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Welcome from the President

The Royal Agricultural Society of NSW (RAS) is mission-purposed to foster the prosperous and sustainable future of Australian agriculture. Our goal is to help producers improve Australian produce to award-quality levels. This is accomplished primarily through the time-tested approach of competitions, because the very nature of competition drives innovation and excellence.

Sydney Royal competitions establish industry benchmarks by which success can be measured year-on-year. Our Committees carefully design competition categories and establish judging panels to ensure the most effective impact on industry and relevant markets.

We know from 200 years of experience that our competitions raise not only the quality of produce but also the calibre of producers. This year was no different, the excellence of every exhibitor across the board is what continues to keep our competitions so highly anticipated and so well regarded. Thank you to every one of our exhibitors, we value your participation greatly.

Thank you also to our Judges, Officials, Stewards and volunteers who give so generously of their time and expertise. To our valued sponsors and supporters, thank you for your continued investment in what we do. It is because of all of you that Sydney Royal competitions continue to drive excellence in Australian produce, and to ensure the sustainability of agricultural practices for generations to come.

Being newly elected to this role, I am delighted to be working closely with our RAS Councillors and Committee Chairs and all RAS Staff involved in the Wine, Dairy, Fine Food, and Beer & Cider sections. On behalf of us all, I trust that you enjoyed your Sydney Royal experience and I encourage you to join in the tradition of entering every year so that together we can celebrate and propel Australian agricultural excellence.

I look forward to seeing you again next year.

John C. Bennett, OAM President, Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

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2023 SYDNEY ROYAL WINE SHOW

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JUDGING PANELS

MONDAY 31 JULY 2023

Panel A

Classes Judged: 11 (1-28), 29 (1-29), 26 (21-59)	
Tim Pelquest Hunt	
Clara Rubin, Jacob Stein	
Alex Head, Phillip Le Messurier	

Panel B

Classes Judged: 11 (29-57), 27 (1-34), 12 (1-26)		
Panel Chair	Michael De Iuliis	
Senior Judges	Gilli Lipscombe, Rauri Donkin	
Associate Judges	Bridget Raffal, Michael Latham	

Panel C

Classes Judged: 11 (58-86), 27 (35-62), 12 (27-55)		
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Duval, Andrew Kenny		
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Panel D

Classes Judged: 11 (87-114), 27 (63-98), 26 (1-20), 13 (1-6)		
Panel Chair	Marcus Satchell	
Senior Judges	Annette Lacey, Ben Mullen	
Associate Judges	Mark Law, Skye Salter	

Panel E

Classes Judged: 11 (115-142), 27 (99-140), 28 (1-19)		
Panel Chair	Trina Smith	
Senior Judges	Philippa Anderson, Glenn Thompson	
Associate Judges	Angus Vinden, Eleanor Webb	

Panel F

Classes Judged: 11 (143-169), 30 (1-30), 28 (20-47)		
Panel Chair	Russell Cody	
Senior Judges	Jonathan Mattick, Cath Oates	
Associate Judges	Sierra Reed, Matt Buchan	

TUESDAY 1 AUGUST 2023

Panel A

Classes Judged: 3 (1-18)	, 20 (1-19), 15 (1-26), 35 (27-60)
Panel Chair	Tim Pelquest-Hunt
Senior Judges	Philippa Anderson, Glenn Thompson
Associate Judges	Alex Head, Phillip Le Messurier

Panel B

Classes Judged: 1 (1-18)	, 20 (20-51), 7 (1-18), 35 (61-90)
Panel Chair	Michael De Iuliis
Senior Judges	Annette Lacey, Ben Mullen
Associate Judges	Bridget Raffal, Michael Latham

Panel C

Classes Judged: 1 (19-37), 15 (27-48), 20 (52-76), 35 (1-26), 14 (1-13) **Panel Chair Courtney Treacher** Senior Judges Gilli Lipscombe, Rauri Donkin Associate Judges Sabine Duval, Andrew Kenny, Emily Glover

Panel D

Classes Judged: 2	2 (1-33), 2	1 (1-23), 36	(1-31)
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Panel Chair	Marcus Satchell
Senior Judges	Kate Sturgess, Nadja Wallington
Associate Judges	Mark Law, Skye Salter, Rhys Baker

Panel E

Classes Judged: 2 (34-60	0), 21 (24-43), 19 (1-26), 34 (1-18)
Panel Chair	Trina Smith
Senior Judges	Jonathon Mattick, Cath Oates
Associate Judges	Angus Vinden, Eleanor Webb

Panel F

Classes Judged: 6 (1-16), 8 (1-18), 19 (27-53), 37 (1-31)	
Panel Chair	Russell Cody
Senior Judges	Clara Rubin, Jacob Stein
Associate Judges	Sierra Reed, Matt Buchan

WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST 2023

Panel A

Classes Judged: 47 (1-6), 48 (1-4), 25 (1-32), 5 (1-23), 10 (1-25),

Tim Pelquest-Hunt
Gilli Lipscombe, Rauri Donkin
Alex Head, Phillip Le Messurier

Panel B

Classes Judged: 49 (1-15), 50 (1-4), 24 (34-53), 4 (1-19), 9 (1-13), 32 (1-15), 33 (1-9)

Panel Chair	Michael De Iuliis
Senior Judges	Jonathon Mattick, Cath Oates
Associate Judges	Bridget Raffal, Michael Latham

Panel C

Classes Judged: 51 (1-14), 39 (1-28), 38 (1-7), 17 (1-20), 44 (1-11), 43 (1-8), 60 (1-5)

Panel Chair	Courtney Treacher
Senior Judges	Kate Sturgess, Nadja Wallington
Associate Judges	Sabine Duval, Andrew Kenny

Panel D

Classes Judged: 45 (1-10), 46 (29-37), 24 (1-33), 41 (1-42) **Panel Chair** Marcus Satchell Senior Judges Clara Rubin, Jacob Stein Associate Judges Mark Law, Skye Salter

Panel E

Classes Judged: 46 (1-28), 22 (1-12), 40 (1-21), 42 (1-41)	
Panel Chair	Trina Smith
Senior Judges	Annette Lacey, Ben Mullen
Associate Judges	Angus Vinden, Eleanor Webb

Panel F

Classes Judged: 18 (1-19), 23 (1-25), 16 (1-10), 31 (1-19), 53 (1), 54 (1), 55 (1-12), 56 (1-3), 58 (1), 59 (1-2) **Panel Chair** Russell Cody Senior Judges Philippa Anderson, Glenn Thompson Associate Judges Sierra Reed, Matt Buchan

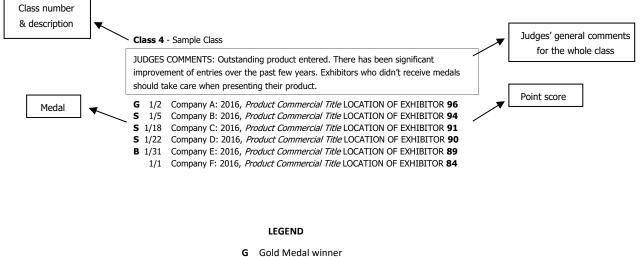
MEDAL AWARDS

Medal Awards are determined by the Judges on the following scale of points:

All Classes Total 100 points

- (a) Gold medal for outstanding Exhibits gaining 95pts and over;
- (b) Silver medal for excellent Exhibits gaining 90pts but fewer than 95pts;
- (c) Bronze medal for quality Exhibits gaining 85pts but fewer than 90pts.

HOW TO READ THE RESULTS CATALOGUE



- Gold Wedai winner
- S Silver Medal winner
- B Bronze Medal winner

Only Gold medal winning Exhibits will be eligible to receive a trophy or special prize. Gold medal winning Exhibits that do not fit the criteria for a Trophy will impact their eligibility for a Trophy, as stated in the 2023 Sydney Royal Wine Show Schedule Regulations.

TROPHIES AND SPECIAL PRIZES

WHITE WINE TROPHIES

The Douglas Lamb Perpetual Trophy for Best Riesling

Donated by the Family and Friends of the late Douglas Lamb and first presented in 1999. Doug Lamb was a revered Sydney wine identity who judged at the Sydney Royal Wine Show for the RAS over many years. He became a wine merchant specialising in imported fine wines and his own bottlings. Eligible Classes: 1-3

2023 Winner:

Jim Barry Wines, 2022 Jim Barry Lodge Hill Riesling Class No.2 / Cat No. 26

The McCarthy Perpetual Trophy for Best Sauvignon Blanc

Donated by J McCarthy and Co Pty Ltd and first presented in 1951. JJ McCarthy and Co Pty Ltd, established in 1880 were Sydney based case, cask and bottle merchants who throughout their history had been enthusiastic supporters of wine shows across NSW. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded to the Most Successful Exhibitor in the Wines and Brandy Section. From 2014 to 2015 it was awarded for Best Organic/Bio-Dynamic Wine.

Eligible Classes: 4 and 5

2023 Winner:

A. G. Oatley Wines, 2022 Robert Oatley Signature Series Margaret River Sauvignon Blanc Class No. 5 / Cat No. 15

The David Clarke Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Semillon

Donated by Jane, Timothy and Angus Clarke and Maxine Cooley and first presented in 2012. David Stuart Clarke AO was dedicated to the Wine Section of the RAS. He was a RAS Councillor from 1986, a Board Member from 1999 to 2002 and Chairman of the Wine Committee from 1990 to 2010. Under his stewardship the Sydney Royal Wine Show became a pre-eminent part of the Australian wine circuit. He also supported education for younger generations in wine through The Len Evans Tutorial.

Eligible Classes: 6-8

2023 Winner:

McGuigan, 2014 McGuigan Bin 9000 Semillon Class No. 8 / Cat No. 17

The RAS of NSW Annual Prize for Best Pinot Gris or Pinot Grigio

This Annual Prize is supported by the RAS of NSW and was previously the Arthur Kelman Perpetual Trophy for the Best Pinot Gris or Pinot Grigio from 2016 - 2021.

Eligible Classes: 9 and 10

2023 Winner:

Landaire, 2022 Landaire Pinot Gris Class No. 10 / Cat No. 3

The AP John Coopers Perennial Trophy for Best Chardonnay

Donated by AP John Coopers and first presented in 2011. AP John Coopers is a family owned operation which has been producing world class premium oak barrels since 1889. The company continues to develop and provide a range of barrels for a large variety of fruit types and wine styles made within Australia and abroad.

Eligible Classes: 11-13

2023 Winner:

Evans & Tate, 2021 Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Chardonnay Class No. 12 / Cat. 36

The Bert Bear Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Other White Varietal

Donated by the First Thursday Luncheon Club of which Mr Bear was an original member and first presented in 1963. The club was comprised of a number of people interested in the wine industry including winemakers and growers. They met for lunch on the first Thursday of each month to discuss wines and each one brought along a "masked" bottle, which was sampled and discussed. Mr Bear was Managing Director of Lindemans from 1956 to 1962. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for Premium Previous Vintage White Wine.

Eligible Classes: 14 and 15

2023 Winner:

Longview Vineyard, 2022 Macclesfield Gruner Veltliner Class No. 15 / Cat No. 25

The Liquorland Perpetual Trophy for Best White Blend

Donated by Liquorland and first presented in 1986. Liquorland is an Australian retail chain owned by Coles/Wesfarmers since 1981. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for large Volume White Wine and had previously been awarded to the best Wine exhibited in the Varietal Wine Classes.

Eligible Classes: 16 and 17

2023 Winner:

DB Production, 2022 Rutherglen Estate Shelley's Block Class No. 17 / Cat No. 3

The Hanaminno Perpetual Trophy for Best Sweet White

Donated by Mr Michael Arnott and Family and first presented in 1998. The trophy is named for 'Hanaminno', the property established by Mr Arnott in Boorowa. Mr Michael Arnott AM joined the RAS Council in 1986. A well-respected Councillor, he was Chief Steward of the Sydney Royal Wine Show from 1987 to 2010; he served on numerous committees including the Wine Committee and was Chairman of the Agriculture and Dome Committees as well as the Rare Breeds Survival Trust. He has served on the Board and as a Vice President of the RAS.

Eligible Class: 18

2023 Winner:

De Bortoli Wines, 2018 Deen De Bortoli Botrytis Semillon Class No. 18 / Cat No. 18

The RAS of NSW Annual Prize for Best Current Vintage White

This Annual Prize is supported by the RAS of NSW and was first presented in 2016. It is awarded to the best white wine from the current vintage. This Trophy was previously known as the RAS of NSW Annual Prize for the Best Young White. Eligible Classes: 1, 4, 6, 9, 11, 14, 16 and 18

2023 Winner:

De Iuliis Wines, 2023 De Iuliis Semillon Single Vineyard Class No. 6 / Cat No. 12

The Dr Henry John Lindeman Memorial Perpetual Prize for Best Mature White

Donated by Lindeman (Holdings) Limited and first presented in 1979. Henry John Lindeman (1811-1881), vigneron and surgeon, was widely known and esteemed as a founder of the Australian wine industry. Having visited and studied in the wine districts of France and Germany in the 1830s, Dr Lindeman planted the first Lindeman's vines in the Hunter Valley in 1843. He developed the vineyard to establish the Lindeman's dynasty that remains a market leader today.

Eligible Classes: 3, 5, 8, 10, 13, 15, 17 and 18

2023 Winner:

McGuigan, 2014 McGuigan Bin 9000 Semillon Class No. 8 / Cat No. 17

ROSÉ TROPHIES

The Leslie Kemeny Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Rosé

Donated by Kemeny's Food and Liquor and first presented in 1994. It honours the late Leslie Kemeny, a post war migrant from Budapest who established the L & E Kemeny Delicatessen in Bondi in 1960. Mr Kemeny and his wife Emma grew their business to become a major player in the retail wine industry. Mr Kemeny passed away in 1986, his sons have continued his legacy and Kemeny's remains a family owned business. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for two year old Premium Red Wine. From 2014 to 2015 it was awarded for Best Pinot Gris.

Eligible Class: 19

2023 Winner:

Howard Park Wines, 2023 Howard Park Miamup Rosé Class No. 19 / Cat No. 24

RED WINE TROPHIES

The Geoffrey Crundall Perpetual Trophy for Best Pinot Noir

Donated by Geoffrey Crundall Cellars and first presented in 1995. Geoffrey Crundall, described as a character within the wine industry established Geoffrey Crundall Cellars in Potts Point in 1991.

Eligible Classes: 20 and 21

2023 Winner:

Montalto, 2022 Montalto Pennon Hill Pinot Noir Class No. 20 / Cat No. 49

The George Mackey Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Grenache

Donated by Wine Australia, the Trophy was formerly known as the Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation Perpetual Trophy and first presented in 1998. George Mackey served on the Board of the Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation from 1986. He became Chairman in 1986 and held that position until his death in 1990. The Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation became Wine Australia in 2009. Previously this Trophy has been awarded for the Best Value Red Wine.

Eligible Class: 24

2023 Winner:

Sevenhill Cellars, 2021 Sevenhill Open Range Grenache Class No. 24 / Cat No. 50

The Drinks Association Perennial Trophy for Best Shiraz

Donated by the Liquor Merchants Association of Australia, this Trophy was formerly known as the Liquor Merchants Association of Australia Perennial Trophy, and first presented in 2005. The Drinks Association traces its foundation back to 1897 when a small group of liquor merchants met in Sydney to form the Wine & Spirit Association of NSW. Membership subscriptions were accepted from every leading liquor merchant in the city. Today the Drinks Association strives to be the pre-eminent supplier of information and business services to the Australian drinks industry.

Eligible Classes: 26 - 30 2023 Winner: Cherubino, 2021 Pedestal Margaret River Shiraz

Class No. 27 / Cat No. 117

The Arthur Kelman Perpetual Trophy for Best Shiraz Dominant Blend

Donated by the daughters of the late Arthur Kelman and first presented in 1979. Arthur Kelman judged wine at the Sydney Royal Wine Show in 1933 and 1935. The Kelman name is synonymous with the Hunter Valley wine industry. Mr Kelman had a passion for wine. He believed in being involved in the entire process, from grape growing to wine making to selling. He was instrumental in helping soldier settlers make wine near Griffith. Until 2009 this trophy was awarded for Medium bodied Red Wine. From 2010 to 2015 it was awarded for Best Merlot. From 2016 to 2021 this trophy was awarded for the Best Pinot Gris/Pinot Grigio.

Eligible Classes: 31 - 33

2023 Winner:

Coriole Pty. Ltd., 2022 Dune The Empty Quarter Class No. 31 / Cat No. 15

The Dan Murphy's Perennial Trophy for Best Cabernet Sauvignon

Donated by Dan Murphy's and first presented in 2004. Dan Murphy's is an Australian retail chain owned by Woolworths, established in 1952 by Daniel Francis Murphy who wanted to revolutionise the way liquor was sold in Australia. He had a passion for wine and was determined to offer the most extensive range, becoming one of the first importers of wine to Australia as well as supporting the growing Australian wine industry.

Eligible Classes: 34 - 37

2023 Winner:

Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd, 2021 Skillogalle Trevarrick Cabernet Sauvignon Class No. 35 / Cat No. 54

The Jones, Steains and Waller Perpetual Trophy for Best Cabernet Dominant Blend

Donated by A W & A Pardey. It was first presented in 1983 and converted to a Perpetual Trophy in 1993. Jones, Steains & Waller (NSW) Pty Ltd was established in 1920 as merchants, importers, exporters and distributors of corks and corkwood. They were strong supporters of wine shows and other charitable causes. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded to the Exhibitor gaining the highest number of points in the Varietal Wine Classes. From 2014 to 2015 it was awarded for Best Cabernet Dominant Blend. From 2016 to 2021 it was awarded for the Best Cabernet Dominant Blend or Shiraz Dominant Blend. The Best Shiraz Dominant Blend is now awarded the Arthur Kelman Perpetual Trophy.

Eligible Classes: 38 - 40

2023 Winner:

Jim Barry Wines, 2021 The Farm Cabernet Malbec Class. 39 / Cat No. 3

The Wine Communicators of Australia Perpetual Trophy for Best Other Red Varietal

Donated by The Wine Press Club of NSW, this Trophy was formerly known as The Wine Press Club of NSW Perpetual Trophy and first presented in 1987. Wine Communicators of Australia (WCA) is the national organisation that talks with, for and about the Australian wine industry. Its members include winemakers, wine writers, wine marketers and wine retailers.

Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for Large Volume Dry Red Wine.

Eligible Classes: 22, 23, 41 and 42

2023 Winner:

Serafino Wines, 2022 Serafino Bellissimo Sangiovese Class No. 41 / Cat No. 33

The John Swann Perpetual Trophy for Best Other Red Blend

Donated by the Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation and first presented in 1990 in recognition of John Swann, Chairman of the USA Exporters Committee at the time of his death in 1989. The John Swann Perpetual Trophy was commissioned in recognition of John's service to the industry. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for Premium Dry Red Wine. From 2014 to 2015 it was awarded to Best Shiraz Dominant Blend.

