines looking tired before their time.

Class 124 - Dry Red - Cabernet Sauvignon

CWS - 2015 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2015	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA HOME BLOCK	00.0	NR
2	BRANDS LAIRA	2015	BLOCKERS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	90.0	Silver
3	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2015	P-SERIES BY PATRICK CABERNET SAUVIGNON	86.0	Bronze
4	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2014	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA GRANDE RESERVE	00.0	NR
5	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2014	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA HOME BLOCK	95.0	Gold
6	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2014	PATRICK ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON	85.0	Bronze
7	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2013	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA GRANDE RESERVE	86.0	Bronze
8	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2015	GEOFF MERRILL PARHAM CABERNET	87.0	Bronze
9	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2014	GEOFF MERRILL RESERVE CABERNET	87.0	Bronze
10	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2015	MORRIS CABERNET SAUVIGNON	84.0	
11	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2015	Fleurieu Cabernet Sauvignon	84.0	
12	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2014	Fleurieu Cabernet Sauvignon	84.0	

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Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - overall a solid class. Greener flavours or a slight lack of structure held a few wines back.

Class 125 - Dry Red - Durif

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	2016	RUTHERGLEN ESTATE DURIF	86.0	Bronze
2	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	TWMPUS TWO COPPER PETIT SIRAH	83.0	
3	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2018	VENTURER DURIF	91.0	Silver
4	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2018	THE BOXER DURIF	90.0	Silver
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	DEEN DE BORTOLI DURIF	85.0	Bronze
6	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2017	3 BRIDGES DURIF	86.0	Bronze
7	PFEIFFER WINES	2017	PFEIFFER DURIF	85.0	Bronze
8	PFEIFFER WINES	2016	PFEIFFER DURIF	86.0	Bronze
9	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2013	MORRIS DURIF	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack and Jane Skilton - Solid class of wines. Overall balance of fruit, tannin and oak holding wines back from higher scores.

Class 126 - Dry Red - Merlot

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	LUCY'S RUN	2014	2014 MERLOT	84.0	
2	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	LA BOSSA MERLOT	85.0	Bronze
3	BERRIGAN WINES	2017	BERRIGAN WINES MERLOT	86.0	Bronze
4	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE MERLOT	90.0	Silver
5	SLOW WINE CO	2017	SLOW WINE CO MERLOT	80.0	
6	SLOW WINE CO	2016	SLOW WINE CO FAMILY RESERVE MERLOT	85.0	Bronze
7	SEDONA ESTATE	2017	MERLOT RESERVE YEA VALLEY	85.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney and Shannon Burgess-Moore - Reasonable class with one very attractive example showing varietal expression, well managed savoury oak and long fine tannins.

Class 127 - Dry Red - Pinot Noir

CWS - 2017 & 2018

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	EDEN ROAD WINE	2017	EDEN ROAD THE LONG ROAD PINOT NOIR	84.0	
2	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2018	KANGARILLA HILL PINOT NOIR	84.0	
3	RIPOSTE WINES	2018	RIPOSTE 'THE SABRE' PINOT NOIR	90.0	Silver
4	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	C J WICKS PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
5	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2018	SIDEWOOD 777 PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
6	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE PINOT NOIR	84.0	
7	RIPOSTE WINES	2017	RIPOSTE 'THE SABRE' PINOT NOIR	86.0	Bronze
8	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE PINOT NOIR	80.0	
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE PINNACLE GOOD DOCTOR PINOT NOIR	84.0	
10	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2017	SIDEWOOD PINOT NOIR	80.0	
11	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER	2017	CONTENTIOUS CHARACTER - ROUGH END OF THE PINEAPPLE	84.0	