Eligible Classes: 25, 43 and 44

2023 Winner:

St Hugo, 2022 St Hugo Grenache Shiraz Mataro Class No. 25 / Cat No. 9

The Rudy Komon Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Mature Red

Donated by Mrs Ruth Komon and first presented in 1984. It honours the memory of her husband, a leading RAS wine Judge from 1959 to 1979. Formerly a successful journalist in Czechoslovakia, Rudy Komon migrated to Australia in 1950. Arising from his early classical education, he soon established himself as a connoisseur of the arts, music and fine wine in this country. Until 2009 this trophy was awarded for Medium Bodied Red Table Wine. From 2009 to 2012, it was awarded for Shiraz Viognier. From 2013 to 2015 it was awarded for Best Rosé.

 ${\sf Eligible\ Classes:\ 21,\ 22,\ 23,\ 24,\ 25,\ 30,\ 33,\ 37,\ 40,\ 42\ and\ 44}$

2023 Winner:

Yalumba Wines, 2018 Yalumba The Steeple Shiraz Class No. 30 / Cat No. 4

SPARKLING WINE TROPHIES

The Thorp Annual Trophy for Best Sparkling White or Rosé

This Annual Trophy was first presented in 1987. The late Mr G M Thorp established a fund with the RAS of NSW from which an annual trophy will be awarded. Graham Thorp had a distinguished career as a soldier, architect, and businessman, and left an indelible stamp on the centres of Australian cities through the design of a plethora of prestigious buildings which were at the forefront of their time. Chairman of the Wine Committee from 1984 until 1990, he served on numerous RAS Committees and was elected Vice President of the Society in 1987.

Eligible Classes: 45 - 50

2023 Winner:

House of Arras, 2015 House of Arras Grand Vintage Class No. 46 / Cat No. 21

The InterContact Perpetual Trophy for Best Sparkling Red

Donated by InterContact Public Relations and first presented in 1994. InterContact Public Relations is a company whose clients have included major winemakers Seppelt and Lindemans. Managing Director and donor of the trophy Lesley Ann Grimoldby was a past Wine Communicators of Australia Vice President who wanted to encourage winemakers to continue to maintain traditional styles of uniquely Australian wines.

Eligible Class: 51

2023 Winner: Not Awarded

FORTIFIED WINE & BRANDY TROPHIES

The J C M Fornachon Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Fortified

Donated by the late Rudy Komon and first presented in 1971. It honours the memory of Mr Fornachon one of the leading oenologists in Australia. Mr Fornachon was a respected wine Judge, judging at eleven Sydney Royal Wine Shows from 1954 to 1968.

Eligible Classes: 52 - 58

2023 Winner:

Morris Wines, Morris Wines Old Premium Muscat Class No. 57 / Cat No. 8

The JJ McWilliam Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Brandy

Donated by McWilliam's Wines Pty Ltd and first presented in 1986. JJ McWilliam is credited with establishing Griffith as a wine region. In 1913 he carted 50,000 vines to the Riverina, pioneering the wine industry in the region. Today, the site of his nursery at Hanwood Estate in Griffith remains the home of McWilliam's Family Winemakers, one of Australia's First Families of Wine.

Eligible Class: 59

2023 Winner: Not Awarded

OTHER TROPHIES

The Dan Murphy's Value Perennial Trophy for Best Value Wine (White, Rosé or Red)

Donated by the First Estate Wine Merchants and first presented in 2004, this trophy was formerly known as The First Estate Wine Merchants Perennial Trophy. Dan Murphy's is an Australian retail chain owned by Woolworths, established in 1952 by Daniel Francis Murphy who wanted to revolutionise the way liquor was sold in Australia. He had a passion for wine and was determined to offer the most extensive range, becoming one of the first importers of wine to Australia as well as supporting the growing Australian wine industry.

Eligible Classes: 1-44

2023 Winner:

Millbrook Winery, 2022 Millbrook Regional GSM Class No. 25 / Cat No. 16

The International Guest Judge Annual Prize

This Annual Trophy is supported by the RAS of NSW and was first presented in 2014.

Awarded to the Exhibitor of the wine that impressed the International Judge the most that did not get an award elsewhere.

2023 Winner:

George's Folly Wines, 2021 George's Folly "Pigs Might Fly" Montepulciano/ Nero d'Avola Class No. 44 / Cat No. 2

The NSW Department of Primary Industries James Busby Perpetual Trophy for Best NSW Wine

Donated by the NSW Department of Primary Industries and first presented in 2013. It honours the contribution made to the NSW Wine Industry by James Busby. Busby saw the early colony of New South Wales as the vineyard of the British Empire and in 1831 spent four months gathering a collection of 570 of the most valuable varieties of Europe's vine clippings. They were brought to Sydney and planted in 1832. By the 1860s nearly all award-winning wines at the Agricultural Society Show in Sydney were derived from the Busby collection. The trophy replaced the former James Busby Annual Prize, and from 2017 is awarded to the NSW wine achieving the highest total medal score over the previous 12 months on the NSW Wine Show circuit.

2023 Winner:

Gartelmann Wines, 2018 Gartelmann Diedrich Reserve Shiraz Class No. 30 / Cat No. 15

The Restaurant and Catering Industry Association Perpetual Trophy for Best Small Producer Wine

Donated by the Restaurant and Catering Association of NSW and first presented in 1994. Restaurant & Catering Australia (RCA) is the national industry association that represents the interests of restaurants and catering businesses across Australia. It is committed to assuring that the industry is recognised as one of excellence, professionalism, profitability and sustainability. Awarded to the Exhibitor of the best Small Producer Wine entered in Classes 1 to 44. A Small Producer is one whose total annual grape crush does not exceed 100 tonnes.

2023 Winner:

Silkman Wines, 2022 Silkman Wines Reserve Chardonnay Class No. 11 / Cat No. 66

The Len Evans Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Single Vineyard Wine

Donated by the Wine Committee of the RAS of NSW and the family and friends of the late Len Evans AO and first presented in 2010. The trophy was donated in memory of the late Len Evans AO, Chair of Judges at the Sydney Royal Wine Show for over 25 years honouring his contribution to the Sydney Royal Wine Show and the Australian Wine industry as a whole. Until 2014 this trophy was awarded for Named Vineyard Classes.

2023 Winner:

Giant Steps Wine, 2022 Giant Steps Applejack Vineyard Pinot Noir Class No. 20 / Cat No. 60

MAJOR TROPHIES

The Albert Chan Memorial Prize for Best White

Donated by Friends of the late Albert Chan and first presented in 1988. A winemaker at Lindeman's, Albert Chan judged at seven Sydney Royal Wine Shows between 1977 and 1986, he also judged wines in the District Exhibits competition from 1981-1983.

Winners of the following trophies are eligible: Best Riesling, Best Sauvignon Blanc, Best Semillon, Best Pinot Gris/ Pinot Grigio, Best Chardonnay, Best Other White Varietal, Best White Blend and Best Sweet White.

2023 Winner:

Evans & Tate, 2021 Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Chardonnay Class No. 12 / Cat No. 36

The Dr Gilbert Phillips Memorial Perpetual Trophy for Best Red

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WHITE WINE CLASSES

CLASS 1 - Riesling, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Some underripe characteristics, the best wines balanced fruit and energy and drive.

- G 1/33 Capel Vale Wines: 2023, Capel Vale Whispering Hill Riesling CAPEL WA 95
- G 1/27 Jim Barry Wines: 2023, Lodge Hill Riesling CLARE SA 95
- S 1/14 Pewsey Vale Vineyard: 2023, Pewsey Vale Vineyard Riesling ANGASTON SA 93
- S 1/20 Dead Man Walking: 2023, *Dead Man Walking Eden Valley Riesling* TANUNDA SA 92
- S 1/2 Leo Buring Pty Ltd: 2023, *Leo Buring Leonay Riesling* NURIOOTPA SA **90**
- S 1/22 Jim Barry Wines: 2023, Watervale Riesling CLARE SA 90
- S 1/23 Dead Man Walking: 2023, Dead Man Walking Clare Valley Riesling TANUNDA SA 90
- S 1/31 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2023, Robert Stein Dry Riesling MUDGEE NSW 90
- B 1/10 Leo Buring Pty Ltd: 2023, *Leo Buring Eden Valley Riesling* NURIOOTPA SA 89
- B 1/15 Brothers at War: 2023, Bothers at War 'Nothing In Common' TANUNDA SA 88
- B 1/25 Oleary Walker wines: 2023, Oleary Walker Watervale Riesling LEASINGHAM SA 88
- B 1/28 Saltram Wine Estate: 2023, Mamre Brook Riesling NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 1/32 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2023, Robert Stein Reserve Riesling MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 1/19 Oleary Walker wines: 2023, Oleary Walker Polish Hill Riesling LEASINGHAM SA 87
- B 1/1 Rieslingfreak: 2023, *Rieslingfreak No.12 Flaxman Valley Riesling* TANUNDA SA **86**
- B 1/11 Brothers at War: 2023, Brothers at War 'The Grape Grower' Riesling TANUNDA SA 86
- B 1/16 Norfolk Rise Vineyard: 2023, *Norfolk Rise Maritime Riesling* MOUNT BENSON SA **86**
- B 1/24 Rieslingfreak: 2023, Rieslingfreak No.2 Polish Hill River Riesling TANUNDA SA 86
- B 1/13 Penfolds Wines Pty Ltd: 2023, Penfolds Bin 51 Eden Valley Riesling NURIOOTPA SA 85
- B 1/35 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2023, Tahbilk Riesling NAGAMBIE VIC 85
 - 1/5 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2023, *Barossa Boy Riesling* TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 1/6 Riley Grape and wine Pty Ltd: 2023, *RILEYS OF EDEN* VALLEY OLD VINE RIESLING EDEN VALLEY SA **84**
 - 1/21 Stonehorse by Kaesler: 2023, Stonehorse by Kaesler Riesling NURIOOTPA SA **84**
 - 1/26 Taylors Wines: 2023, Taylors St Andrews Riesling AUBURN SA 84
 - 1/30 Peter Teakle Wines: 2023, Peter Teakle Killer White Riesling PORT LINCOLN SA **84**
 - 1/34 Capel Vale Wines: 2023, Capel Vale Regional Riesling CAPEL WA **84**
 - 1/17 Bleasdale: 2023, Bleasdale Vineyards Adelaide Hills Riesling LANGHORNE CREEK SA 83
 - 1/18 Longview Vineyard: 2023, Macclesfield Riesling MACCLESFIELD SA 83
 - 1/29 Millon Wines: 2023, *Clare's Secret Riesling* PEWSEY VALE SA 83

- 1/4 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2023, *Patritti, Lavoro Riesling* DOVER GARDENS SA **82**
- 1/9 Elderton Wines: 2023, Elderton Estate Eden Valley Riesling NURIOOTPA SA 82
- 1/7 Dandelion Vineyards: 2023, Dandelion Vineyards Wonderland of the Eden Valley Riesling MCLAREN VALE SA 81

CLASS 2 - Riesling, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Best wines showing purity of fruit and youth.

- G 2/26 Jim Barry Wines: 2022, Jim Barry Lodge Hill Riesling CLARE SA 96
- G 2/14 d'Arenberg: 2022, *The Dry Dam Riesling* MCLAREN VALE SA 95
- G 2/59 Kreglinger Wine Estates: 2022, Pipers Brook Riesling PIPERS BROOK TAS 95
- S 2/6 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Hill & Valley Riesling YENDA NSW 94
- S 2/23 Atlas Wines: 2022, Atlas 172 Watervale Riesling CLARE SA 93
- S 2/51 Pressing Matters: 2022, Pressing Matters RO Riesling TEA TREE TAS 93
- S 2/55 Josef Chromy Wines: 2022, JOSEF CHROMY RIESLING RELBIA TAS 92
- \$ 2/27 Atlas Wines: 2022, Atlas Watervale Riesling CLARE SA 91
- S 2/11 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2022, Corryton Burge Riesling TANUNDA SA 90
- \$ 2/20 Jim Barry Wines: 2022, The Florita Riesling CLARE SA 90
- S 2/38 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2022, Robert Stein Half Dry Riesling MUDGEE NSW 90
- B 2/16 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, *Tolley Clare Valley Riesling* TANUNDA SA 89
- B 2/8 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Portrait Riesling YENDA NSW
 88
- B 2/13 St Hugo: 2022, St Hugo Eden Valley Riesling ROWLAND FLAT SA 88
- B 2/19 Paulett Wines: 2022, Pauletts Polish Hill River Riesling SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 88
- B 2/42 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Signature Series Great Southern Riesling MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 2/32 Kirrihill Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Kirrihill E.B.'s The Settler Watervale Riesling CLARE SA 87
- B 2/39 Rowlee Wines: 2022, *Rowlee Single Vineyard Riesling* NASHDALE NSW 87
- B 2/50 Pressing Matters: 2022, Pressing Matters R9 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 87
- B 2/58 Coles Liquor: 2022, Beyond the Wilderness Riesling MELBOURNE VIC 87
- B 2/60 Jacob's Creek: 2022, Jacob's Creek Classic Riesling ROWLAND FLAT SA 87
- B 2/25 Paulett Wines: 2022, Pauletts Clare Valley Riesling SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 86
- B 2/29 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2022, Skillogalee Clare Valley Riesling SPRING GULLY SA 86
- B 2/30 Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate: 2022, Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate Riesling CLARE SA 86
- B 2/36 Nashdale Lane Wines: 2022, Nashdale Lane Colour Series Medium Dry Riesling ORANGE NSW 86
- B 2/40 Colmar Estate: 2022, Colmar Estate Block 5 Riesling ORANGE NSW 86

- B 2/47 Gapsted Estate: 2022, Valley Selection Riesling GAPSTED VIC 86
- B 2/49 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2022, *Devil's Corner Riesling* MILAWA VIC 86
- B 2/52 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2022, Devil's Corner Resolution Riesling MILAWA VIC 86
- B 2/56 Leo Buring Pty Ltd: 2022, *Leo Buring Leopold Riesling* NURIOOTPA SA 86
- B 2/5 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Eden Valley Riesling TANUNDA SA 85
- B 2/15 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Riesling ADELAIDE SA 85
- B 2/31 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2022, Skillogalee Trevarrick Riesling SPRING GULLY SA 85
- B 2/33 Petaluma Wines: 2022, *Petaluma Hanlin Hill Riesling* MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 2/41 Boydell's: 2022, Boydell's Reserve Riesling Hunter Valley EAST GRESFORD NSW 85
- B 2/57 Eddystone Point: 2022, Eddystone Point Riesling PIPERS RIVER TAS 85
 - 2/1 Coles Liquor: 2022, *Winton Road Eden Valley Riesling* MELBOURNE VIC **84**
 - 2/3 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Eden Valley Riesling TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 2/4 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2022, *Thorn-Clarke Sandpiper Riesling* ANGASTON SA **84**
 - 2/17 Kirrihill Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Kirrihill Regional Series Clare Riesling CLARE SA **84**
 - 2/18 Rhythm Stick Wines: 2022, Rhythm Stick Wines Red Robin Riesling SEACLIFF SA **84**
 - 2/21 Sevenhill Cellars: 2022, Sevenhill 27 Miles Riesling SEVENHILL SA 84
 - 2/22 Knappstein Wines: 2022, Knappstein Riesling CLARE SA 84
 - 2/24 Taylors Wines: 2022, *Taylors Reserve Parcel Riesling* AUBURN SA **84**
 - 2/43 Cherubino: 2022, Uovo Riesling WILYABRUP WA 84
 - 2/44 Cherubino: 2022, Ad Hoc Wallflower Riesling WILYABRUP WA 84
 - 2/45 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Great Southern Riesling SUBIACO WA **84**
 - 2/46 Howard Park Wines: 2022, *Howard Park Flint Rock Riesling* SUBIACO WA **84**
 - 2/48 Best's Wines: 2022, *Best's Great Western Riesling 2022* GREAT WESTERN VIC **84**
 - 2/53 Riversdale Estate: 2022, *Riversdale Estate Riesling* CAMBRIDGE TAS **84**
 - 2/54 Bay of Fires Wines: 2022, Bay of Fires Riesling PIPERS RIVER TAS **84**
 - 2/9 Pewsey Vale Vineyard: 2022, Pewsey Vale Vineyard 1961 Block Riesling ANGASTON SA 83
 - 2/10 Eden Hall Wines: 2022, Eden Hall "Reserve" Riesling NORTH ADELAIDE SA 83
 - 2/34 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2022, Robert Stein Reserve Riesling MUDGEE NSW 83
 - 2/35 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, *Ridge of Tears Riesling* MUDGEE NSW **83**
 - 2/7 Eden Hall Wines: 2022, Eden Hall "Springton" Riesling NORTH ADELAIDE SA 82
 - 2/12 Stage Door Wine Co: 2022, Stage Door Wine Co Riesling HENLEY BEACH SA 82
 - 2/28 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2022, Shaw Family Vintners True Colours Riesling CURRENCY CREEK SA 82

CLASS 3 - Riesling, 2021 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Strong class, with many wines showing ageworthiness and grace over time. Top wines showed varietal typicity, balanced acidity and interest.

- G 3/9 Orlando Wines: 2020, Orlando Steingarten Riesling ROWLAND FLAT SA 95
- G 3/17 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2015, Gilbert+Gilbert Single Vineyard Riesling APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 95
- S 3/7 Pressing Matters: 2021, Pressing Matters RO Riesling TEA TREE TAS 93
- S 3/4 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Mockingbird Hill Dr JWD Bain Clare Valley Riesling TANUNDA SA 92
- S 3/1 Orlando Wines: 2021, Orlando Steingarten Riesling ROWLAND FLAT SA 91
- S 3/12 Pewsey Vale Vineyard: 2017, Pewsey Vale Vineyard The Contours Riesling ANGASTON SA 91
- B 3/11 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2019, Robert Stein Dry Riesling MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 3/16 d'Arenberg: 2015, *The Dry Dam Riesling* MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 3/18 Oleary Walker wines: 2013, Oleary Walker Watervale Riesling LEASINGHAM SA 87
- B 3/2 Jacob's Creek: 2021, Jacob's Creek Barossa Signature Riesling ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 3/5 Rhythm Stick Wines: 2021, Rhythm Stick Wines Red Robin Riesling SEACLIFF SA 86
- B 3/8 Pressing Matters: 2021, Pressing Matters R9 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 86
- B 3/14 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2017, Gilbert+Gilbert Single Vineyard Riesling APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 86
- B 3/10 Casella Family Brands: 2019, Wigan Riesling YENDA NSW 85
 - 3/15 Pewsey Vale Vineyard: 2016, Pewsey Vale Vineyard The Contours Riesling ANGASTON SA **84**
 - 3/6 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, *Ridge of Tears Riesling* MUDGEE NSW **83**

CLASS 4 - Sauvignon Blanc, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: No highlights. Most wine lacking fruit, with underripe and over fining a massive issue. Sugar does not replace flavour. There were obviously issues with fruit quality and fermentation issues. Many advanced and dirty wines.