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12	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2018	ROCKCLIFFE THIRD REEF PINOT NOIR	93.0	Silver
13	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2018	ROCKCLIFFE SINGLE SITE PINOT NOIR	89.0	Bronze
14	SCARPANTONI ESTATE WINES	2018	SCARPANTONI ESTATE PINOT NOIR	83.0	
15	LISA MCGUIGAN WINES	2017	PLATINUM PINOT NOIR	00.0	NR
16	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	DOMESTICATED DUCK MORNINGTON PENINSULA PINOT NOIR	83.0	
17	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 SINGLE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR	84.0	
18	HIGHLAND HERITAGE ESTATE	2017	HIGHLAND HERITAGE ESTATE 'PATRONO' PINOT NOIR	83.0	
19	SLOW WINE CO	2017	SLOW WINE CO FAMILY RESERVE PINOT NOIR	85.0	Bronze
20	SILKWOOD WINES	2018	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE BOWERS PINOT NOIR	80.0	
21	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
22	BERRIGAN WINES	2018	BERRIGAN WINES PINOT NOIR	85.0	Bronze
23	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND PINOT NOIR	85.0	Bronze
24	BRUNY ISLAND PREMIUM WINES	2018	BRUNY ISLAND RESERVE PINOT NOIR	95.0	Gold
25	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2018	BREAM CREEK PINOT NOIR	96.0	Gold
26	MILTON VINEYARD	2017	MILTON VINEYARD RESERVE PINOT NOIR	92.0	Silver
27	GOATY HILLS WINES	2017	GOATY HILL PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
28	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2017	BREAM CREEK RESERVE PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
29	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2018	Coppabella Crest Pinot Noir 2018	90.0	Silver
30	SNOBS CREEK VINEYARD	2017	SNOBS CREEK CORVISER PINOT NOIR	83.0	
31	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2018	ALLEGIANCE WINES UNITY YARRA VALLEY PINOT NOIR 2018	95.0	Gold
32	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX REGIONAL YARRA VALLEY PINOT NOIR	82.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - Really interesting class and difficult to judge with differing styles and a lot of wines called back to discuss. Lesser wines often marked down due to drying tannins or over oaked styles. Some lovely use of stork and whole bunch, with better wines matching this with weight of fruit and oak. We have rewarded some quite different styles. Quite ripe and juicy through to more structured and complex.

Class 128 - Dry Red - Pinot Noir

CWS - 2016 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2016	KANGARILLA HILL PINOT NOIR	84.0	
2	KOONARA WINES	2016	RAZORTOOTH VINEYARD CAPE BANKS	83.0	
3	SLOW WINE CO	2016	SLOW WINE CO PINOT NOIR	88.0	Bronze
4	SLOW WINE CO	2015	SLOW WINE CO PINOT NOIR	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - Older wines showing some development, drying out on the palate. Some good varietal character but fruit starting to tire.

Class 129 - Dry Red - Shiraz

CWS - 2018

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2018	ALLEGIANCE WINES THE ARTISAN RESERVE BAROSSA VALLEY SHIRAZ 2018	87.0	Bronze
2	YARRAN WINES	2018	YARRAN SHIRAZ	95.0	Gold
3	PINNAROO ESTATE WINES	2018	Pinnaroo Estate Wines Partners Reserve Shiraz	84.0	
4	ROSNAY ORGANIC WINES P/L	2018	ROSNAY FREEDOM SHIRAZ	82.0	
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	WOODFIRED SHIRAZ	92.0	Silver

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6	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2018	RUFUS STONE HEATHCOTE SHIRAZ	00.0	NR
7	GROVE ESTATE WINES	2018	THE CELLAR BLOCK SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
8	McWILLIAMS WINES	2018	BARWANG	95.0	Gold
9	McWILLIAMS WINES	2018	MCWILLIAM'S 480 HILLTOPS	87.0	Bronze
10	BALLINACLASH	2018	Ballinaclash Joe Shiraz	86.0	Bronze
11	BALLINACLASH	2018	Ballinaclash John Shiraz	84.0	
12	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 HUNTER VALLEY RESERVE SYRAH	87.0	Bronze
13	WINDANCE ESTATE	2018	SHIRAZ	96.0	Gold
14	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	MONTROSE MUDGEE BLACK SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
15	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE SYRAH	84.0	
16	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL SHIRAZ	87.0	Bronze
17	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	DBWS SHIRAZ	87.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Trent Kelly, Jane Skilton - some good examples of Shiraz on display here with a pleasing medal strike rates. Top wines show the adaptability of the variety to shine in a range of styles.