- B 4/5 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2023, Heirloom Adelaide Hills Sauvignon Blanc MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 4/7 Howard Vineyard: 2023, Howard Vineyard 400m Range Sauvignon Blanc NAIRNE SA 86
- B 4/6 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2023, Patritti, Merchant Sauvignon Blanc DOVER GARDENS SA 85
- B 4/9 Lobethal Road: 2023, Lobethal Road Sauvignon Blanc MOUNT TORRENS SA 85
- B 4/10 Longview Vineyard: 2023, Whippet MACCLESFIELD SA 85
- B 4/15 Brown Hill Estate: 2023, Brown Hill Estate Charlotte Sauvignon Blanc MARGARET RIVER WA 85
 - 4/8 Chain of Ponds: 2023, Chain of Ponds Black Thursday Sauvignon Blanc KENT TOWN SA **84**
 - 4/13 Wignalls Wines: 2023, Wignalls Sauvignon Blanc ALBANY WA 84
 - 4/17 Stella Bella: 2023, *Stella Bella Sauvignon Blanc* MARGARET RIVER WA **84**

- 4/1 Serafino Wines: 2023, Serafino Goose Island Sauvignon Blanc MCLAREN VALE SA **83**
- 4/2 Norfolk Rise Vineyard: 2023, Norfolk Rise Estate Sauvignon Blanc MOUNT BENSON SA **83**
- 4/4 Bleasdale: 2023, Bleasdale Vineyards Adelaide Hills Sauvignon Blanc LANGHORNE CREEK SA 83
- 4/14 Rosily Vineyard: 2023, Rosily Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc WILYABRUP WA 83
- 4/16 Capel Vale Wines: 2023, Capel Vale Regional Sauvignon Blanc CAPEL WA **83**
- 4/11 Trentham Estate: 2023, Trentham Estate Sauvignon Blanc TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 81
- 4/12 P&A FIUMARA & SONS PTY LTD: 2023, Lillypilly Sauvignon Blanc LEETON NSW **81**
- 4/3 Berrigan Wines: 2023, Berrigan Wines Sauvignon Blanc NAIRNE SA 80

CLASS 5 - Sauvignon Blanc, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Wines awarded showed freshness, vitality, and acid balance.

- G 5/15 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Signature Series Margaret River Sauvignon Blanc MUDGEE NSW 95
- G 5/1 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Portrait Sauvignon Blanc YENDA NSW 95
- S 5/4 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Sauvignon Blanc ADELAIDE SA 91
- S 5/21 Coles Liquor: 2022, Beyond the Wilderness Sauvignon Blanc MELBOURNE VIC 90
- B 5/2 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2022, Stonemason Sauvignon Blanc CURRENCY CREEK SA 89
- B 5/20 Bay of Fires Wines: 2022, Bay of Fires Sauvignon Blanc PIPERS RIVER TAS 89
- B 5/6 Casella Family Brands: 2022, [yellow tail] Sauvignon Blanc YENDA NSW 87
- B 5/13 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Once & Well Frankies Garden Margaret River Sauvignon Blanc TANUNDA SA 86
- B 5/18 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Wildflower WA Sauvignon Blanc MUDGEE NSW 86
- B 5/5 Barristers Block Premium Wines: 2022, Barristers Block Sauvignon Blanc WOODSIDE SA 85
- B 5/9 Rowlee Wines: 2022, Rowlee Single Vineyard Fume `Blanc NASHDALE NSW 85
- B 5/11 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2022, Gilbert Sauvignon Blanc APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 85
- B 5/16 Evans & Tate: 2022, Evans & Tate Wild Cape Sauvignon Blanc MARGARET RIVER WA 85
- B 5/17 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Sauvignon Blanc SUBIACO WA 85
 - 5/8 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Pinnacle Sauvignon Blanc ORANGE NSW 84
 - 5/10 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Logan Sauvignon Blanc MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 5/3 Coles Liquor: 2022, Grape and Vine Sauvignon Blanc MELBOURNE VIC 83
 - 5/7 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, DBWS Sauvignon Blanc BILBUL NSW 83
 - 5/12 TOBIN WINES: 2022, TOBIN WINES CHARLOTTE SAUVIGNON BLANC BALLANDEAN QLD 83
 - 5/23 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, Deen De Bortoli Sauvignon Blanc BILBUL NSW **83**

- 5/19 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2022, Devil's Corner Sauvignon Blanc MILAWA VIC 82
- 5/22 Riversdale Estate: 2022, *Riversdale Estate Sauvignon Blanc* CAMBRIDGE TAS **82**
- 5/14 Borrello Vineyards: 2022, Borrello Vineyards Sauvignon Blanc MARGARET RIVER WA **80**

CLASS 6 - Semillon, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Super class to judge. Top wines had poise and look to have the ability to age well. Look forward to seeing some of these in years to come as many will age gracefully.

- G 6/12 De Iuliis Wines: 2023, De Iuliis Semillon Single Vineyard POKOLBIN NSW 96
- G 6/9 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2023, Tyrrell's HVD Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 95
- G 6/15 De Iuliis Wines: 2023, De Iuliis Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 95
- S 6/2 First Creek Wines: 2023, First Creek Single Vineyard Murphy Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 91
- S 6/6 Silkman Wines: 2023, Silkman Wines Reserve Semillon LORN NSW 90
- B 6/1 Krinklewood Estate Pty Ltd: 2023, Krinklewood Semillon BROKE NSW 89
- B 6/8 First Creek Wines: 2023, First Creek Winemaker's Reserve POKOLBIN NSW 89
- B 6/11 Silkman Wines: 2023, Silkman Wines Single Vineyard Blackberry Semillon LORN NSW 89
- B 6/3 Briar Ridge Vineyard: 2023, Briar Ridge Black Cluster Single Vineyard Semillon MOUNT VIEW NSW 87
- B 6/4 Briar Ridge Vineyard: 2023, Briar Ridge Dairy Hill Single Vineyard Semillon MOUNT VIEW NSW 87
- B 6/5 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2023, Tyrrell's Vat 1 Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 6/7 Brokenwood Wines: 2023, Brokenwood Hunter Valley Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 6/10 Agnew Wines: 2023, Audrey Wilkinson The Ridge POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 6/13 Agnew Wines: 2023, Audrey Wilkinson Marsh Estate POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 6/14 Brokenwood Wines: 2023, Brokenwood Oakey Creek Vineyard Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 6/16 Tulloch Wines: 2023, *Tulloch Hunter River White* POKOLBIN NSW 86

CLASS 7 - Semillon, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Solid group of wines. Some of these wines will have a long future in front of them. No medal wines had issues with green fruit and some grubby fermentations. Top wines not only have a long future in front of them, they are also great drinking now.

- G 7/17 Brokenwood Wines: 2022, Brokenwood 1899 Old Vines Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 95
- G 7/16 De Iuliis Wines: 2022, De Iuliis Single Vineyard Semillon Garden Vineyard POKOLBIN NSW 95
- S 7/13 McGuigan: 2022, McGuigan Bin 9000 Semillon BURONGA NSW 93
- S 7/10 Tempus Two: 2022, *Tempus Two Pewter Semillon* BURONGA NSW 90
- First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Single Vineyard Murphy Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 88
- 7/6 Silkman Wines: 2022, Silkman Wines Single Vineyard Blackberry Semillon LORN NSW 88

- B 7/7 First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Winemaker's Reserve Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 7/5 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2022, *Tyrrell's Stevens Semillon* POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 7/12 Agnew Wines: 2022, Audrey Wilkinson Marsh Estate Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 7/1 St Hugo: 2022, St Hugo Barossa Valley Semillon ROWLAND FLAT SA 85
- B 7/15 Agnew Wines: 2022, Audrey Wilkinson The Ridge Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 85
 - 7/3 Silkman Wines: 2022, Silkman Wines Reserve Semillon LORN NSW **84**
 - 7/8 Brokenwood Wines: 2022, Brokenwood Stanleigh Park Semillon POKOLBIN NSW **84**
 - 7/9 Glandore: 2022, Glandore Cellarhands Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 84
 - 7/11 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2022, Tyrrell's Vat 1 Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 84
 - 7/14 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2022, Mount Pleasant Single Vineyard Lovedale Semillon POKOLBIN NSW **84**
 - 7/18 Hollydene Estate: 2022, Hollydene Estate Reserve Semillon JERRYS PLAINS NSW **84**
 - 7/4 Coles Liquor: 2022, James Busby Hunter Valley Semillon MELBOURNE VIC 82

CLASS 8 - Semillon, 2021 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A superb class. Top award winners had freshness and poise and will live for many years to come. Non award winners were either too advanced or too phenolic.

- G 8/17 McGuigan: 2014, McGuigan Bin 9000 Semillon BURONGA NSW 96
- G 8/6 McGuigan: 2018, McGuigan Bin 9000 Semillon BURONGA NSW 95
- G 8/12 Brokenwood Wines: 2017, Brokenwood ILR Reserve Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 95
- S 8/10 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2017, Tyrrell's Belford Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 93
- S 8/18 Tempus Two: 2013, Tempus Two Pewter Semillon BURONGA NSW 92
- S 8/4 De Iuliis Wines: 2019, De Iuliis Single Vineyard Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 91
- S 8/5 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2018, Tyrrell's Stevens Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 91
- S 8/13 De Iuliis Wines: 2017, De Iuliis Semillon Single Vineyard POKOLBIN NSW 91
- S 8/16 Coolangatta Estate: 2016, Coolangatta Estate Semillon SHOALHAVEN HEADS NSW 91
- B 8/1 Agnew Wines: 2021, Audrey Wilkinson The Ridge POKOLBIN NSW 89
- B 8/2 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2021, Mount Peasant Single Vineyard Lovedale Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 89
- B 8/11 First Creek Wines: 2017, *First Creek Single Vineyard Murphy Semillon* POKOLBIN NSW 89
- B 8/9 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2017, Tyrrell's Vat 1 Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 8/3 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2019, Tyrrell's Pokolbin Hills Semillon POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 8/14 Coolangatta Estate: 2017, Coolangatta Estate Wollstonecraft Semillon SHOALHAVEN HEADS NSW 85
 - 8/7 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2018, Mount Pleasant Single Vineyard Lovedale Semillon POKOLBIN NSW **84**

- 8/15 Casella Family Brands: 2016, Margaret Semillon YENDA NSW 82
- 8/8 TOBIN WINES: 2018, *TOBIN WINES AGED ISABELLA* SEMILLON BALLANDEAN QLD **81**

CLASS 9 - Pinot Gris or Pinot Grigio, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Very underwhelming class. Oxidation and fermentation an issue with a lot of wines. Obviously a challenging year for this variety.

- B 9/5 Howard Vineyard: 2023, Howard Vineyard Pinot Gris NAIRNE SA 89
- B 9/1 Norfolk Rise Vineyard: 2023, Norfolk Rise Maritime Pinot Gris MOUNT BENSON SA 86
- B 9/7 Lobethal Road: 2023, Lobethal Road Pinot Gris MOUNT TORRENS SA 86
- B 9/4 Longview Vineyard: 2023, Queenie MACCLESFIELD SA 85
 - 9/2 Norfolk Rise Vineyard: 2023, *Norfolk Rise Estate Pinot Grigio* MOUNT BENSON SA **84**
 - 9/10 Trentham Estate: 2023, Trentham Estate Pinot Gris TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 84
 - 9/12 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2023, Nugan Estate Frasca's Lane Pinot Grigio WILLBRIGGIE NSW **84**
 - 9/13 Riversdale Estate: 2023, Riversdale Estate Pinot Gris CAMBRIDGE TAS **84**
 - 9/3 Bleasdale: 2023, Bleasdale Vineyards Adelaide Hills Pinot Gris LANGHORNE CREEK SA **83**
 - 9/6 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2023, Heirloom Adelaide Hills Pinot Grigio MCLAREN VALE SA **83**
 - 9/8 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2023, Patritti, Merchant Pinot Grigio DOVER GARDENS SA 83
 - 9/11 Wine By Sam: 2023, *The Victorian Pinot Gris* SEYMOUR VIC **83**
 - 9/9 Trentham Estate: 2023, *The Family Pinot Grigio* TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW **81**

CLASS 10 - Pinot Gris or Pinot Grigio, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Quite variable class, with many wines struggling with premature ageing, phenolics, and overall freshness. Top wines showed freshness and vitality with acid and phenolic balance.

- G 10/3 Landaire: 2022, Landaire Pinot Gris PADTHAWAY SA 95
- G 10/11 Rowlee Wines: 2022, *Rowlee Single Vineyard Pinot Gris* NASHDALE NSW 95
- \$ 10/18 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, *De Bortoli Blue Gris* BILBUL NSW 91
- **S** 10/1 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Eden Valley Pinot Grigio TANUNDA SA **90**
- B 10/17 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Origins Pinot Grigio MILAWA VIC 89
- B 10/4 Small Victories Wine Co: 2022, Small Victories Pinot Gris NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 10/5 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2022, Corryton Burge Pinot Gris TANUNDA SA 87
- B 10/10 Casella Family Brands: 2022, [yellow tail] Pinot Grigio YENDA NSW 87
- B 10/21 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Innocent Bystander Pinot Gris MILAWA VIC 87
- B 10/20 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, Yarra Valley Estate Vineyard Pinot Gris BILBUL NSW 86

- B 10/8 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, *DBWS Pinot Grigio* BILBUL NSW 85
 - 10/6 Zilzie Wines: 2022, Zilzie Wines Regional Collection Pinot Gris RED CLIFFS VIC 84
 - 10/14 Nashdale Lane Wines: 2022, Nashdale Lane Colour Series Pinot Gris ORANGE NSW 84
 - 10/16 Weathercraft Wine: 2022, Weathercraft Pinot Gris EVERTON UPPER VIC 84
 - 10/19 Clyde Park Vineyard: 2022, Clyde Park Estate Pinot Gris BANNOCKBURN VIC **84**
 - 10/22 Coles Liquor: 2022, Beyond the Wilderness Pinot Gris MELBOURNE VIC 84
 - 10/23 Bay of Fires Wines: 2022, Bay of Fires Pinot Gris PIPERS RIVER TAS **84**
 - 10/25 Coles Liquor: 2021, James Busby King Valley Pinot Grigio MELBOURNE VIC 84
 - 10/2 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2022, Thorn-Clarke Sandpiper Pinot Gris ANGASTON SA 83
 - 10/7 Taylors Wines: 2022, *Taylors Estate Pinot Gris* AUBURN SA 83
 - 10/9 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, *McWilliam's On the Grapevine Pinot Grigio* GRIFFITH NSW **83**
 - 10/13 Lowe Family Wine Co.: 2022, Lowe Wines Pinot Gris MUDGEE NSW 83
 - 10/15 Eden Road Wine Company Pty Ltd: 2022, The Long Road Pinot Gris MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 83
 - 10/12 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Pinnacle Pinot Gris ORANGE NSW 82
 - 10/24 Eddystone Point: 2022, Eddystone Point Pinot Gris PIPERS RIVER TAS **81**

CLASS 11 - Chardonnay, 2023 and 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Good class of one of the most improved varieties in the Australian Wine Industry. Best wines had balance and poise and weren't over swamped with oak. A range of styles rewarded.

- G 11/66 Silkman Wines: 2022, Silkman Wines Reserve Chardonnay LORN NSW 96
- G 11/28 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Rocket Chardonnay OAKBANK SA 96
- G 11/21 Sidewood Estate: 2022, Sidewood Mappinga Chardonnay OAKBANK SA 95
- G 11/22 Penfolds Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Penfolds Reserve Bin A Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 95
- G 11/39 Petaluma Wines: 2022, Petaluma Picadilly Valley Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA 95
- G 11/48 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2022, Bunnamagoo Paspaley Reserve Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 95
- G 11/67 First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Winemaker's Reserve Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 95
- G 11/96 Cherubino: 2022, Cherubino Dijon Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 95
- G 11/106 Stella Bella: 2022, Suckfizzle Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 95
- G 11/116 Deep Woods Estate: 2022, Deep Woods Estate Reserve Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 95
- G 11/135 Brokenwood Wines: 2022, Brokenwood Indigo Vineyard Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 95
- G 11/169 Penfolds Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Penfolds Bin 311 Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 95

- S 11/6 St Hugo: 2022, St Hugo Eden Valley Chardonnay ROWLAND FLAT SA 93
- S 11/32 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Tilbury Chardonnay OAKBANK SA 93
- S 11/122 Deep Woods Estate: 2022, Deep Woods Estate Single Vineyard Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 93
- S 11/125 Credaro Family Estate: 2022, Credaro 1000 Crowns Chardonnay CARBUNUP RIVER WA 93
- \$ 11/165 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2022, Devil's Corner Resolution Chardonnay MILAWA VIC 93
- \$ 11/26 Chain of Ponds: 2022, Chain of Ponds Corkscrew Road Chardonnay KENT TOWN SA 92
- S 11/56 Eastham Wines T/A Mayfield Vineyard: 2022, Mayfield Vineyard 'Block 14' Chardonnay ORANGE NSW 92
- S 11/100 Oakover Vineyards: 2022, Nikola Estate Regional Chardonnay PERTH WA 92
- S 11/145 Montalto: 2022, Montalto Chardonnay RED HILL SOUTH VIC 92
- S 11/5 Heggies Vineyard: 2022, Heggies Vineyard Estate Chardonnay ANGASTON SA 91
- S 11/34 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2022, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Single Vineyard 'Adelaide Hills' Chardonnay MCLAREN FLAT SA 91
- S 11/55 Canobolas Wines: 2022, Canobolas Wines Chardonnay LIDSTER NSW 91
- S 11/101 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2022, Hamelin Bay Wines Chardonnay KARRIDALE WA **91**
- S 11/153 SOUMAH: 2022, SOUMAH Equilibrio Chardonnay GRUYERE VIC 91
- S 11/18 Sidewood Estate: 2022, Sidewood Estate Chardonnay OAKBANK SA 90
- S 11/30 Orlando Wines: 2022, Orlando Lyndale Chardonnay ROWLAND FLAT SA 90
- S 11/41 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wolf Blass Grey Label Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 90
- S 11/46 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2022, Robert Stein Reserve Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 90
- S 11/53 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2022, Gilbert Chardonnay APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 90
- S 11/69 First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Single Vineyard Merton Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 90
- S 11/76 Tulloch Wines: 2022, Tulloch G Series G4 Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 90
- S 11/80 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 90
- S 11/114 Driftwood Estate: 2022, Driftwood Estate Single Site Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 90
- S 11/121 Abbey Vale Wines: 2022, Abbey Vale Premium RSV Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 90
- S 11/141 Merricks Estate: 2022, Merricks Estate Chardonnay MERRICKS VIC 90
- S 11/155 Medhurst Wines: 2022, Medhurst Estate Vineyard Chardonnay GRUYERE VIC 90
- S 11/168 Josef Chromy Wines: 2022, JOSEF CHROMY CHARDONNAY RELBIA TAS 90
- B 11/3 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Eden Valley Chardonnay TANUNDA SA 89
- B 11/17 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards Adelaide Hills Chardonnay LANGHORNE CREEK SA 89
- B 11/36 Saint & Scholar: 2022, Saint & Scholar With Honours Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 89