Class 130 - Dry Red - Shiraz

CWS - 2017

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2017	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE SHIRAZ	84.0	
2	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2017	PIONEER SERIES BIN 5555	87.0	Bronze
3	HUNTERS DREAM ESTATE	2017	HUNTERS DREAM DIRECTORS RESERVE SHIRAZ	83.0	
4	EDEN ROAD WINE	2017	EDEN ROAD THE LONG ROAD SYRAH	84.0	
5	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2017	VINEYARD RESERVE SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
6	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE PINNACLE GATE BLOCK SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
7	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE SHIRAZ	83.0	
8	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2017	WICKS ESTATE SHIRAZ	87.0	Bronze
9	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2017	SIDEWOOD SHIRAZ	77.0	
10	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER RESERVE SHIRAZ	82.0	
11	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	TEMPUS TWO PEWTER SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
12	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	BAROSSA VALLEY WINE COMPANY STOCKYARD SHIRAZ	84.0	
13	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER ERNEST SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
14	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2017	ALLEGIANCE WINES THE ARTISAN RESERVE BAROSSA VALLEY SHIRAZ 2017	88.0	Bronze
15	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST SHIRAZ	84.0	
16	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	BAROSSA VALLEY WINE COMPANY FARMS SHIRAZ	84.0	
17	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2017	3 BRIDGES SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
18	Z WINE PTY LTD	2017	JULIUS	88.0	Bronze
19	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	MUM'S BLOCK BAROSSA SHIRAZ	93.0	Silver
20	PINNACLE DRINKS	2017	CAT AMONGST THE PIGEONS FAT CAT BAROSSA SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
21	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2017	FOUR IN HAND BAROSSA SHIRAZ	87.0	Bronze
22	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX PREMIUM BEECHWORTH SHIRAZ	82.0	
23	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2017	Eric Stevens Purbrick 2017 Shiraz	88.0	Bronze
24	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	MOCKINGBIRD HILL MCR BLOCK CLARE VALLEY SHIRAZ	84.0	
25	PINNACLE DRINKS	2017	WILLIAM LIGHT CLARE VALLEY SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
26	MAJELLA WINES	2017	MAJELLA SHIRAZ	95.0	Gold
27	KOONARA WINES	2017	SILVER EYES	83.0	
28	WINDOWRIE ESTATE	2017	WINDOWRIE ESTATE THE MILL	90.0	Silver
29	GRAMPIONS ESTATE	2017	STREETON RESERVE SHIRAZ	92.0	Silver