- B 11/64 Agnew Wines: 2022, Pooles Rock Premiere POKOLBIN NSW 89
- B 11/86 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, McWilliam's Single Vineyard Chardonnay GRIFFITH NSW 89
- B 11/12 Paragon Wine Estates: 2022, Chapel Hill The MV Gorge Block Chardonnay TANUNDA SA 88
- B 11/45 Lowe Family Wine Co.: 2022, *Lowe Wines Mudgee White* Gold MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 11/52 Rowlee Wines: 2022, Rowlee Single Vineyard Chardonnay NASHDALE NSW 88
- B 11/91 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Diamond Chardonnay MALAGA WA 88
- B 11/94 Cherubino: 2022, Cherubino Margaret River Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 88
- B 11/132 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Wildflower WA Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 11/148 Giant Steps Wine: 2022, Giant Steps Tarraford Vineyard Chardonnay HEALESVILLE VIC 88
- B 11/1 Trentham Estate: 2023, *River Retreat Chardonnay* TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 87
- B 11/16 Salena Estate Wines: 2022, ex-PRESS-ion Chardonnay BOOKPURNONG SA 87
- B 11/27 Lobethal Road: 2022, Lobethal Road Bacchant Chardonnay MOUNT TORRENS SA 87
- B 11/62 Dalwood Estate: 2022, Dalwood Estate Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 11/72 Agnew Wines: 2022, Audrey Wilkinson The Oakdale POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 11/81 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, Three Bridges Chardonnay GRIFFITH NSW 87
- B 11/82 Mercer Wines: 2022, Mercer Limited Release Chardonnay NORTH ROTHBURY NSW 87
- B 11/118 Evans & Tate: 2022, Evans & Tate Broadway Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 87
- B 11/126 Flying Fish Cove: 2022, Flying Fish Cove 2022 Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 87
- B 11/128 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Miamup Chardonnay SUBIACO WA 87
- B 11/133 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2022, Devils Lair Dance with the Devil Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 87
- B 11/149 Brokenwood Wines: 2022, Brokenwood Lillydale Vineyard Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 11/150 Giant Steps Wine: 2022, Giant Steps Applejack Vineyard Chardonnay HEALESVILLE VIC 87
- B 11/159 Lowestoft Estate: 2022, Lowestoft Chardonnay BERRIDALE TAS 87
- B 11/162 Coles Liquor: 2022, Beyond the Wilderness Chardonnay MELBOURNE VIC 87
- B 11/15 Jack Estate: 2022, Jack Estate Coonawarra Chardonnay COONAWARRA SA 86
- B 11/38 Orlando Wines: 2022, Orlando Hilary Chardonnay ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 11/58 Boydell's: 2022, Boydell's Reserve Chardonnay EAST GRESFORD NSW 86
- B 11/60 Winmark Wines: 2022, Winmark Rusty's Run BROKE NSW 86
- B 11/75 Tulloch Wines: 2022, *Tulloch Limited Release E.M. Chardonnay* POKOLBIN NSW **86**
- B 11/78 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines Canberra Chardonnay MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 86
- B 11/90 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Black Label Chardonnay MALAGA WA 86

- B 11/93 Xanadu Wines: 2022, Xanadu Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 86
- B 11/97 Credaro Family Estate: 2022, Credaro Kinship Chardonnay CARBUNUP RIVER WA 86
- B 11/99 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Chardonnay SUBIACO WA 86
- B 11/117 Fermoy Estate: 2022, Fermoy Reserve Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 86
- B 11/130 Flying Fish Cove: 2022, Flying Fish Cove Wildberry Reserve 2022 Chardonnay. WILYABRUP WA **86**
- B 11/138 Andrew Peace Wines: 2022, Andrew Peace Masterpeace Chardonnay PIANGIL VIC 86
- B 11/144 Paringa Estate [Aust] Pty Ltd: 2022, The Paringa Chardonnay RED HILL SOUTH VIC 86
- B 11/154 SOUMAH: 2022, SOUMAH Hexham Vineyard Chardonnay GRUYERE VIC 86
- B 11/7 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2022, Stonemason Chardonnay CURRENCY CREEK SA 85
- B 11/10 Sisters Run Wine Co: 2022, Sisters Run Sunday Slippers Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 11/11 Vok Beverages: 2022, Beresford Classic Chardonnay SALISBURY SOUTH SA 85
- B 11/24 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2022, Corryton Burge The Patroness Chardonnay TANUNDA SA 85
- B 11/25 Atlas Wines: 2022, Atlas Adelaide Hills Chardonnay CLARE SA 85
- B 11/40 Taylors Wines: 2022, *Taylors St Andrews Chardonnay* AUBURN SA **85**
- B 11/51 Eastham Wines T/A Mayfield Vineyard: 2022, Mayfield Vineyard "Thomas" Chardonnay ORANGE NSW 85
- B 11/68 Briar Ridge Vineyard: 2022, Briar Ridge Briar Hill Single Vineyard Chardonnay MOUNT VIEW NSW 85
- B 11/83 Eden Road Wine Company Pty Ltd: 2022, Eden Road Tumbarumba Chardonnay MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 85
- B 11/102 Brookland Valley: 2022, Brookland Valley Estate Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 85
- B 11/103 Brown Hill Estate: 2022, Brown Hill Estate Golden Horseshoe Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 85
- B 11/108 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Yelverton Reserve Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 85
- B 11/109 Wise Wine: 2022, Wise Wine "Eagle Bay" Chardonnay EAGLE BAY WA 85
- B 11/110 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2022, *Devil's Lair Chardonnay* NURIOOTPA SA **85**
- B 11/112 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Finisterre Margaret River Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 85
- B 11/119 Stella Bella: 2022, *Stella Bella Chardonnay* MARGARET RIVER WA 85
- B 11/143 Paringa Estate [Aust] Pty Ltd: 2022, Estate Chardonnay RED HILL SOUTH VIC 85
- B 11/147 Stonier Wines: 2022, Stonier Reserve Chardonnay MERRICKS VIC 85
- B 11/160 Kreglinger Wine Estates: 2022, Pipers Brook Chardonnay PIPERS BROOK TAS 85
- B 11/166 Lost Farm Wines: 2022, *Lost Farm* HAZELWOOD PARK SA 85
 - 11/14 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Barrelman Chardonnay YENDA NSW 84
 - 11/19 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, The Lane Vinyeard Beginning Chardonnay HAHNDORF SA **84**
 - 11/20 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Chardonnay ADELAIDE SA **84**

- 11/23 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, The Lane Vineyard Chardonnay HAHNDORF SA **84**
- 11/29 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2022, Patritti Merchant Chardonnay DOVER GARDENS SA **84**
- 11/31 Tomich Wines: 2022, Tomich Woodside Vineyard Chardonnay UNLEY SA **84**
- 11/44 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, *DBWS Chardonnay* BILBUL NSW 84
- 11/47 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2022, Bunnamagoo Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 84
- 11/57 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Eastern View Chardonnay ORANGE NSW 84
- 11/59 Winmark Wines: 2022, Winmark Expressions BROKE NSW 84
- 11/71 Gartelmann Wines: 2022, Gartelmann Lisa Reserve Chardonnay LOVEDALE NSW **84**
- 11/73 De Iuliis Wines: 2022, De Iuliis Limited Release Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW **84**
- 11/77 Hollydene Estate: 2022, Hollydene Estate Show Reserve Chardonnay JERRYS PLAINS NSW **84**
- 11/84 Moppity Vineyards: 2022, Moppity Vineyards Lock & Key Chardonnay YOUNG NSW **84**
- 11/88 Millbrook Winery: 2022, Millbrook Single Vineyard Chardonnay JARRAHDALE WA **84**
- 11/89 Willow Bridge Estate: 2022, Willow Bridge G1-10 Chardonnay HENTY WA **84**
- 11/98 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 11/107 Fermoy Estate: 2022, Fermoy Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 84
- 11/127 Swings & Roundabouts: 2022, Swings & Roundabouts Backyard Stories Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 11/131 Hardys: 2022, Hardys HRB Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA 84
- 11/134 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2022, Tahbilk Chardonnay NAGAMBIE VIC 84
- 11/136 Gapsted Estate: 2022, High Country Chardonnay GAPSTED VIC 84
- 11/139 Oakdene Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Oakdene Single Vineyard Liz's Chardonnay WALLINGTON VIC **84**
- 11/142 Montalto: 2022, Montalto Pennon Hill Chardonnay RED HILL SOUTH VIC **84**
- 11/151 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, *Riorret Eastern Ridge Chardonnay* BILBUL NSW **84**
- 11/156 Punt Road Wines: 2022, *Of Light + Shadow Chardonnay* COLDSTREAM VIC **84**
- 11/157 Helen's Hill Vineyard: 2022, Helen's Hill Breachley Block Chardonnay LILYDALE VIC **84**
- 11/167 Hardys: 2022, Hardys Eileen Hardy Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 11/13 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Blockers Chardonnay YENDA NSW 83
- 11/43 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sacred Hill Chardonnay BILBUL NSW 83
- 11/49 Vinifera Wines: 2022, Vinifera Organic Reserve Chardonnay BOMBIRA NSW **83**
- 11/54 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Ridge of Tears Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 83
- 11/65 Latitude 32 Wines: 2022, Latitude 32 2022 Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW **83**
- 11/74 McGuigan: 2022, McGuigan Personal Reserve Hunter Ridge Chardonnay BURONGA NSW **83**

- 11/85 Moppity Vineyards: 2022, Moppity Vineyards Estate Chardonnay YOUNG NSW 83
- 11/87 TOBIN WINES: 2022, TOBIN WINES LILY CHARDONNAY BALLANDEAN QLD 83
- 11/95 Borrello Vineyards: 2022, Borrello Vineyards Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 83
- 11/105 Xanadu Wines: 2022, Xanadu Reserve Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA **83**
- 11/137 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Origins Chardonnay MILAWA VIC 83
- 11/152 Punt Road Wines: 2022, Punt Road Chardonnay COLDSTREAM VIC 83
- 11/158 Glenlofty Estate: 2022, Glenlofty Estate Chardonnay GLENLOFTY VIC 83
- 11/163 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, *Distant South Tasmanian Chardonnay* TANUNDA SA **83**
- 11/4 Eden Hall Wines: 2022, Eden Hall Chardonnay NORTH ADELAIDE SA 82
- 11/35 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2022, Heirloom Assens Fortalice Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA **82**
- 11/37 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, C. J. Wicks Chardonnay ADELAIDE SA 82
- 11/42 Trentham Estate: 2022, Trentham Estate Chardonnay TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 82
- 11/50 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Pinnacle Chardonnay ORANGE NSW 82
- 11/61 Krinklewood Estate Pty Ltd: 2022, Krinklewood Basket Press Chardonnay BROKE NSW **82**
- 11/63 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2022, Tyrrell's Belford Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW **82**
- 11/79 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines Tumbarumba Chardonnay MURRUMBATEMAN NSW **82**
- 11/92 Windance Estate: 2022, Windance Estate Glen Valley Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 82
- 11/104 Lenton Brae: 2022, Lenton Brae Wilyabrup Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA **82**
- 11/120 Rosily Vineyard: 2022, Rosily Vineyard Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA 82
- 11/123 Stormflower Vineyard: 2022, Stormflower 2022 Chardonnay WILYABRUP WA **82**
- 11/124 Capel Vale Wines: 2022, Capel Vale Black Label Chardonnay CAPEL WA **82**
- 11/140 Jack Rabbit Vineyard: 2022, Jack Rabbit Vineyard Chardonnay BELLARINE VIC 82
- 11/146 Joval Family Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Tar&Roses Chardonnay NAGAMBIE VIC 82
- 11/161 Eddystone Point: 2022, Eddystone Point Chardonnay PIPERS RIVER TAS 82
- 11/33 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Macclesfield Chardonnay MACCLESFIELD SA 81
- 11/70 Tempus Two: 2022, Tempus Two Pewter Chardonnay BURONGA NSW **81**
- 11/129 Capel Vale Wines: 2022, Capel Vale Regional Chardonnay CAPEL WA **81**
- 11/164 Bay of Fires Wines: 2022, Bay of Fires Chardonnay PIPERS RIVER TAS **80**

CLASS 12 - Chardonnay, 2021

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A lovely Chardonnay year, the top wines with balance of fruit and winemaking.

- G 12/36 Evans & Tate: 2021, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 97
- G 12/6 Landaire: 2021, Landaire Chardonnay PADTHAWAY SA 95
- G 12/13 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2021, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Single Vineyard 'Adelaide Hills' Chardonnay MCLAREN FLAT SA 95
- G 12/50 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2021,2021 Handpicked Wines Collection Tasmania Chardonnay SYDNEY NSW 95
- S 12/4 Heggies Vineyard: 2021, Heggies Vineyard Estate Reserve Chardonnay ANGASTON SA 93
- \$ 12/32 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2021, Robert Oatley The Pennant Margaret River Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 93
- S 12/30 Xanadu Wines: 2021, Xanadu Reserve Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 91
- S 12/47 Seville Estate (Aust) Pty Ltd: 2021, Seville Estate Reserve Chardonnay SEVILLE VIC 91
- B 12/12 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2021, Corryton Burge The Patroness Chardonnay TANUNDA SA 89
- B 12/28 Millbrook Winery: 2021, Millbrook Single Vineyard Chardonnay JARRAHDALE WA 89
- B 12/45 Santolin Wines: 2021, Santolin Gladysdale Chardonnay CHIRNSIDE PARK VIC 89
- B 12/3 Heggies Vineyard: 2021, Heggies Vineyard Estate Chardonnay ANGASTON SA 88
- B 12/35 Evans & Tate: 2021, Evans & Tate Redbrook Reserve Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 12/8 Nepenthe: 2021, Nepenthe Pinnacle Chardonnay BURONGA NSW 87
- B 12/49 Seville Estate (Aust) Pty Ltd: 2021, Seville Estate Chardonnay SEVILLE VIC 87
- B 12/54 Lowestoft Estate: 2021, Lowestoft Chardonnay BERRIDALE TAS 87
- B 12/10 Orlando Wines: 2021, Orlando Lyndale Chardonnay ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 12/11 Sidewood Estate: 2021, Sidewood Mappinga Chardonnay OAKBANK SA 86
- B 12/27 Zein Estate: 2021, Zein Estate Chardonnay 2021 BROOKHAMPTON WA 86
- B 12/29 Juniper: 2021, Juniper Cornerstone Karridale Chardonnay COWARAMUP WA 86
- B 12/31 Xanadu Wines: 2021, Xanadu Stevens Road Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 86
- B 12/38 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2021, Robert Oatley Finisterre Margaret River Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 86
- B 12/51 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2021, Brown Brothers Patricia Chardonnay MILAWA VIC 86
- B 12/52 Riversdale Estate: 2021, *Riversdale Estate Chardonnay* CAMBRIDGE TAS **86**
- B 12/53 Lowestoft Estate: 2021, Lowestoft La Meilleure Chardonnay BERRIDALE TAS 86
- B 12/9 Orlando Wines: 2021, Orlando Hilary Chardonnay ROWLAND FLAT SA 85
- B 12/14 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Grey Label Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA 85
- B 12/21 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2021, *Gilbert Chardonnay Nashdale* APPLE TREE FLAT NSW **85**
- B 12/22 Winmark Wines: 2021, Winmark Single Vineyard Reserve BROKE NSW 85

- B 12/40 Weathercraft Wine: 2021, Weathercraft Estate Chardonnay 2nd Bottling EVERTON UPPER VIC 85
- B 12/43 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2021, Handpicked Wines Capella Vineyard Mornington Peninsula Chardonnay SYDNEY NSW 85
 - 12/5 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Chapel Hill Small Batch #9 Organic Chardonnay TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 12/15 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Gold Label Regional Reserve Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA **84**
 - 12/18 Colmar Estate: 2021, Colmar Estate Block 2 Chardonnay ORANGE NSW **84**
 - 12/19 Colmar Estate: 2021, Colmar Estate Reserve Chardonnay ORANGE NSW **84**
 - 12/20 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Ridge of Tears Chardonnay MUDGEE NSW 84
 - 12/23 Winmark Wines: 2021, Winmark Expressions BROKE NSW 84
- 12/33 Brown Hill Estate: 2021, Brown Hill Estate Golden Horseshoe Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA **84**
- 12/34 Juniper: 2021, Juniper Cornerstone Wilyabrup Chardonnay COWARAMUP WA **84**
- 12/39 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2021, Devils Lair 9th Chamber Chardonnay NURIOOTPA SA **84**
- 12/41 Yes Said the Seal: 2021, Yes said the Seal Chardonnay WALLINGTON VIC 84
- 12/42 Leura Park Estate Vineyard: 2021, Leura Park Estate Chardonnay CURLEWIS VIC **84**
- 12/44 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Yarra Valley Single Vineyard A7 Chardonnay BILBUL NSW **84**
- 12/55 Riversdale Estate: 2021, Riversdale Estate Crater Chardonnay CAMBRIDGE TAS **84**
- 12/17 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2021, Deen De Bortoli Chardonnay BILBUL NSW 83
- 12/24 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2021, Tyrrell's Belford Chardonnay POKOLBIN NSW **83**
- 12/25 Cassegrain Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Cassegrain Reserve Fromenteau Chardonnay PORT MACQUARIE NSW 83
- 12/26 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2021, Regional Classic Tumbarumba Chardonnay BILBUL NSW **83**
- 12/37 Simpson Estate: 2021, Simpson Estate 'Elaine' Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA **83**
- 12/46 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Innocent Bystander Chardonnay MILAWA VIC 83
- 12/7 Big Easy Radio: 2021, Big Easy Radio Road Trip Chardonnay ALDINGA BEACH SA **82**
- 12/16 Peter Teakle Wines: 2021, Peter Teakle Wines Estate Chardonnay PORT LINCOLN SA **82**
- 12/48 Snobs Creek vineyard and winery: 2021, Snobs Creek Cordwainer TOOLLEEN VIC **80**

CLASS 13 - Chardonnay, 2020 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A small class of wines. Top wines showed freshness and complexity with good acidity. Other wines looking a bit tired and forward.

- G 13/2 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Redbrook Reserve Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 95
- S 13/3 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Chardonnay MARGARET RIVER WA 90
- S 13/6 Simpson Estate: 2019, Simpson Estate 'Elaine' Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 90
- B 13/1 Simpson Estate: 2020, Simpson Estate 'Elaine' Chardonnay YALLINGUP WA 88
 - 13/5 McGuigan: 2019, McGuigan Personal Reserve Chardonnay BURONGA NSW 84
 - 13/4 Coles Liquor: 2020, James Busby Yarra Valley Chardonnay MELBOURNE VIC 83

CLASS 14 - Other White varietal wines, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Interesting to class to judge, however bit too early at present, but top wine shows lovely pithiness and varietal characters.

- G 14/10 Small Victories Wine Co: 2023, Small Victories Vermentino NURIOOTPA SA 95
- B 14/8 Boydell's: 2023, *Boydell's Verdelho* EAST GRESFORD NSW 87
- B 14/11 Trentham Estate: 2023, The Family Vermentino TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 87
- B 14/4 Hungerford Hill: 2023, Hungerford Hill Fiano POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 14/5 Berrigan Wines: 2023, Berrigan Wines Grüner Veltliner NAIRNE SA 86
- B 14/7 Cassegrain Wines Pty Ltd: 2023, Cassegrain White Label Verdelho PORT MACQUARIE NSW 85
- B 14/9 Tulloch Wines: 2023, Tulloch Vineyard Selection Verdelho POKOLBIN NSW 85
 - 14/1 Sittella Wines: 2023, Avant Garde Albarino HERNE HILL WA **84**
 - 14/2 Oakover Vineyards: 2023, *Nikola Estate Chenin Blanc* PERTH WA **84**
 - 14/3 Serafino Wines: 2023, *Serafino Bellissimo Fiano* MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 14/12 Tulloch Wines: 2023, Tulloch Cellar Door Release Vermentino POKOLBIN NSW **84**
 - 14/6 Mercer Wines: 2023, *Mercer Picpoul Blanc* NORTH ROTHBURY NSW **83**
 - 14/13 Mercer Wines: 2023, Mercer Vermentino NORTH ROTHBURY NSW **81**

CLASS 15 - Other White varietal wines, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Growing in interest and quality, many nice examples showing the potential of exploring other varieties.

- G 15/25 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Macclesfield Gruner Veltliner MACCLESFIELD SA 95
- G 15/42 Mount Avoca Vineyards: 2022, Mount Avoca Estate Organic Viognier AVOCA VIC 95
- G 15/46 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2021, Tahbilk Marsanne NAGAMBIE VIC 95
- \$ 15/37 P&A FIUMARA & SONS PTY LTD: 2022, Lillypilly Vermentino LEETON NSW 92
- S 15/47 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2019, Tahbilk Marsanne NAGAMBIE VIC 92
- B 15/3 New Era Vineyards: 2022, New Era Vineyards Arneis WATTLE PARK SA 89

- B 15/5 Rowlee Wines: 2022, Rowlee Single Vineyard Arneis NASHDALE NSW 89
- B 15/6 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Arneis BILBUL NSW 89
- B 15/7 Millbrook Winery: 2022, Millbrook Regional Chenin Blanc JARRAHDALE WA 89
- B 15/11 Cherubino: 2022, Laissez Faire Frankland River Fiano WILYABRUP WA 89
- B 15/17 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, Vinoque Blanc de Terra BILBUL NSW 89
- B 15/20 Eden Hall Wines: 2022, Eden Hall Gruner Veltliner NORTH ADELAIDE SA 89
- B 15/21 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2022, Hahndorf Hill Gru Gruner Veltliner HAHNDORF SA 89
- B 15/22 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2022, Hahndorf Hill White Mischief Gruner Veltliner HAHNDORF SA 89
- B 15/45 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2022, Tahbilk Marsanne NAGAMBIE VIC 89
- B 15/1 Nepenthe: 2022, Nepenthe Pinnacle Albarino BURONGA NSW 88
- B 15/33 Trentham Estate: 2022, Trentham Cellar Reserve Verdejo TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 88
- B 15/35 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2022, Patritti Merchant Vermentino DOVER GARDENS SA 88
- B 15/43 Yalumba Wines: 2021, Yalumba Samuel's Collection Eden Valley Viognier ANGASTON SA 88
- B 15/2 Artwine: 2022, Artwine, Spanish Queen Albarino Reserva WOODSIDE SA 87
- B 15/8 Lenton Brae: 2022, Lenton Brae In Good Hands Chenin Blanc WILYABRUP WA 87
- B 15/18 Gapsted Estate: 2022, Secret Harvest Grand Manseng GAPSTED VIC 87
- B 15/9 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, Ricca Terra Fiano ANGASTON SA 86
- B 15/12 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Fiano BILBUL NSW 86
- B 15/19 Stage Door Wine Co: 2022, Stage Door Wine Co Gruner Veltliner HENLEY BEACH SA 86
- B 15/23 Artwine: 2022, Artwine In The Groove, Gruner Veltliner WOODSIDE SA 86
- B 15/26 Silkman Wines: 2022, Silkman Wines Estate Gruner Veltliner LORN NSW 86
- B 15/4 Nepenthe: 2022, Nepenthe Pinnacle Arneis BURONGA NSW 85
- B 15/10 Zilzie Wines: 2022, Platinum Edition Fiano RED CLIFFS VIC 85
- B 15/16 Santolin Wines: 2021, Santolin 'Cosa Nostra' Fiano CHIRNSIDE PARK VIC 85
- B 15/28 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2022, Paracombe Pinot Blanc PARACOMBE SA 85
- B 15/29 Lenton Brae: 2022, Lenton Brae Pinot Blanc WILYABRUP WA 85
- B 15/30 De Beaurepaire Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, *De Beaurepaire Patte Bleu Pinot Gris* RYLSTONE NSW **85**
- B 15/34 Paragon Wine Estates: 2022, Chapel Hill Small Batch #5 Fleurieu Vermentino TANUNDA SA 85
- B 15/38 First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Limited Release Vermentino POKOLBIN NSW 85
- B 15/40 Sevenhill Cellars: 2022, Sevenhill Spire's Lament Viognier SEVENHILL SA 85
- B 15/48 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2016, *1927 Vines Marsanne* NAGAMBIE VIC 85

- 15/24 Pernod Ricard Winemakers: 2022, Aces & Arrows Gruner Veltliner ROWLAND FLAT SA **84**
- 15/27 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, *The Lane Vineyard Provenance Pinot Blanc* HAHNDORF SA **84**
- 15/41 Yalumba Wines: 2022, Yalumba Y Series Viognier ANGASTON SA 84
- 15/44 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill Spire's Lament Viognier SEVENHILL SA **84**
- 15/13 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, De Bortoli Ti Amo Fiano BILBUL NSW 83
- 15/15 Sutton Grange Winery: 2021, Sutton Grange Winery Estate Fiano SUTTON GRANGE VIC 83
- 15/31 George's Folly Wines: 2021, George's Folly "Off with the Fairies" Roussanne CURRENCY CREEK SA 83
- 15/36 Pernod Ricard Winemakers: 2022, Aces & Arrows Vermentino ROWLAND FLAT SA 83
- 15/14 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Origins Fiano MILAWA VIC 82
- 15/32 Golding Wines: 2022, Golding La Francesa Savagnin LOBETHAL SA 82
- 15/39 Balgownie Estate: 2022, Balgownie Estate Viognier MAIDEN GULLY VIC **82**

CLASS 16 - White blends, 2023

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Disappointing class of commercially sound wines, but none had the quality to get higher than a bronze.

- B 16/4 Swings & Roundabouts: 2023, Swings & Roundabouts Sauvignon Blanc Semillon YALLINGUP WA 89
- B 16/10 Forester Winery: 2023, Forester Estate Lifestyle Semillon Sauvignon Blanc YALLINGUP WA 88
- B 16/5 Brown Hill Estate: 2023, Brown Hill Estate Lakeview Sauvignon Blanc Semillon MARGARET RIVER WA 87
- B 16/6 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2023, Bunnamagoo Mount Lawson Semillon Sauvignon Blanc MUDGEE NSW 87
- B 16/9 Stella Bella: 2023, Stella Bella Semillon Sauvignon Blanc MARGARET RIVER WA 87
 - 16/1 Willow Bridge Estate: 2023, Willow Bridge Estate Dragonfly Sauvignon Blanc Semillon HENTY WA **84**
 - 16/2 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2023, Nugan Estate Cookoothama Sauvignon Blanc Semillon WILLBRIGGIE NSW 84
 - 16/8 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2023, Hamelin Bay Wines Semillon Sauvignon Blanc KARRIDALE WA **84**
 - 16/3 Stella Bella: 2023, Skuttlebutt Sauvignon Blanc Semillon MARGARET RIVER WA 83
 - 16/7 Rosily Vineyard: 2023, Rosily Vineyard Semillon / Sauvignon Blanc WILYABRUP WA **83**

CLASS 17 - White blends, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Top wines were expressive representations of their style. Some careful use of oak, sulfides and solids across the wines that added interest and texture. Top wine a lovely expression of the wine style.

- G 17/3 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Shelley's Block BILBUL NSW 95
- S 17/11 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Miamup Sauvignon Blanc Semillon SUBIACO WA 93
- **S** 17/7 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2022, *Gilbert Blanc* APPLE TREE FLAT NSW **92**
- S 17/2 Turkey Flat Vineyards: 2022, Turkey Flat Barossa Valley White TANUNDA SA 90

- S 17/5 Glenlofty Estate: 2021, Glenlofty Estate Rousanne Marsanne GLENLOFTY VIC 90
- B 17/8 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, *Ricca Terra Bronco Buster* ANGASTON SA 89
- B 17/15 Brown Hill Estate: 2022, Brown Hill Estate Lakeview Sauvignon Blanc Semillon MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 17/12 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, The Lane Vineyard Gathering Sauvignon Blanc Semillion HAHNDORF SA 87
- B 17/18 Deep Woods Estate: 2022, Deep Woods Ivory Semillon Sauvignon Blanc YALLINGUP WA 87
- B 17/16 Abbey Vale Wines: 2022, Abbey Vale Premium RSV Semillon Sauvignon Blanc YALLINGUP WA 86
- B 17/1 Weathercraft Wine: 2022, Amphora Blanco EVERTON UPPER VIC 85
- B 17/19 Juniper: 2022, Juniper Crossing Original White COWARAMUP WA 85
- B 17/20 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2022, Devil's Lair Margaret River The Hidden Cave NURIOOTPA SA 85
 - 17/4 DB Production: 2022, Renaissance Viognier Rousanne Marsanne BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 17/6 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Down the Lane Pinot Grigio Arneis BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 17/9 Evans & Tate: 2022, Evans & Tate E&T Dry White MARGARET RIVER WA **84**
 - 17/13 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Signature Series Margaret River Sauvignon Blanc Semillon MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 17/14 Willow Bridge Estate: 2022, *Willow Bridge Estate Bookends* HENTY WA **84**
 - 17/10 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2021, Paracombe Grüner V5 PARACOMBE SA 83
 - 17/17 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sacred Hill Semillon Sauvignon Blanc BILBUL NSW **83**

CLASS 18 - Sweet White wine, 2023 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A solid class with many awards being given but highlights were few. The two golds were much discussed on the top award, but in the end a classical botrytis semillon won out over a fresher vibrant style.

- G 18/18 De Bortoli Wines: 2018, Deen De Bortoli Botrytis Semillon BILBUL NSW 95
- G 18/12 P&A FIUMARA & SONS PTY LTD: 2021, Lillypilly Noble Blend LEETON NSW 95
- S 18/8 Pressing Matters: 2021, Pressing Matters R69 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 92
- S 18/11 Brown Family Wine Group: 2019, Brown Brothers Patricia Noble Riesling MILAWA VIC 91
- \$ 18/15 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Noble One BILBUL NSW 91
- S 18/17 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2020, Nugan Estate Cookoothama Botrytis Semillon WILLBRIGGIE NSW 90
- B 18/10 Pressing Matters: 2020, Pressing Matters R139 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 89
- B 18/16 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, Noble One BILBUL NSW 89
- B 18/3 Paulett Wines: 2023, Pauletts Missy Riesling SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 88
- B 18/4 Eden Hall Wines: 2022, Eden Hall "Opulence" Riesling NORTH ADELAIDE SA 88
- B 18/6 Pressing Matters: 2021, Pressing Matters R139 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 88
- B 18/5 Pewsey Vale Vineyard: 2022, *Pewsey Vale Vineyard Lighter Riesling* ANGASTON SA **87**
- B 18/9 Pressing Matters: 2020 ,Pressing Matters R69 Riesling TEA TREE TAS 87

- B 18/1 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sacred Hill Moscato BILBUL NSW 85
- B 18/7 Riversdale Estate: 2021, Riversdale Estate Pictor Winter Harvest Riesling CAMBRIDGE TAS 85
- B 18/13 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2022, Bunnamagoo Autumn Semillon MUDGEE NSW 85
 - 18/14 Centennial Vineyards: 2021, Centennial Vineyards 2021 Late Autumn Semillon BOWRAL NSW **84**
 - 18/19 Trentham Estate: 2015, Trentham Reserve Noble Taminga TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 84
 - 18/2 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sacred Hill Traminer Riesling BILBUL NSW **83**

ROSÉ CLASS

CLASS 19 - Rosé, any variety or blend of varieties, any style, 2023 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A range of styles, best wines showing freshness and texture.

- G 19/24 Howard Park Wines: 2023, Howard Park Miamup Rosé SUBIACO WA 95
- S 19/37 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Black Label Rosé MALAGA WA 92
- S 19/41 Jacob's Creek: 2022, Jacob's Creek Le Petit Rosé ROWLAND FLAT SA 92
- S 19/16 Lobethal Road: 2023, Lobethal Road Pinot Noir Rosé MOUNT TORRENS SA 91
- S 19/30 Cherubino: 2022, Cherubino Margaret River Grenache Rose WILYABRUP WA 90
- S 19/46 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, *Ricca Terra Colour of Calmness* ANGASTON SA 90
- B 19/52 Borrello Vineyards: 2022, Borrello Vineyards Tempranillo Rose`MARGARET RIVER WA 89
- B 19/32 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Florette Rose TANUNDA SA 88
- B 19/1 Howard Vineyard: 2023, Howard Vineyard Cabernet Franc Rose NAIRNE SA 87
- B 19/6 Casella Family Brands: 2023, Portrait Grenache Rose YENDA NSW 87
- B 19/10 Whistler Wines: 2023, Whistler 'Dry as a Bone' Rose STONE WELL SA 87
- B 19/33 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Juno Rosato MACCLESFIELD SA 87
- B 19/42 Jacob's Creek: 2022, Barosé ROWLAND FLAT SA 87
- B 19/44 Coles Liquor: 2022, Grape and Vine Rose MELBOURNE VIC 87
- B 19/51 Sutton Grange Winery: 2022, Fairbank Rose SUTTON GRANGE VIC 87
- B 19/15 Millon Wines: 2023, *The Impressionist Rosé* PEWSEY VALE SA 86
- B 19/31 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2022, Tahbilk Rose NAGAMBIE VIC 86
- B 19/35 Taylors Wines: 2022, Taylors Taylor Made Pinot Noir Rosé AUBURN SA 86
- B 19/36 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Innocent Bystander Rose MILAWA VIC 86
- B 19/4 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2023, Hamelin Bay Wines Special Release Grenache Rose KARRIDALE WA 85
- B 19/7 Small Victories Wine Co: 2023, Small Victories Rose NURIOOTPA SA 85
- B 19/13 Abbey Vale Wines: 2023, Abbey Vale Premium RSV Rose YALLINGUP WA 85

- B 19/18 Paulett Wines: 2023, Pauletts Sangiovese Rose SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 85
- B 19/19 Trentham Estate: 2023, The Family Sangiovese Rose TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 85
- B 19/22 Capel Vale Wines: 2023, Capel Vale Debut Rose CAPEL WA 85
- B 19/29 Dandelion Vineyards: 2022, Dandelion Vineyards Fairytale of the Barossa Rose MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 19/34 Grove Estate Wines: 2022, Grove Estate Al Dente Rose YOUNG NSW 85
- B 19/38 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Eden Valley Pinot Noir Rose TANUNDA SA 85
- B 19/39 Nepenthe: 2022, Nepenthe Altitude Rose BURONGA NSW 85
- B 19/50 Deep Woods Estate: 2022, Deep Woods Estate Harmony Rose YALLINGUP WA 85
 - 19/2 Bleasdale: 2023, Bleasdale Vineyards Rose LANGHORNE CREEK SA 84
 - 19/9 Capel Vale Wines: 2023, Capel Vale Regional Malbec Rose CAPEL WA **84**
- 19/14 De Bortoli Wines: 2023, *Vinoque Nebbiolo Rose* BILBUL NSW **84**
- 19/17 Joval Family Wines Pty Ltd: 2023, Tar&Roses Rose Mediterraneo NAGAMBIE VIC **84**
- 19/28 SOUMAH: 2022, Ai Fiori Rosato d'Soumah GRUYERE VIC 84
- 19/43 Yalumba Wines: 2022, *Wildly Organic Rose* ANGASTON SA 84
- 19/47 Wollombi Wines: 2022, Wollombi Wines Rose WOLLOMBI NSW 84
- 19/5 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2023, *Patritti Marion Rose* DOVER GARDENS SA **83**
- 19/11 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2023, Bunnamagoo Rose MUDGEE NSW 83
- 19/12 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2023, Bunnamagoo Mount Lawson Rose MUDGEE NSW 83
- 19/23 Peter Teakle Wines: 2023, Peter Teakle Wines Estate Rosé PORT LINCOLN SA 83
- 19/25 Riversdale Estate: 2023, Riversdale Estate Rosé CAMBRIDGE TAS **83**
- 19/26 Smallwater Estate: 2023, Smallwater Estate Roze NEWLANDS WA **83**
- 19/45 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Pinot Rose ADELAIDE SA 83
- 19/40 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2022, Once & Well Frankie's Garden Margaret River Rose TANUNDA SA **82**
- 19/48 Casella Family Brands: 2022, [yellow tail] Rose YENDA NSW 82
- 19/49 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Origins Series Dry Rose MILAWA VIC **81**
- 19/53 Coles Liquor: 2021, Golden Mile Rose MELBOURNE VIC 81

RED WINE CLASSES

CLASS 20 - Pinot Noir, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Some lovely wines, looking like a strong vintage across regions. Top wines complex and varietal.