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30	GRAMPIONS ESTATE	2017	ST ETHELS GREAT WESTERN SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
31	ROCKCLIFFE WINERY PTY LTD	2017	ROCKCLIFFE THIRD REEF SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
32	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	REGIONAL CLASSIC GUNDAGI SHIRAZ	95.0	Gold
33	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	WINDY PEAK SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
34	TERRA FELIX WINES	2017	TERRA FELIX PREMIUM HEATHCOTE SHIRAZ	80.0	
35	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	DEEN DE BORTOLI SHIRAZ	89.0	Bronze
36	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Escalier Shiraz 2017	85.0	Bronze
37	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Estate Shiraz 2017	84.0	
38	GROVE ESTATE WINES	2017	THE CELLAR BLOCK SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
39	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN CELLAR SELECT SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
40	ELBOURNE WINES	2017	ELBOURNE 'H.A.E' SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
41	TWO RIVERS WINES	2017	VIGNERON'S RESERVE SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
42	TWO RIVERS WINES	2017	THUNDERBOLT SHIRAZ	83.0	
43	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2017	HUNTER VALLEY SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
44	BLEASDALE VINEYARDS	2017	Bremerview	84.0	
45	ALLEGIANCE WINES	2017	ALLEGIANCE WINES THE TIGER MCLAREN VALE SHIRAZ 2017	85.0	Bronze
46	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	BLOOD BROTHER REPUBLIC MCLAREN VALE KG VINEYARD SHIRAZ	84.0	
47	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2017	ROBERT OATLEY SIGNATURE SERIES MCLAREN VALE SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
48	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2017	Stevens Shiraz	83.0	
49	AUSTRALIAN PREMIUM WINE GROUP	2017	WHITES ROAD ROUNDABOUT 2017 MCLAREN VALE SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
50	PFEIFFER WINES	2017	PFEIFFER CARLYLE SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
51	PFEIFFER WINES	2017	PFEIFFER SHIRAZ	96.0	Gold
52	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2017	TAMBURLAINE 2017 ORANGE RESERVE SYRAH	84.0	
53	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2017	TAMBURLAINE 2017 ON THE GRAPEVINE SHIRAZ	83.0	
54	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
55	MILTON VINEYARD	2017	MILTON VINEYARD RESERVE SHIRAZ	84.0	
56	SNOBS CREEK VINEYARD	2017	SNOBS CREEK VSP SHIRAZ	87.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney, Shannon Burgess-Moore - strong class to judge with many excellent wines. The best had vibrancy, aromatics, subtle use of oak and long finely textured tannins.

Class 131 - Dry Red - Shiraz

CWS - 2016

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	2016	RENAISSANCE SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2016	C J WICKS SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
3	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2016	SIDEWOOD MAPPINGA SHIRAZ	77.0	
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2016	BAROSSA VALLEY WINE COMPANY GRAVEL TRACK SHIRAZ	83.0	
5	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2016	MCGUIGAN HANDMADE SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
6	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2016	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
7	AUSTRALIAN PREMIUM WINE GROUP	2016	WHITES ROAD HAROLD VICTOR 2016 BAROSSA VALLEY SHIRAZ	80.0	
8	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2016	CALABRIA BROTHERS SHIRAZ	96.0	Gold
9	WARBURN ESTATE	2016	1164 SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
10	MATRIARCH and ROGUE	2016	ALICE SHIRAZ	95.0	Gold
11	MAJELLA WINES	2016	MAJELLA SHIRAZ	88.0	Bronze
12	REDMAN WINES	2016	REDMAN SHIRAZ	84.0	
13	BRANDS LAIRA	2016	STENTIFORD'S SHIRAZ	81.0	

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14	REDMAN WINES	2016	REDMAN 'LAST ROW' SHIRAZ	84.0	
15	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2016	Escalier Shiraz 2016	82.0	
16	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2016	MCGUIGAN CELLAR SELECT SHIRAZ	82.0	
17	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2016	Stevens Family Shiraz	80.0	
18	BERRIGAN WINES	2016	BERRIGAN WINES SHIRAZ	84.0	
19	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2016	DIEDRICH SHIRAZ	84.0	
20	BLUE PYRENEES ESTATE	2016	Section One Shiraz	90.0	Silver
21	SEDONA ESTATE	2016	SHIRAZ RESERVE YEA VALLEY	82.0	

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Brendan Kascorowski, Rob Mack - The best wines have sweetness of fruit, fullness and lovely tannins. Many wines forward and dried out.

Class 132 - Dry Red - Shiraz

CWS - 2015 & Older

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2015	KANGARILLA HILL SHIRAZ	80.0	
2	BRANDS LAIRA	2015	TALL VINES	83.0	
3	REDMAN WINES	2015	REDMAN SHIRAZ	85.0	Bronze
4	BRANDS LAIRA	2014	BLOCKERS SHIRAZ	84.0	
5	REDMAN WINES	2014	REDMAN SHIRAZ	82.0	
6	ROSNAY ORGANIC WINES P/L	2015	ROSNAY SHIRAZ	78.0	
7	GEOFF MERRILL WINES	2014	GEOFF MERRILL RESERVE SHIRAZ	82.0	
8	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2013	MORRIS SHIRAZ	83.0	
9	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2013	PATRICK JOANNA SHIRAZ	83.0	

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Brendan Kaczorowski, Rob Mack - disappointing class. Many wines tired and drying out. Heavy oak sticks out and dries out palate.