- G 20/49 Montalto: 2022, Montalto Pennon Hill Pinot Noir RED HILL SOUTH VIC 96
- G 20/60 Giant Steps Wine: 2022, Giant Steps Applejack Vineyard Pinot Noir HEALESVILLE VIC 96
- G 20/1 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Apollo Pinot Noir OAKBANK SA 95
- G 20/55 Giant Steps Wine: 2022, Giant Steps Primavera Vineyard Pinot Noir HEALESVILLE VIC 95
- S 20/17 Michael Hall Wines: 2022, Michael Hall Adelaide Hills Pinot Noir, Piccadilly TANUNDA SA 94
- S 20/5 Simon Tolley Wines: 2022, Simon Tolley 'Perfectus' Pinot Noir WOODSIDE SA 93
- S 20/10 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2022, Heirloom Alcazar Castle Pinot Noir MCLAREN VALE SA 93
- \$ 20/36 Oakdene Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Oakdene Single Vineyard Peta's Pinot Noir 2022 WALLINGTON VIC **93**
- S 20/41 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2022, Handpicked Wines Collection Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir SYDNEY NSW 93
- **S** 20/75 Lowestoft Estate: 2022, Lowestoft Single Vineyard Glengarry Pinot Noir BERRIDALE TAS **93**
- S 20/16 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Pinot Noir ADELAIDE SA 92
- S 20/7 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, C. J. Wicks Pinot Noir ADELAIDE SA 91
- S 20/12 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2022, Paracombe Pinot Noir PARACOMBE SA 91
- S 20/39 Kyneton Ridge: 2022, *Kyneton Ridge Skipping Rabbit Pinot* Noir KYNETON VIC **91**
- S 20/58 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Innocent Bystander Mea Culpa Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC **91**
- S 20/8 Artwine: 2022, Artwine, Saint Vincent Pinot Noir WOODSIDE SA 90
- S 20/11 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Phaeton Pinot Noir OAKBANK SA 90
- S 20/14 Barristers Block Premium Wines: 2022, Barristers Block Beau Pinot Noir WOODSIDE SA 90
- S 20/25 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, *Logan Pinot Noir* MUDGEE NSW 90
- S 20/31 Wignalls Wines: 2022, Wignalls Pinot Noir ALBANY WA 90
- S 20/54 Medhurst Wines: 2022, Medhurst Estate Vineyard Pinot Noir GRUYERE VIC 90
- S 20/57 Punt Road Wines: 2022, Punt Road Pinot Noir COLDSTREAM VIC 90
- S 20/65 Lowestoft Estate: 2022, Lowestoft Single Vineyard Jacoben Pinot Noir BERRIDALE TAS 90
- S 20/68 Bream Creek Vineyard: 2022, Bream Creek Vineyard Pinot Noir CAMBRIDGE TAS 90
- S 20/72 Meadowbank: 2022, 7140 MEADOWBANK TAS 90
- B 20/2 Sidewood Estate: 2022, Sidewood Estate Pinot Noir OAKBANK SA 89
- B 20/4 Chain of Ponds: 2022, Chain of Ponds Morning Star Pinot Noir KENT TOWN SA 89
- B 20/18 Yalumba Wines: 2022, Yalumba Y Series Pinot Noir ANGASTON SA 89
- B 20/50 Montalto: 2022, *Montalto Pinot Noir* RED HILL SOUTH VIC 89

- B 20/74 Hardys: 2022, Hardys HRB Pinot Noir MCLAREN VALE SA 89
- B 20/43 Paringa Estate [Aust] Pty Ltd: 2022, The Paringa Pinot Noir RED HILL SOUTH VIC 88
- B 20/44 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2022, Yabby Lake Single Block release Block 2 TUERONG VIC 88
- B 20/48 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2022, Yabby Lake Single Vineyard Pinot Noir TUERONG VIC 88
- B 20/71 Hardys: 2022, Hardys Eileen Hardy Pinot Noir MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 20/3 Tomich Wines: 2022, Tomich Hill Hilltop Pinot Noir UNLEY SA 87
- B 20/27 Moppity Vineyards: 2022, Coppabella Crest Pinot Noir YOUNG NSW 87
- B 20/38 Kyneton Ridge: 2022, Kyneton Ridge Pinot Noir Reserve KYNETON VIC 87
- B 20/53 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, PHI Pinot Noir BILBUL NSW 87
- B 20/64 Best's Wines: 2022, Best's Great Western Pinot Noir GREAT WESTERN VIC 87
- B 20/66 Nocton Vineyard: 2022, Nocton Tasmania Estate Pinot Noir RICHMOND TAS 87
- B 20/70 Eddystone Point: 2022, Eddystone Point Pinot Noir PIPERS RIVER TAS 87
- B 20/19 Trentham Estate: 2022, Trentham Estate Pinot Noir TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 86
- B 20/24 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Pinnacle Pinot Noir ORANGE NSW 86
- B 20/45 Paringa Estate [Aust] Pty Ltd: 2022, Estate Pinot Noir RED HILL SOUTH VIC 86
- B 20/56 Helen's Hill Vineyard: 2022, Helen's Hill LILYDALE VIC 86
- B 20/9 Casella Family Brands: 2022, Hill & Valley Pinot Noir YENDA NSW 85
- B 20/13 Sidewood Estate: 2022, Sidewood Signature '777' Pinot Noir OAKBANK SA 85
- B 20/20 Eastham Wines T/A Mayfield Vineyard: 2022, Mayfield Vineyard 'William' Pinot Noir ORANGE NSW 85
- B 20/22 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Harry Pinot Noir ORANGE NSW 85
- B 20/47 Merricks Estate: 2022, Merricks Estate Pinot Noir MERRICKS VIC 85
 - 20/15 Tomich Wines: 2022, Tomich Woodside Vineyard Pinot Noir UNLEY SA **84**
 - 20/21 Carillion Wines: 2022, Carillion Wines Six Clones Origins Pinot Noir MOUNT VIEW NSW **84**
 - 20/23 Rowlee Wines: 2022, Rowlee Single Vineyard Pinot Noir NASHDALE NSW **84**
 - 20/29 Moppity Vineyards: 2022, Moppity Vineyards Lock & Key Pinot Noir YOUNG NSW **84**
- 20/32 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Marchand & Burch Villages Pinot Noir SUBIACO WA **84**
- 20/33 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Flint Rock Pinot Noir SUBIACO WA 84
- 20/37 Clyde Park Vineyard: 2022, Clyde Park Estate Pinot Noir BANNOCKBURN VIC **84**
- 20/42 Joval Family Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Tar&Roses Pinot Noir NAGAMBIE VIC 84
- 20/46 Stonier Wines: 2022, Stonier Reserve Pinot Noir MERRICKS VIC 84
- 20/52 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, La Boheme Interlude Pinot Noir BILBUL NSW **84**
- 20/59 SOUMAH: 2022, SOUMAH Hexham Vineyard Pinot Noir GRUYERE VIC **84**

- 20/61 SOUMAH: 2022, Skye Ridge Pinot Noir GRUYERE VIC 84
- 20/62 St Huberts Wines: 2022, *St Huberts limited Release Pinot Noir* NURIOOTPA SA **84**
- 20/67 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2022, Tamar Ridge Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC 84
- 20/69 Cabbage Tree Hill Wines: 2022, Cabbage Tree Hill Wines 2022 Pinot Noir BEACONSFIELD TAS **84**
- 20/73 Lost Farm Wines: 2022, Lost Farm HAZELWOOD PARK SA 84
- 20/76 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Innocent Bystander Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC **84**
- 20/28 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Pinot Noir POKOLBIN NSW 83
- 20/34 Bass River: 2022, Bass River 1835 Pinot Noir GLEN FORBES VIC 83
- 20/63 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Signature Series Victoria Pinot Noir MUDGEE NSW **83**
- 20/6 Jacob's Creek: 2022, *Jacob's Creek Lively Bunch Pinot Noir* ROWLAND FLAT SA **81**
- 20/26 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, McWilliam's Single Vineyard Pinot Noir GRIFFITH NSW **81**
- 20/30 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Revee Vineyard Pinot Noir POKOLBIN NSW **81**
- 20/35 Jack Rabbit Vineyard: 2022, Jack Rabbit Vineyard Pinot Noir BELLARINE VIC **81**

CLASS 21 - Pinot Noir, 2021 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Top wines still vibrant, plush, and singing.

- G 21/21 Snobs Creek vineyard and winery: 2021, Snobs Creek Corviser TOOLLEEN VIC 95
- G 21/25 Lowestoft Estate: 2021, Lowestoft La Maison Pinot Noir BERRIDALE TAS 95
- S 21/17 Trentham Estate: 2021, Trentham Reserve Yarra Valley Pinot Noir TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 93
- **S** 21/38 Lowestoft Estate: 2021, *Lowestoft Single Vineyard Woodlands Pinot Noir* BERRIDALE TAS **93**
- S 21/26 Bream Creek Vineyard: 2021, Bream Creek Vineyard Reserve Pinot Noir CAMBRIDGE TAS **91**
- S 21/4 Oakdene Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Oakdene Single Vineyard Peta's Pinot Noir WALLINGTON VIC 90
- S 21/8 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2021, Handpicked Wines Capella Vineyard Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir SYDNEY NSW 90
- S 21/16 Coles Liquor: 2020, *Of Light & Shadow Pinot Noir* MELBOURNE VIC **90**
- B 21/9 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2021, Handpicked Wines Collection Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir SYDNEY NSW 89
- B 21/11 Punt Road Wines: 2021, Punt Road Cellar Reserve Pinot Noir COLDSTREAM VIC 89
- B 21/41 Pressing Matters: 2020, Pressing Matters Estate Pinot Noir TEA TREE TAS 89
- B 21/14 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Cold Snap Premium Yarra Valley Pinot Noir TANUNDA SA 88
- B 21/33 Coles Liquor: 2021, James Busby Vineyard Series Tasmania Pinot Noir MELBOURNE VIC 88
- B 21/39 Lowestoft Estate: 2021, *Lowestoft Pinot Noir* BERRIDALE TAS 88
- B 21/6 Leura Park Estate Vineyard: 2021, *Leura Park Estate Pinot* Noir CURLEWIS VIC 87
- B 21/19 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, *Riorret The Abbey Pinot Noir* BILBUL NSW 87

- B 21/24 Pressing Matters: 2021, Pressing Matters Estate Pinot Noir TEA TREE TAS 87
- B 21/27 Broad Acres Vineyard: 2021, Broad Acres Vineyard BROADBY TAS 87
- B 21/22 Punt Road Wines: 2021, Of Light + Shadow Pinot Noir COLDSTREAM VIC 86
- B 21/28 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2021, Tamar Ridge Reserve Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC 86
- B 21/30 Kreglinger Wine Estates: 2021, Pipers Brook Pinot Noir PIPERS BROOK TAS 86
- B 21/35 Josef Chromy Wines: 2021, JOSEF CHROMY PINOT NOIR RELBIA TAS 86
- B 21/2 Poachers Pantry: 2021, Poachers Vineyard Pinot Noir 2021 SPRINGRANGE NSW 85
- B 21/12 Seville Estate (Aust) Pty Ltd: 2021, Seville Estate Pinot Noir SEVILLE VIC 85
- B 21/20 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Riorret Lusatia Park Pinot Noir BILBUL NSW 85
- B 21/36 Spring Vale Vineyards: 2021, Spring Vale Estate Pinot Noir CRANBROOK TAS 85
 - 21/1 Saint & Scholar: 2021, Saint & Scholar With Honours Pinot Noir NURIOOTPA SA **84**
 - 21/7 Yes Said the Seal: 2021, Yes said the Seal Pinot Noir WALLINGTON VIC **84**
- 21/10 Merricks Estate: 2021, Merricks Estate Pinot Noir MERRICKS VIC 84
- 21/13 ALDI Stores: 2021, The Tudor Pinot Noir MINCHINBURY NSW 84
- 21/23 Helen's Hill Vineyard: 2021, Helen's Hill First Light Pinot Noir LILYDALE VIC **84**
- 21/32 Riversdale Estate: 2021, *Riversdale Estate Centaurus Pinot Noir* CAMBRIDGE TAS **84**
- 21/34 Riversdale Estate: 2021, Riversdale Estate Pinot Noir CAMBRIDGE TAS **84**
- 21/37 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2021, Tamar Ridge Research Series Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC **84**
- 21/42 Spring Vale Vineyards: 2020, Spring Vale Estate Pinot Noir CRANBROOK TAS 84
- 21/3 Kosciuszko Wines: 2021, *Kosciuszko Pinot Noir* HALL ACT 83
- 21/15 Coles Liquor: 2021, James Busby Yarra Valley Pinot Noir MELBOURNE VIC 83
- 21/40 Santolin Wines: 2020, Santolin Gladysdale Pinot Noir CHIRNSIDE PARK VIC 83
- 21/43 Spring Vale Vineyards: 2019, Spring Vale Family Selection Pinot Noir CRANBROOK TAS 83
- 21/5 Clyde Park Vineyard: 2021, *Clyde Park Single Block F Pinot Noir* BANNOCKBURN VIC **82**
- 21/18 St Huberts Wines: 2021, *St Huberts Pinot Noir* NURIOOTPA SA **82**
- 21/31 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2021, *Devil's Corner Resolution* Pinot Noir MILAWA VIC **81**

CLASS 22 - Merlot, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Some lovely jubey styles which are pleasant to drink but lack structure. Other wines are underripe of covered in oak.

- S 22/4 Trentham Estate: 2022, Trentham Estate Merlot TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 90
- B 22/2 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sheep Shape Merlot BILBUL NSW 88
- B 22/1 Dandelion Vineyards: 2022, Dandelion Vineyards Damsel of the Barossa Merlot MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 22/7 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, *DBWS Merlot* BILBUL NSW 85
 - 22/9 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge Hillcot Merlot TANUDA SA 83
 - 22/10 Big Easy Radio: 2021, *Big Easy Radio Looking Forward to* Yesterday - Merlot ALDINGA BEACH SA **83**
 - 22/11 Smith & Hooper: 2019, Smith & Hooper Merlot ANGASTON SA **83**
 - 22/5 Boydell's: 2022, Boydell's Orange Merlot EAST GRESFORD NSW 82
 - 22/6 Zein Estate: 2022, Zein Estate Nouveau Rouge 2022 BROOKHAMPTON WA **82**
 - 22/8 Casella Family Brands: 2022, [yellow tail] Merlot YENDA NSW 82
 - 22/12 Smith & Hooper: 2018, Smith & Hooper Reserve Merlot ANGASTON SA **80**

CLASS 23 - Tempranillo, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: On the whole a solid glass, many nice wines, well made. A couple of standouts with a more fruit driven crunchy style getting top gold. The class was marred with wines which either had too high acid or too low acid in some low awarded wines which made the wines quite uncoordinated on the palate.

- G 23/8 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, The Lane Vineyard Provenance Tempranillo HAHNDORF SA 95
- G 23/13 Mercer Wines: 2022, Mercer Wines Tempranillo NORTH ROTHBURY NSW 95
- S 23/1 Pindarie Pty Ltd: 2022, *Pindarie Risk Taker Tempranillo* GOMERSAL SA 91
- S 23/3 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2022, Willunga 100 Tempranillo MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- S 23/9 Nepenthe: 2022, Nepenthe Elevation Tempranillo BURONGA NSW 90
- S 23/17 Casella Family Brands: 2021, Hill & Valley Tempranillo YENDA NSW 90
- B 23/5 Serafino Wines: 2022, Serafino Bellissimo Tempranillo MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 23/6 Penny's Hill: 2022, Penny's Hill Tempranillo MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 23/12 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Tempranillo POKOLBIN NSW 88
- B 23/19 Coles Liquor: 2021, Freebird McLaren Vale Tempranillo MELBOURNE VIC 88
- B 23/18 Running with Bulls: 2021, Running with Bulls Barossa Tempranillo ANGASTON SA 87
- B 23/11 Artwine: 2022, Artwine, Hola Tempranillo WOODSIDE SA 86
- B 23/15 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Independence Tempranillo MALAGA WA 86
- B 23/20 Yalumba Wines: 2021, Yalumba Y Series Tempranillo ANGASTON SA 86

- B 23/23 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Brown Brothers Origins Tempranillo MILAWA VIC 86
- B 23/4 Gemtree Wines: 2022, Gemtree Luna Temprana Tempranillo MCLAREN FLAT SA 85
- B 23/21 Calabria Family Wines: 2021, McWilliam's Alternis Tempranillo GRIFFITH NSW 85
- 23/2 Millon Wines: 2022, The Impressionist Tempranillo PEWSEY VALE SA **84**
- 23/10 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Mockingbird Hill Dr JWD Bain Clare Valley Tempranillo TANUNDA SA **84**
- 23/24 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, *Re-write the Rules Tempranillo* BILBUL NSW **84**
- 23/14 TOBIN WINES: 2022, *TOBIN WINES JACOB TEMPRANILLO* BALLANDEAN QLD **83**
- 23/16 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Tempranillo BILBUL NSW 83
- 23/22 Gapsted Estate: 2021, High Country Tempranillo GAPSTED VIC 83
- 23/7 Lobethal Road: 2022, Lobethal Road Tempranillo MOUNT TORRENS SA 82
- 23/25 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2019, Paracombe Tempranillo PARACOMBE SA **81**

CLASS 24 - Grenache, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A really lovely class, many styles showing the focus being reestablished with this variety.

- G 24/50 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill Open Range Grenache SEVENHILL SA 95
- G 24/11 Kaesler Wines: 2022, Kaesler The Fave Grenache NURIOOTPA SA 95
- G 24/17 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2022, Heirloom Alcala McLaren Vale Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 95
- G 24/36 Casella Family Brands: 2021, *The Barossan Grenache* YENDA NSW 95
- S 24/45 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Shingleback NX Gen Grenache TANUNDA SA 93
- S 24/8 Bethany Wines: 2022, Bethany Wines First Village Grenache TANUNDA SA 92
- S 24/25 Gemtree Wines: 2022, Gemtree Small Batch Grenache SBE (Egg) MCLAREN FLAT SA 92
- S 24/10 Yalumba Wines: 2022, Yalumba Vine Vale Grenache ANGASTON SA 91
- S 24/16 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2022, Willunga 100 Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 91
- S 24/2 Small Victories Wine Co: 2022, *Small Victories Grenache* NURIOOTPA SA **90**
- S 24/9 Z WINE PTY LTD: 2022, Z WINE [RUSTICA] Grenache TANUNDA SA **90**
- S 24/13 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Ziegler Fire Clay Barossa Grenache MUDGEE NSW 90
- S 24/19 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2022, *Willunga 100 Trott* Vineyard Blewitt Springs Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- S 24/26 Old Plains Pty Ltd: 2022, Longhop Old Vine Grenache GRANGE SA 90
- S 24/29 Millon Wines: 2022, *Clare's Secret Grenache* PEWSEY VALE SA 90
- S 24/34 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Barossa Grenache TANUNDA SA **90**
- S 24/46 Serafino Wines: 2021, Serafino Reserve Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- B 24/22 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2022, Willunga 100 Smart Vineyard Clarendon Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 89

- B 24/14 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards Grenache LANGHORNE CREEK SA 87
- B 24/15 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Robert Oatley Finisterre McLaren Vale Grenache MUDGEE NSW 87
- B 24/20 Gemtree Wines: 2022, Gemtree Small Batch Grenache SBO (Oak) MCLAREN FLAT SA 87
- B 24/27 Atlas Wines: 2022, Atlas Clare Valley Grenache CLARE SA 87
- B 24/28 Paulett Wines: 2022, Pauletts Brielle Grenache SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 87
- B 24/39 Turkey Flat Vineyards: 2021, Turkey Flat Grenache TANUNDA SA 87
- B 24/43 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Treasure Trove Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 24/52 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, *Woodfired Grenache* BILBUL NSW 87
- B 24/6 Hentley Farm: 2022, Villain and Vixen Grenache SEPPELTSFIELD SA 86
- B 24/24 ALDI Stores: 2022, Vinatero Old Vine Grenache MINCHINBURY NSW 86
- B 24/44 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2021, Robert Oatley Signature Series Grenache MUDGEE NSW 86
- B 24/51 Borrello Vineyards: 2021, Borrello Vineyards Grenache MARGARET RIVER WA 86
- B 24/5 Bethany Wines: 2022, Bethany Wines Blue Quarry Grenache TANUNDA SA 85
- B 24/33 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, PHI Grenache Amphora BILBUL NSW 85
- B 24/49 Artwine: 2021, Artwine, Grumpy Old Man Grenache WOODSIDE SA 85
 - 24/1 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2022, Corryton Burge Grenache TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 24/4 Hentley Farm: 2022, The Old Legend Grenache SEPPELTSFIELD SA 84
 - 24/7 Pernod Ricard Winemakers: 2022, Aces & Arrows Grenache ROWLAND FLAT SA **84**
 - 24/18 Paragon Wine Estates: 2022, Chapel Hill The MV Bush Vine Grenache TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 24/32 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Independence Grenache MALAGA WA **84**
 - 24/35 Z WINE PTY LTD: 2021, Z WINE [AUGUST] Old Vine Grenache | Basket Pressed TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 24/41 Big Easy Radio: 2021, *Big Easy Radio Perpetual Holidaze Grenache* ALDINGA BEACH SA **84**
 - 24/48 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2021, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Single Vineyard 'Bush Vine' Grenache MCLAREN FLAT SA **84**
 - 24/12 Brothers at War: 2022, Brothers At War 'Peacekeeper' TANUNDA SA **83**
 - 24/23 Dandelion Vineyards: 2022, Dandelion Vineyard Faraway Tree Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA **83**
 - 24/30 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines Grenache MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 83
 - 24/31 Howard Park Wines: 2022, Howard Park Swan Valley Grenache SUBIACO WA 83
 - 24/40 Yalumba Wines: 2021, Yalumba Tri-centenary Grenache ANGASTON SA **83**
 - 24/47 Angove Family Winemakers: 2021, Warboys RENMARK SA 83
 - 24/53 Coles Liquor: 2021, James Busby Vineyard Series McLaren Vale Grenache MELBOURNE VIC 83
 - 24/42 Penny's Hill: 2021, Penny's Hill 'The Experiment' Grenache MCLAREN VALE SA **80**

CLASS 25 - Grenache dominant blends, 2022 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: An extremely strong class. Excellent handling of fruit, blending and winemaking artefact. Very enjoyable to judge.

- G 25/9 St Hugo: 2022, *St Hugo Grenache Shiraz Mataro* ROWLAND FLAT SA **95**
- G 25/7 Hentley Farm: 2022, The Stray Grenache Shiraz SEPPELTSFIELD SA 95
- G 25/16 Millbrook Winery: 2022, *Millbrook Regional GSM* JARRAHDALE WA **95**
- S 25/1 Z WINE PTY LTD: 2022, Z WINE [ROMAN] Old Vine GSM | Basket Pressed TANUNDA SA 93
- S 25/15 Willow Bridge Estate: 2022, Willow Bridge Estate GSM HENTY WA 93
- \$ 25/12 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2022, Heirloom Anevo Grenache Touriga Tempranillo MCLAREN VALE SA 92
- S 25/2 Stage Door Wine Co: 2022, Stage Door Wine Co GSM HENLEY BEACH SA 90
- S 25/22 Schwarz Wine Company: 2021, The Grower GSM TANUNDA SA 90
- S 25/25 St Hugo: 2021, St Hugo Grenache Shiraz Mataro ROWLAND FLAT SA 90
- S 25/27 Gemtree Wines: 2021, Gemtree Cinnabar GSM MCLAREN FLAT SA 90
- B 25/6 Elderton Wines: 2022, Elderton Estate GSM NURIOOTPA SA 89
- B 25/11 Serafino Wines: 2022, Serafino GSM MCLAREN VALE SA 89
- B 25/20 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge The Holy Trinity Grenache Shiraz Mataro TANUDA SA 89
- B 25/28 Taylors Wines: 2021, Taylors Reserve Parcel Grenache Shiraz Mourvedre AUBURN SA 89
- B 25/29 Turkey Flat Vineyards: 2020, Turkey Flat Butchers Block Red Blend TANUNDA SA 89
- B 25/23 Kaesler Wines: 2021, Kaesler Avignon GSM NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 25/32 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2018, Barossa Boy Little Tacker Grenache Shiraz Mataro TANUNDA SA 88
- B 25/5 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Barossa Grenache Shiraz Mataro TANUNDA SA **86**
- B 25/8 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Ziegler Hack Barrow Barossa GSM MUDGEE NSW 86
- B 25/19 Barossa Valley Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Barossa Valley Estate Grenache Shiraz Mourvèdre MARANANGA SA 86
- B 25/13 Andrew Peace Wines: 2022,2022 Andrew Peace Full Moon Grenache Shiraz Mourvedre PIANGIL VIC 85
 - 25/10 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards Wellington Road GSM LANGHORNE CREEK SA **84**
 - 25/17 Oakover Vineyards: 2022, Nikola Estate GSM PERTH WA 84
 - 25/18 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Menagerie of the Barossa GSM MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 25/21 Sieber Wines: 2021, SIEBER GSM TANUNDA SA 84
 - 25/24 Calabria Family Wines: 2021, Calabria Bros. Grenache Shiraz Mataro GRIFFITH NSW **84**
 - 25/26 Angove family winemakers: 2021, Family Crest GSM RENMARK SA 84
 - 25/30 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2020, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Estate Series GSM MCLAREN FLAT SA **84**
 - 25/31 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2020, Tahbilk GSM NAGAMBIE VIC 84
 - 25/4 Dewey Station Wines: 2022, Dewey Station Wines Venus Express GSM 2022 SMITHFIELD SA **83**
 - 25/14 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines GSM MURRUMBATEMAN NSW **83**

CLASS 26 - Shiraz, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Strong class with judicious use of winemaking artefact to drive complexity.

- G 26/30 Lerida Estate: 2022, *Lerida Estate Shiraz* LAKE GEORGE NSW 95
- G 26/18 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Orion Syrah OAKBANK SA 95
- G 26/51 Kyneton Ridge: 2022, Shiraz Heathcote KYNETON VIC 95
- **S** 26/17 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, *The Lane Vineyard Provenance Syrah* HAHNDORF SA **93**
- S 26/33 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines Hilltops Shiraz MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 93
- S 26/8 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2022, Ziegler The Brickyard Barossa Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 92
- S 26/36 Willow Bridge Estate: 2022, Willow Bridge Estate Gravel Pit Shiraz HENTY WA 92
- S 26/37 Cherubino: 2022, The Yard Acacia Shiraz WILYABRUP WA 92
- S 26/58 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, McWilliam's Single Vineyard Shiraz GRIFFITH NSW 92
- S 26/13 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Macclesfield Syrah MACCLESFIELD SA 90
- S 26/28 Jeir Creek Wines: 2022, Jeir Creek Wines Canberra Shiraz MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 90
- S 26/38 Cherubino: 2022, Cherubino Frankland River Shiraz WILYABRUP WA 90
- S 26/43 Credaro Family Estate: 2022, Credaro 1000 Crowns Shiraz CARBUNUP RIVER WA 90
- S 26/57 Dalwhinnie: 2022, Dalwhinnie LDR Shiraz MOONAMBEL VIC 90
- B 26/22 Krinklewood Estate Pty Ltd: 2022, Krinklewood Basket Press Shiraz BROKE NSW 89
- B 26/35 Smallwater Estate: 2022, Smallwater Estate Shiraz NEWLANDS WA 89
- B 26/39 Evans & Tate: 2022, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 89
- B 26/12 Murdoch Hill Wines: 2022, Murdoch Hill Landau Syrah OAKBANK SA 88
- B 26/16 Howard Vineyard: 2022, Howard Vineyard Shiraz NAIRNE SA 88
- B 26/40 Stella Bella: 2022, Stella Bella Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 26/42 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2022, Devils Lair 9th Chamber Frankland River Syrah NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 26/19 Paulett Wines: 2022, Pauletts Elodie Syrah SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 87
- B 26/23 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2022, Tyrrell's Rufus Stone Heathcote Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 26/25 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2022, Mount Pleasant Single Vineyard OP&OH Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 26/26 McKellar Ridge Wines: 2022, McKellar Ridge Wines Hilltops Shiraz 2022 MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 87
- B 26/29 Lerida Estate: 2022, Lerida Estate Cullerin Syrah LAKE GEORGE NSW 87
- B 26/41 Abbey Vale Wines: 2022, Abbey Vale Premium RSV Shiraz YALLINGUP WA 87
- B 26/45 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2022, *Hamelin Bay Shiraz* KARRIDALE WA 87
- B 26/52 Devils Cave Vineyard Pty Ltd: 2022, Devils Cave Vineyard Shiraz SAFETY BEACH VIC 87
- B 26/56 ALDI Stores: 2022, *Eastern Laneway Vintners Shiraz* MINCHINBURY NSW 87

- B 26/15 Berrigan Wines: 2022, Berrigan Wines "Shining Rock" Shiraz NAIRNE SA 86
- B 26/20 Taylors Wines: 2022, Taylors Heritage Shiraz AUBURN SA 86
- B 26/46 Credaro Family Estate: 2022, Credaro Kinship Shiraz CARBUNUP RIVER WA 86
- B 26/48 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Home Block Shiraz YALLINGUP WA 86
- B 26/2 Brothers at War: 2022, Brothers at War 'Fist Fight' TANUNDA SA 85
- B 26/3 Whistler Wines: 2022, Whistler 'Atypical' Shiraz STONE WELL SA 85
- B 26/5 Small Victories Wine Co: 2022, Small Victories Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 85
- B 26/6 Brothers at War: 2022, Brothers at War 'The Old Man' TANUNDA SA 85
- B 26/9 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards Syrah LANGHORNE CREEK SA 85
- B 26/11 Serafino Wines: 2022, Serafino Sorrento Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 26/21 Boutique Wines by Charles Sturt Winery: 2022, Charles Sturt University Boutique Wines Mundarlo Shiraz WAGGA WAGGA NSW 85
- B 26/27 McKellar Ridge Wines: 2022, McKellar Ridge Wines Shiraz Regional Blend 2022 MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 85
- B 26/32 Moppity Vineyards: 2022, Moppity Vineyards Atrius Shiraz YOUNG NSW 85
- B 26/44 Windance Estate: 2022, Windance Estate Shiraz YALLINGUP WA 85
- B 26/50 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2022, Heathcote Estate Single Vineyard Shiraz TUERONG VIC 85
 - 26/4 Hentley Farm: 2022, Hentley Farm Shiraz SEPPELTSFIELD SA 84
 - 26/14 Lobethal Road: 2022, Lobethal Road Shiraz MOUNT TORRENS SA **84**
- 26/24 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2022, Mount Pleasant Single Vineyard Rosehill Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW **84**
- 26/47 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Lifestyle Shiraz YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 26/49 Swings & Roundabouts: 2022, Swings & Roundabout Shiraz YALLINGUP WA 84
- 26/53 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2022, Heathcote Estate C Block TUERONG VIC **84**
- 26/54 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Shiraz BILBUL NSW **84**
- 26/55 SOUMAH: 2022, SOUMAH Hexham Vineyard Syrah GRUYERE VIC **84**
- 26/1 Pindarie Pty Ltd: 2022, Pindarie Western Ridge Shiraz GOMERSAL SA **83**
- 26/7 WELLAND: 2022, Welland Valley & Valley Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA **83**
- 26/10 ALDI Stores: 2022, A.C. Byrne & Co. Shiraz MINCHINBURY NSW 83
- 26/31 Briar Ridge Vineyard: 2022, Briar Ridge Hillrose Single Vineyard Shiraz MOUNT VIEW NSW 82
- 26/59 Calabria Family Wines: 2022, *Deakin Estate Shiraz* GRIFFITH NSW **82**
- 26/34 TOBIN WINES: 2022, *TOBIN WINES MAX BLOCK THREE* SHIRAZ BALLANDEAN QLD **80**

CLASS 27 - Shiraz, 2021

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Clearly a great vintage with the best wines overall balance of fruit and oak, plenty of life in them yet.

- G 27/117 Cherubino: 2021, Pedestal Margaret River Shiraz WILYABRUP WA 96
- G 27/8 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Barossa Shiraz TANUNDA SA **95**
- G 27/45 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2021, Nugan Estate McLaren Parish Shiraz WILLBRIGGIE NSW 95
- G 27/71 Longview Vineyard: 2021, Macclesfield Syrah MACCLESFIELD SA 95
- G 27/81 Jim Barry Wines: 2021, Expressions Shiraz CLARE SA 95
- G 27/86 Jim Barry Wines: 2021, Lodge Hill Shiraz CLARE SA 95
- G 27/127 Devils Cave Vineyard Pty Ltd: 2021, *Devils Cave Vineyard* Shiraz SAFETY BEACH VIC 95
- S 27/91 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2021, William Light Clare Valley Shiraz TANUNDA SA 94
- \$ 27/15 Hentley Farm: 2021, The Beauty Shiraz SEPPELTSFIELD SA 93
- S 27/21 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge Miamba Shiraz TANUDA SA 93
- S 27/34 G. Gramp & Sons: 2021, Gramp's Barossa Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 93
- S 27/37 Bleasdale: 2021, Bleasdale Vineyards Bremerview Shiraz LANGHORNE CREEK SA 93
- S 27/112 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove Black Label Shiraz MALAGA WA 93
- S 27/33 Orlando Wines: 2021, Orlando Printz Shed Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 92
- S 27/94 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, *Skillogalee Trevarrick* Shiraz SPRING GULLY SA 92
- S 27/20 Casella Family Brands: 2021, Portrait Shiraz YENDA NSW 91
- S 27/59 Redman Wines: 2021, *Redman Shiraz* COONAWARRA SA 91
- \$ 27/123 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, DBWS Shiraz BILBUL NSW 91
- S 27/12 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Platinum Label Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 90
- \$ 27/13 Z WINE PTY LTD: 2021, Z WINE [JULIUS] Shiraz | Basket Pressed TANUNDA SA 90
- **S** 27/26 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Red Queen of the Eden Valley Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **90**
- S 27/32 St Hugo: 2021, St Hugo Barossa Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 90
- S 27/46 Hardys Tintara: 2021, *Hardys Tintara Shiraz* MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- S 27/49 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: 2021, *Patritti, JPB Shiraz* DOVER GARDENS SA 90
- S 27/79 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill Vaulted Cellar Shiraz SEVENHILL SA 90
- S 27/92 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Skillogalee Clare Valley Shiraz SPRING GULLY SA 90
- S 27/93 Knappstein Wines: 2021, Knappstein Shiraz CLARE SA 90
- S 27/103 Hungerford Hill: 2021, Hungerford Hill Epic Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 90
- S 27/111 Houghton Wines: 2021, Houghton Premium Release Shiraz NANNUP WA **90**
- S 27/115 Xanadu Wines: 2021, Xanadu Vinework Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 90
- S 27/126 Tellurian Wines: 2021, *Tellurian Tranter Shiraz* TOOLLEEN VIC 90

- S 27/139 Glenlofty Estate: 2021, *Glenlofty Estate Syrah* GLENLOFTY VIC 90
- B 27/22 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge Filsell Shiraz TANUDA SA 89
- B 27/53 Penny's Hill: 2021, Penny's Hill 'Cracking Black' Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 89
- B 27/140 Riversdale Estate: 2021, *Riversdale Estate Syrah* CAMBRIDGE TAS 89
- B 27/17 Hentley Farm: 2021, The Marl Shiraz SEPPELTSFIELD SA 88
- B 27/35 Bleasdale: 2021, Bleasdale Vineyards Generations Shiraz LANGHORNE CREEK SA 88
- B 27/47 Gemtree Wines: 2021, Gemtree Uncut Shiraz MCLAREN FLAT SA 88
- B 27/61 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, *Riddoch The Wine Grower* Coonawarra Shiraz TANUNDA SA 88
- B 27/68 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wicks Estate Shiraz ADELAIDE SA 88
- B 27/75 Sidewood Estate: 2021, Sidewood Mappinga Shiraz OAKBANK SA 88
- B 27/76 Petaluma Wines: 2021, Petaluma B & V Vineyard Adelaide Hills Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 27/90 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill Inigo Shiraz SEVENHILL SA 88
- B 27/97 Trentham Estate: 2021, Trentham Estate Shiraz TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 88
- B 27/98 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2021, Sacred Hill Shiraz BILBUL NSW 88
- B 27/107 Tulloch Wines: 2021, Tulloch Private Bin Pokolbin Dry Red Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 88
- B 27/137 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Bare Bones Great Western Shiraz TANUNDA SA 88
- B 27/5 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2021, Heirloom Barossa Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 27/9 St Hallett Wines: 2021, *St Hallett blockhead Shiraz* TANUDA SA 87
- B 27/23 Kaesler Wines: 2021, Kaesler The Bogan Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 87
- B 27/25 St Hallett Wines: 2021, St Hallett Garden of Eden Shiraz TANUDA SA 87
- B 27/28 Eden Hall Wines: 2021, Eden Hall "Springton" Shiraz NORTH ADELAIDE SA 87
- B 27/42 Chapel Hill: 2021, Chapel Hill The Parson McLaren Vale Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 27/44 Bellevue Estate: 2021, Bellevue Estate Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 27/52 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2021, Shaw Family Vintners Winjammer Shiraz CURRENCY CREEK SA 87
- B 27/58 Brand & Sons: 2021, Brand & Sons Old Town Shiraz MAGILL SA 87
- B 27/60 Redman Wines: 2021, *Redman 'The Last Row' Shiraz* COONAWARRA SA 87
- B 27/74 The Lane Vineyard: 2021, *The Lane Vineyard Reunion Syrah* HAHNDORF SA 87
- B 27/77 The Lane Vineyard: 2021, *The Lane Vineyard Shiraz* HAHNDORF SA 87
- B 27/83 Atlas Wines: 2021, Atlas 429 Clare Valley Shiraz CLARE SA 87
- B 27/89 Atlas Wines: 2021, Atlas Clare Valley Shiraz CLARE SA 87
- B 27/99 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Ridge of Tears Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 87