Class 133 - Dry Red - Cabernet Dominant Blend

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	CHATEAU TANUNDA ESTATE	2018	GULFSTREAM CABERNET SAUVIGNON	90.0	Silver
2	AUSTRALIAN PREMIUM WINE GROUP	2017	WHITES ROAD CROSSOVER 2017 BAROSSA CABERNET SHIRAZ	90.0	Silver
3	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2017	Tahbilk 'Old Vine' 2017 Cabernet Shiraz	83.0	
4	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	SIT STAY SOCIETY CLARE VALLEY CABERNET MALBEC	95.0	Gold
5	MAJELLA WINES	2018	MUSICIAN BY MAJELLA	88.0	Bronze
6	MAJELLA WINES	2017	MUSICIAN BY MAJELLA	84.0	
7	Haywood Wine Company	2017	LOBSTER SKULL	82.0	
8	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2017	KANGARILLA HILL CABERNET MERLOT	88.0	Bronze
9	KANGARILLA HILL WINES	2016	KANGARILLA HILL CABERNET MERLOT	84.0	
10	WALTER WINE CO PTY LTD	2017	CABERNET MERLOT	90.0	Silver
11	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2016	PHILLIP ALEXANDER CABERNET MERLOT	83.0	
12	PFEIFFER WINES	2017	PFEIFFER CARLYLE CABERNET MERLOT	96.0	Gold
13	SILKWOOD WINES	2015	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT CABERNET MALBEC	84.0	
14	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL CABERNET MERLOT	85.0	Bronze
15	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2015	Cabernet Sauvignon / Merlot	84.0	

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Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Andrew Duff, John Coughlan - Some lovely varietal cabernet dominant wines. Better wines showed lifted bright fruit, varietal characteristics and tannin ripeness. Lesser wines show either unbalanced residual sugar, hard acid or extracted drying tannins.

Class 134 - Dry Red - Shiraz Dominant Blend

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER SHIRAZ CABERNET	79.0	
2	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER SHIRAZ GRENACHE	86.0	Bronze
3	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER SHIRAZ MATARO	84.0	
4	PINNACLE DRINKS	2017	SIT STAY SOCIETY CLARE VALLEY SHIRAZ TEMPRANILLO	90.0	Silver
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	DOWN THE LANE SHIRAZ TEMPRANILLO	84.0	
6	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	WINDY PEAK SHIRAZ GRENACHE	88.0	Bronze
7	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	BULLSEYE SHIRAZ GRENACHE	89.0	Bronze
8	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2018	VAT 8 SHIRAZ CABERNET	85.0	Bronze
9	Tyrrell's Vineyard Pty Ltd	2017	VAT 8 SHIRAZ CABERNET	95.0	Gold
10	BLEASDALE VINEYARDS	2017	The Broadside	88.0	Bronze
11	PINNACLE DRINKS	2016	STONYFELL THE BATON LANGHORNE CREEK SHIRAZ CABERNET	84.0	
12	PATRICK OF COONAWARRA	2013	P-SERIES BY PATRICK SHIRAZ CABERNET	83.0	
13	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	SACRED HILL SHIRAZ CABERNET	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff, Trent Kelly - overall a good class to judge with many well made wines. Watch fruit vitality and freshness and oak/tannin balance.

Class 135 - Dry Red - Other Variety

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	GROVE ESTATE WINES	2017	SOMMITA NEBBIOLO	83.0	
2	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Cato Nebbiolo 2017	90.0	Silver
3	SEDONA ESTATE	2017	SANGIOVESE YEA VALLEY	84.0	
4	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Cato Sangiovese 2017	85.0	Bronze
5	DOG DAY WINES	2018	RUSTY MUTT CONEJO JOVEN TEMPRANILLO	85.0	Bronze
6	DRAYTON'S FAMILY WINES	2018	PIONEER SERIES TEMPRANILLO	84.0	
7	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Cato Tempranillo 2017	88.0	Bronze
8	DE BORTOLI WINES	2017	RUTHERGLEN ESTATE TEMPRANILLO	89.0	Bronze
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	NEPENTHE ALTITUDE TEMPRANILLO	82.0	
10	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	2017	Lock & Key Reserve Tempranillo 2017	84.0	
11	SCARPANTONI ESTATE WINES	2018	SCARPANTONI ESTATE BARBERA	84.0	
12	GARTELMANN HUNTER ESTATE	2016	GEORG PETIT VERDOT	80.0	
13	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2017	TAMBURLAINE 2017 SINGLE VINEYARD CABERNET FRANC	92.0	Silver
14	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 ORANGE RESERVE MALBEC	85.0	Bronze
15	MATRIARCH and ROGUE	2017	JEAN MALBEC	86.0	Bronze
16	CELLARMASTER WINES	2017	HUTT RIVER CLARE VALLEY MALBEC	88.0	Bronze
17	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2017	TAMBURLAINE 2017 SINGLE VINEYARD MALBEC	84.0	
18	BLEASDALE VINEYARDS	2017	Second Innings Malbec	89.0	Bronze
19	SILKWOOD WINES	2017	SILKWOOD ESTATE THE WALCOTT MALBEC	83.0	
20	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2016	MORRIS BLUE IMPERIAL	81.0	

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21	SCARPANTONI ESTATE WINES	2018	SCARPANTONI ESTATE GAMAY	83.0	
22	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	CAT AMONGST THE PIGEONS FAT CAT BAROSSA GRENACHE	88.0	Bronze
23	CELLARMASTER WINES	2018	BLOOD BROTHER REPUBLIC MCLAREN VALE GRENACHE	88.0	Bronze
24	Z WINE PTY LTD	2017	ROHRLACH SURVIVOR VINE	83.0	
25	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2018	ROBERT OATLEY SIGNATURE SERIES MCLAREN VALE GRENACHE	95.0	Gold
26	WARBURN ESTATE	2016	1164 LAGREIN	85.0	Bronze
27	Z WINE PTY LTD	2018	HILDER ANCESTOR VINE	90.0	Silver
28	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST MONTEPULCIANO	85.0	Bronze
29	MATRIARCH and ROGUE	2016	JIM MONTEPULCIANO	83.0	
30	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2018	CALABRIA PRIVATE BIN MONTEPULCIANO	95.0	Gold
31	WARBURN ESTATE	2017	1164 MONTEPULCIANO	82.0	
32	CALABRIA FAMILY WINES	2018	CALABRIA PRIVATE BIN NERO D'AVOLA	96.0	Gold
33	MATRIARCH and ROGUE	2017	SAPERAVI	93.0	Silver
34	BALLINACLASH	2018	Ballinacash Ned Touriga	88.0	Bronze
35	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	NEPENTHE WINEMAKERS SELECT ZINFANDEL	83.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - really impressive class. Great to see growth in new/alternative varieties coming into wine shows. Wines were all really drinkable. Non awarded wines either due to too dominant oak or drying tannins. Better wines, bright, juicy, chewy tannins and very drinkable.

Class 136 - Dry Red - Blend

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE PST!	86.0	Bronze
2	DE BORTOLI WINES	2018	VILLAGES TEMPRANILLO TOURIGA	95.0	Gold
3	BRANDS LAIRA	2016	AUGUST TIDE	85.0	Bronze
4	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2018	TEMPUS TWO COPPER SHIRAZ CABERNET	84.0	
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	2015	DEEN DE BORTOLI MASTER BLEND	84.0	
6	GRAMPIONS ESTATE	2017	GRAMPIANS GST	85.0	Bronze
7	TAMBURLAINE WINES	2018	TAMBURLAINE 2018 WINE LOVERS GSM	90.0	Silver
8	PINNACLE DRINKS	2018	CAT AMONGST THE PIGEONS BAROSSA GRENACHE SHIRAZ MATARO	93.0	Silver
9	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	BAROSSA VALLEY WINE COMPANY GRAVEL TRACK GSM	84.0	
10	Z WINE PTY LTD	2017	ROMAN GSM	84.0	
11	SIEBER WINES	2017	SIEBER GSM	86.0	Bronze
12	ROBERT OATLEY VINEYARDS	2017	ROBERT OATLEY SIGNATURE SERIES GSM	88.0	Bronze
13	DOG DAY WINES	2017	RUSTY MUTT ROCKY OX GSM	82.0	
14	AUSTRALIAN VINTAGE LTD	2017	MCGUIGAN SHORTLIST GSM	83.0	
15	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2017	MORRIS GSM	85.0	Bronze
16	TAHBILK PTY LTD	2017	Tahbilk 2017 GSM	88.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Marie Clay, Caroline Mooney, Shannon Burgess-Moore - Diverse range of wines with the best having freshness and balance. Many wines appearing angular with green soppy tannin. Care to be taken with whole bunch use. Top wine was a delicious example with vibrancy, complexity and textural length and depth.

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Class 137 - Sparkling White or Pink

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	PINNAROO ESTATE WINES	2016	Pinnaroo Estate Wines 2016 Vintage Cuvee	89.0	Bronze
2	WICKS ESTATE WINES PTY LTD	2018	WICKS ESTATE VINTAGE SPARKLING	85.0	Bronze
3	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2014	SIDEWOOD CHLOE CUVEE	84.0	
4	MAJELLA WINES	NV	MAJELLA MINUET	83.0	
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	KING VALLEY PROSECCO	86.0	Bronze
6	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2018	Methode Traditionnelle Grenache Brut	84.0	
7	BLUE PYRENEES ESTATE	2015	Midnight Cuvee	90.0	Silver
8	BLUE PYRENEES ESTATE	NV	Luna	83.0	
9	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	LORIMER CHARDONNAY PINOT NOIR	87.0	Bronze
10	GOATY HILLS WINES	2013	GOATY HILL MAIA SPARKLING	95.0	Gold
11	BREAM CREEK VINEYARD	2012	BREAM CREEK CUVÉE TRADITIONELLE	90.0	Silver
12	MOPPITY VINEYARDS	NV	Coppabella Cuvee Prestige	83.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Andrew Duff, John Coughlan - unawarded wines a little coarse, unbalanced residual sugar or lacking freshness. Better wines quite different styles - fresh, vibrant, lovely acid drive. Taut or more aged wines showing lovely complexity and layers, but with acid drive keeping wines fresh and balanced.

Class 138 - Sparkling Red or Rosé

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	SIDEWOOD ESTATE	2014	SIDEWOOD ISABELLA ROSÉ	88.0	Bronze
2	MAJELLA WINES	2017	MAJELLA SPARKLING SHIRAZ	92.0	Silver
3	PINNACLE DRINKS	NV	RIDDOCH COONAWARRA SPARKLING SHIRAZ	82.0	
4	GRAMPIONS ESTATE	2015	RUTHERFORD SPARKLING SHIRAZ	89.0	Bronze
5	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	WOODFIRED SHIRAZ	86.0	Bronze
6	TAMBURLAINE WINES	NV	TAMBURLAINE JAKE PINOT NOIR CHARDONNAY ROSE	84.0	
7	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS SPARKLING SHIRAZ DURIF	84.0	
8	ZILZIE WINES	2019	SELECTION 23 ROSE	82.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, John Coughlan, Andrew Duff - Top wine vibrant, fresh fruit driven with balanced residual sugar and tannin, just lacks complexity for gold medal. Not awarded wines either tired, unbalanced residual sugar or chalky tannins, too dominating for wine style.

Class 139 - Moscato

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	EMERI PINK MOSCATO	85.0	Bronze
2	ZILZIE WINES	2019	SELECTION 23 MOSCATO	84.0	

Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, John Coughlan, Andrew Duff - Nice varietal character, wines need more work in regards to sulphides and phenolics.

Cowra Wine Show 2019**Class 140 - Apera, Any Style, Non Vintage****CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER SERIOUSLY NUTTY	95.0	Gold
2	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER SERIOUSLY FINE	90.0	Silver

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff, Trent Kelly - two good examples of Australian Apera wines.

Class 141 - Sweet White Wine, Topaque, Any Classification, Non Vintage**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER GRAND RUTHERGLEN TOPAQUE	95.0	Gold
2	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CLASSIC TOPAQUE	95.0	Gold
3	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER RARE RUTHERGLEN TOPAQUE	96.0	Gold
4	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER CLASSIC RUTHERGLEN TOPAQUE	85.0	Bronze
5	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CELLAR RESERVE GRAND TOPAQUE	95.0	Gold
6	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER RUTHERGLEN TOPAQUE	90.0	Silver

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - delicious wines. Pleasure to judge.

Class 142 - Muscat, Any Classification, Non Vintage**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	SHOW LIQUEUR MUSCAT	92.0	Silver
2	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER GRAND RUTHERGLEN MUSCAT	95.0	Gold
3	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER CLASSIC RUTHERGLEN MUSCAT	88.0	Bronze
4	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER RARE RUTHERGLEN MUSCAT	96.0	Gold
5	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER RUTHERGLEN MUSCAT	90.0	Silver
6	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CELLAR RESERVE GRAND MUSCAT	93.0	Silver
7	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS BLACK LABEL RUTHERGLEN MUSCAT	89.0	Bronze
8	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CLASSIC MUSCAT	95.0	Gold

Judge's Comment

Jen Pfeiffer, Andrew Duff, Trent Kelly - a lovely class of wines which created a great discussion around style.

Class 143 - Fortified Tawny or Ruby, Non Vintage**CWS - Any Vintage**

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS BLACK LABEL TAWNY	84.0	
2	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CLASSIC TAWNY	90.0	Silver
3	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER CLASSIC RUTHERGLEN TAWNY	88.0	Bronze
4	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	NV	MORRIS CELLAR RESERVE GRAND TAWNY	95.0	Gold
5	PFEIFFER WINES	NV	PFEIFFER RARE RUTHERGLEN TAWNY	95.0	Gold
6	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	OLD BOY'S 21 YEAR OLD AGED TAWNY	96.0	Gold
7	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	EIGHT YEAR OLD FINE TAWNY	93.0	Silver

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Judge's Comment

Debbie Lauritz, Brendan Kaczorowski, John Coughlan - excellent class, every wine awarded except one (which had off spirit character). Best wine showed complexity clean spirit, age, freshness and balance. Bronze and Silver wines still showed nice complexity, but lacked balance and poise of Golds.

Class 144 - Fortified Vintage, Non Vintage

CWS - Any Vintage

Entry	Exhibitor	Vintage	Name	Score	Award
1	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2019	Vintage Fortified Shiraz	90.0	Silver
2	GRAHAM STEVENS WINES	2018	Vintage Fortified Shiraz	90.0	Silver
3	DE BORTOLI WINES	NV	BLACK NOBLE	87.0	Bronze
4	PFEIFFER WINES	2018	PFEIFFER CHRISTOPHER'S VP	92.0	Silver
5	MORRIS WINES PTY LTD	2008	VINTAGE	87.0	Bronze

Judge's Comment

Leigh Ratzmer, Rob Mack, Jane Skilton - good class without a real stand out. Potential exists for this wine style in Australia.

Number of Exhibits in Show: 566

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