- B 27/106 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2021, Mount Pleasant Wines Single Vineyard OP&OH Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 27/114 Cherubino: 2021, Cherubino Frankland River Shiraz WILYABRUP WA 87
- B 27/128 Yes Said the Seal: 2021, Yes said the Seal Shiraz WALLINGTON VIC 87
- B 27/135 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Brown Brothers Patricia Shiraz MILAWA VIC 87
- B 27/16 Barossa Valley Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Barossa Valley Estate Shiraz MARANANGA SA 86
- B 27/18 Calabria Family Wines: 2021, *Elisabetta Barossa Shiraz* GRIFFITH NSW 86
- B 27/30 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2021, Corryton Burge Percival Norman Shiraz TANUNDA SA 86
- B 27/40 Chapel Hill: 2021, Chapel Hill The Vinedresser Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 86
- B 27/41 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Grey Label Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 86
- B 27/54 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2021, *Heirloom Vineyards McLaren Vale Shiraz* MCLAREN VALE SA **86**
- B 27/64 Sidewood Estate: 2021, Sidewood Estate Shiraz OAKBANK SA 86
- B 27/66 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2021, Hahndorf Hill Shiraz HAHNDORF SA 86
- B 27/67 Saint & Scholar: 2021, Saint & Scholar Graduates Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 86
- B 27/72 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, C. J. Wicks Shiraz ADELAIDE SA 86
- B 27/80 Kirrihill Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Kirrihill Regional Series Clare Shiraz CLARE SA 86
- B 27/84 Knappstein Wines: 2021, Knappstein Mayors Vineyard Shiraz CLARE SA 86
- B 27/87 Taylors Wines: 2021, *Taylors Special Release Shiraz* AUBURN SA **86**
- B 27/96 Taylors Wines: 2021, *Taylors Jaraman Shiraz* AUBURN SA 86
- B 27/108 Mount Pleasant Wines: 2021, Mount Pleasant Single Vineyard Rosehill Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 86
- B 27/132 Tokar Estate: 2021, Tokar Estate Coldstream Vineyard Shiraz COLDSTREAM VIC 86
- B 27/2 Casella Family Brands: 2021, *Hill & Valley Shiraz* YENDA NSW 85
- B 27/7 Calabria Family Wines: 2021, *Three Bridges Shiraz* GRIFFITH NSW 85
- B 27/10 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Krondorf Into The Vines Barossa Shiraz TANUNDA SA 85
- B 27/14 Saltram Wine Estate: 2021, Saltram Mamre Brook Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 85
- B 27/43 Sisters Run Wine Co: 2021, Sisters Run Epiphany Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 27/70 Michael Hall Wines: 2021, Michael Hall Adelaide Hills Syrah, Mount Torrens TANUNDA SA 85
- B 27/82 Oleary Walker wines: 2021, Oleary Walker Shiraz LEASINGHAM SA 85
- B 27/100 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2021, Montrose Mudgee Black Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 85
- B 27/105 Sweetwater Estate: 2021, Sweetwater Estate Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW 85
 - 27/4 ALDI Stores: 2021, Blackstone Paddock The Player Shiraz MINCHINBURY NSW **84**
 - 27/6 Turkey Flat Vineyards: 2021, *Turkey Flat Butchers Block* Shiraz TANUNDA SA **84**

- 27/24 Eden Hall Wines: 2021, Eden Hall "Block 4" Shiraz NORTH ADELAIDE SA 84
- 27/29 Château Tanunda: 2021, Grand Barossa Shiraz TANUNDA SA **84**
- 27/36 Lake Breeze Wines: 2021, Lake Breeze Section 54 Shiraz LANGHORNE CREEK SA **84**
- 27/38 Lake Breeze Wines: 2021, Bull Ant Shiraz LANGHORNE CREEK SA **84**
- 27/39 CORIOLE PTY. LTD.: 2021, Coriole Estate Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 27/48 Angove Family Winemakers: 2021, Angels Rise RENMARK SA 84
- 27/50 Penny's Hill: 2021, Penny's Hill 'The Skeleton Key' Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 27/51 Serafino Wines: 2021, Serafino Black Label Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 27/57 Rymill Coonawarra: 2021, Rymill Coonawarra 2021 Classic Shiraz GLENROY SA **84**
- 27/62 Landaire: 2021, Landaire Shiraz PADTHAWAY SA 84
- 27/63 Lobethal Road: 2021, Lobethal Road Bacchant Shiraz MOUNT TORRENS SA 84
- 27/69 Longview Vineyard: 2021, Yakka Shiraz MACCLESFIELD SA 84
- 27/88 Paulett Wines: 2021, Pauletts Clare Valley Shiraz SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA **84**
- 27/95 Jacob's Creek: 2021, *Jacob's Creek Reserve Shiraz* ROWLAND FLAT SA **84**
- 27/110 Hungerford Hill: 2021, Hungerford Hill Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW **84**
- 27/116 Windance Estate: 2021, Windance Estate Shiraz YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 27/119 Alkoomi Wines: 2021, *Three Elms Timbertops Shiraz* FRANKLAND RIVER WA **84**
- 27/120 Alkoomi Wines: 2021, *Alkoomi Collection Shiraz* FRANKLAND RIVER WA **84**
- 27/121 Oakover Vineyards: 2021, Oakover Shiraz PERTH WA 84
- 27/125 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2021, Heathcote Estate Single Vineyard TUERONG VIC **84**
- 27/130 Jack Rabbit Vineyard: 2021, Jack Rabbit Vineyard Shiraz BELLARINE VIC 84
- 27/131 Oakdene Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Oakdene Single Vineyard William Shiraz 2021 WALLINGTON VIC **84**
- 27/133 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Innocent Bystander Syrah MILAWA VIC **84**
- 27/134 Mount Avoca Vineyards: 2021, Mount Avoca Estate Organic Shiraz AVOCA VIC **84**
- 27/136 Best's Wines: 2021, Best's Great Western Bin.1 Shiraz GREAT WESTERN VIC **84**
- 27/138 Mount Avoca Vineyards: 2021, Mount Avoca Organic Old Vine Shiraz AVOCA VIC **84**
- 27/1 Schwarz Wine Company: 2021, Nitschke Block Shiraz TANUNDA SA **83**
- 27/19 Sieber Wines: 2021, SIEBER Ernest Shiraz TANUNDA SA 83
- 27/56 Coles Liquor: 2021, *Golden Mile Shiraz* MELBOURNE VIC 83
- 27/65 Chain of Ponds: 2021, Chain of Ponds Ledge Shiraz KENT TOWN SA **83**
- 27/73 Chain of Ponds: 2021, Chain of Ponds Graves Gate Shiraz KENT TOWN SA **83**
- 27/78 Old Plains Pty Ltd: 2021, Longhop Old Vine Shiraz GRANGE SA 83

- 27/85 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2021, *Mockingbird Hill Dr JWD* Bain Clare Valley Shiraz TANUNDA SA **83**
- 27/102 Logan Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Logan Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 83
- 27/104 Latitude 32 Wines: 2021, *Latitude 32 The Dux 2021* POKOLBIN NSW **83**
- 27/113 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove Dragon Syrah MALAGA WA 83
- 27/122 Sutton Grange Winery: 2021, Sutton Grange Winery Estate Syrah SUTTON GRANGE VIC 83
- 27/129 Clyde Park Vineyard: 2021, Clyde Park Estate Shiraz BANNOCKBURN VIC 83
- 27/11 Cox Wine Merchants: 2021, Allegiance Wines Unity Barossa Valley ALSTONVILLE NSW 82
- 27/27 Millon Wines: 2021, Estate Shiraz PEWSEY VALE SA 82
- 27/31 WELLAND: 2021, Welland Old Hands Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 82
- 27/109 Hollydene Estate: 2021, Hollydene Estate Hill Reserve Shiraz JERRYS PLAINS NSW **82**
- 27/118 Swings & Roundabouts: 2021, Swings & Roundabouts Brash Road Syrah YALLINGUP WA 82
- 27/124 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2021, Handpicked Wines Collection Heathcote Shiraz SYDNEY NSW 82
- 27/101 Lowe Family Wine Co.: 2021, Lowe Wines Block 5 Shiraz MUDGEE NSW **81**

CLASS 28 - Shiraz, 2020

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A mixed bag and differing styles and wines in limbo not being young or not being aged to the liking of the producer. Good wines had balance and the oak was not over the top.

- S 28/2 Casella Family Brands: 2020, 8 Songs Shiraz YENDA NSW 93
- S 28/12 St Hugo: 2020, *St Hugo Barossa Shiraz* ROWLAND FLAT SA 93
- S 28/38 Trentham Estate: 2020, *Trentham Reserve Heathcote* Shiraz TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 93
- S 28/30 Hardys: 2020, Hardys HRB Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 92
- **\$** 28/40 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, *De Bortoli Heathcote Handcrafted Shiraz* BILBUL NSW **92**
- \$ 28/42 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, *Woodfired Shiraz* BILBUL NSW 92
- S 28/20 Paragon Wine Estates: 2020, *Riddoch Elgin's Crossing* Coonawarra Shiraz TANUNDA SA 90
- S 28/34 Howard Park Wines: 2020, Howard Park Scotsdale Shiraz SUBIACO WA 90
- B 28/22 Orlando Wines: 2020, Orlando Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 89
- B 28/15 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2020, Robert Oatley Signature Series McLaren Vale Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 28/25 Taylors Wines: 2020, *Taylors St Andrews Shiraz* AUBURN SA 88
- B 28/27 Knappstein Wines: 2020, Knappstein Mayors Vineyard Shiraz CLARE SA 88
- B 28/18 Taylors Wines: 2020, Taylors Masterstroke Shiraz AUBURN SA 87
- B 28/29 Hardys: 2020, Hardys Eileen Hardy Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 28/32 Borrello Vineyards: 2020, Borrello Vineyards Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 87

- B 28/46 Seville Estate (Aust) Pty Ltd: 2020, Seville Estate Shiraz SEVILLE VIC 87
- B 28/9 Bethany Wines: 2020, Bethany Wines LE Shiraz TANUNDA SA 86
- B 28/10 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2020, Corryton Burge Shiraz TANUNDA SA 86
- B 28/24 Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate: 2020, Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate Shiraz CLARE SA 86
- B 28/28 Knappstein Wines: 2020, Knappstein Shiraz CLARE SA 86
- B 28/33 Howard Park Wines: 2020, Howard Park Flint Rock Shiraz SUBIACO WA 86
- B 28/37 Sutton Grange Winery: 2020, Faibank syrah SUTTON GRANGE VIC 86
- B 28/44 Zilzie Wines: 2020, Regional Collection Shiraz RED CLIFFS VIC 86
- B 28/7 Pinnacle Drinks: 2020, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Barossa Shiraz TANUNDA SA 85
- B 28/11 Orlando Wines: 2020, Orlando Printz Shed Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 85
- B 28/26 Paulett Wines: 2020, Pauletts Clare Valley Shiraz SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA 85
- B 28/35 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Gnangara Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 85
 - 28/6 Calabria Family Wines: 2020, Calabria Bros. Shiraz GRIFFITH NSW **84**
 - 28/8 Dandelion Vineyards: 2020, Dandelion Vineyards Red Queen of the Eden Valley Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 28/17 Angove family winemakers: 2020, Medhyk RENMARK SA 84
- 28/19 Serafino Wines: 2020, Serafino Magnitude Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 28/23 Longview Vineyard: 2020, The Piece MACCLESFIELD SA 84
- 28/41 Two Eights Australia Pty Ltd: 2020, Handpicked Wines Collection Heathcote Shiraz SYDNEY NSW **84**
- 28/43 Snobs Creek vineyard and winery: 2020, Snobs Creek VSP Shiraz TOOLLEEN VIC 84
- 28/45 Brown Family Wine Group: 2020, Innocent Bystander Mea Culpa Syrah MILAWA VIC **84**
- 28/47 Glenlofty Estate: 2020, *Glenlofty Estate Ridge Block* Shiraz GLENLOFTY VIC **84**
- 28/1 Pinnacle Drinks: 2020, Cat Amonst the Pigeons Nine Lives Stonewell Shiraz TANUNDA SA **83**
- 28/3 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2020, Corryton Burge Percival Norman Shiraz TANUNDA SA 83
- 28/21 Rymill Coonawarra: 2020, Rymill Coonawarra 2020 Classic Shiraz GLENROY SA **83**
- 28/36 Xanadu Wines: 2020, Xanadu Circa 77 Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA **83**
- 28/39 Brown Family Wine Group: 2020, Brown Brothers Winemaker's Series Shiraz MILAWA VIC **83**
- 28/13 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2020, *Stonemason Shiraz* CURRENCY CREEK SA **82**
- 28/14 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2020, Steeple Jack Shiraz CURRENCY CREEK SA 82
- 28/16 Paragon Wine Estates: 2020, *Shingleback Davey Estate Shiraz* TANUNDA SA **82**
- 28/31 Peter Teakle Wines: 2020, Peter Teakle Estate Shiraz PORT LINCOLN SA 82

CLASS 29 - Shiraz, 2019

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Good depth of diverse styles. Higher pointed wines show freshness and vitality.

- G 29/26 Trentham Estate: 2019, Trentham Cellar Reserve Great Western Shiraz TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 95
- G 29/8 Paragon Wine Estates: 2019, Shingleback D block Shiraz TANUNDA SA 95
- G 29/20 Evans & Tate: 2019, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 95
- S 29/12 Orlando Wines: 2019, Orlando Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 93
- S 29/13 Jack Estate: 2019, Jack Estate Wrattonbully Coonawarra Shiraz COONAWARRA SA 93
- S 29/18 Eden Road Wine Company Pty Ltd: 2019, *Cullarin Block 71* Syrah MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 92
- S 29/3 Coles Liquor: 2019, Winton Road Barossa Valley Shiraz MELBOURNE VIC 90
- B 29/1 Casella Family Brands: 2019, *Stonewell Shiraz* YENDA NSW 89
- B 29/11 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2019, Robert Oatley Finisterre McLaren Vale Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 89
- B 29/17 McGuigan: 2019, McGuigan Personal Reserve Oldman Shiraz BURONGA NSW 89
- B 29/24 Brown Family Wine Group: 2019, Brown Brothers Patricia Shiraz MILAWA VIC 89
- B 29/28 Blue Pyrenees Estate: 2019, Blue Pyrenees Estate Richardson Reserve Shiraz AVOCA VIC 89
- B 29/2 Yalumba Wines: 2019, Yalumba The Steeple Shiraz ANGASTON SA 88
- B 29/6 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2019, Thorn-Clarke Sandpiper Shiraz ANGASTON SA 88
- B 29/19 De Bortoli Wines: 2019, Regional Classic Gundagai Shiraz BILBUL NSW 88
- B 29/29 Glenlofty Estate: 2019, Glenlofty Go Shiraz GLENLOFTY VIC 88
- B 29/7 Serafino Wines: 2019, Serafino Sharktooth Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 29/10 Vok Beverages: 2019, Beresford Classic Shiraz SALISBURY SOUTH SA 87
- B 29/15 Cassegrain Wines Pty Ltd: 2019, Cassegrain Reserve Shiraz PORT MACQUARIE NSW 87
- B 29/16 Agnew Wines: 2019, Pooles Rock Post Office POKOLBIN NSW 87
- B 29/22 Leura Park Estate Vineyard: 2019, *Leura Park Estate Shiraz* CURLEWIS VIC 86
- B 29/25 Best's Wines: 2019, Best's Great Western Bin.0 Shiraz GREAT WESTERN VIC 86
- B 29/5 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2019, *Thorn-Clarke Shotfire Shiraz* ANGASTON SA 85
 - 29/4 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2019, Robert Oatley Limited Release Barossa Shiraz MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 29/9 Vok Beverages: 2019, Beresford Estate Shiraz SALISBURY SOUTH SA 84
 - 29/21 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2019, Tahbilk Shiraz NAGAMBIE VIC 84
 - 29/27 Blue Pyrenees Estate: 2019, *Blue Pyrenees Section 1 Shiraz* AVOCA VIC **84**
 - 29/23 SOUMAH: 2019, SOUMAH Equilibrio Syrah GRUYERE VIC 80

CLASS 30 - Shiraz, 2018 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: This shows the brilliance of what 2018 provided for the great variety called shiraz in our land. Some beautiful examples of wines from both cool and warm climates within Australia and the wines showing great poise, balance and ability to age. Main faults of non-award winners were that the wines were starting to dry out or had some sulphides but otherwise the class was a joy to judge.

- G 30/4 Yalumba Wines: 2018, Yalumba The Steeple Shiraz ANGASTON SA 95
- G 30/1 Saltram Wine Estate: 2018, Saltram No. 1 Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 95
- G 30/15 Gartelmann Wines: 2018, Gartelmann Diedrich Reserve Shiraz LOVEDALE NSW 95
- S 30/8 Yalumba Wines: 2018, Yalumba The Octavius Shiraz ANGASTON SA 92
- S 30/23 McGuigan: 2017, McGuigan Personal Reserve Vanessa Vale Shiraz BURONGA NSW 91
- S 30/25 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2016, Icon The Navigator Shiraz CURRENCY CREEK SA 91
- S 30/12 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2018, Wolf Blass Grey Label Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 90
- B 30/9 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2018, Robert Oatley Limited Release Barossa Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 30/19 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2017, Barossa Boy Lifeblood Shiraz TANUNDA SA 88
- B 30/22 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2017, Gilbert Shiraz APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 88
- B 30/6 Riley Grape and wine Pty Ltd: 2018, *Rileys of Eden Valley* Jumpship Shiraz EDEN VALLEY SA 87
- B 30/20 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2017, Paracombe Shiraz PARACOMBE SA 87
- B 30/30 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2014, Paracombe Somerville Shiraz PARACOMBE SA 87
- B 30/2 Orlando Wines: 2018, Orlando Centenary Hill Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 30/10 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2018, Paracombe Melrose Shiraz PARACOMBE SA 86
- B 30/11 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2018, Robert Oatley The Pennant McLaren Vale Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 86
- B 30/18 De Bortoli Wines: 2018, Deen De Bortoli Shiraz BILBUL NSW 86
- B 30/26 Orlando Wines: 2016, Orlando Centenary Hill Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 30/29 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2015, Paracombe MacGillivray PARACOMBE SA 86
- B 30/14 Casella Family Brands: 2018, *Tall Vines Shiraz* YENDA NSW 85
 - 30/3 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2018, Barossa Boy Lifeblood Shiraz TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 30/16 Tulloch Wines: 2018, Tulloch Limited Release Hector Shiraz POKOLBIN NSW **84**
- 30/27 Vok Beverages: 2016, Beresford Grand Reserve Shiraz SALISBURY SOUTH SA **84**
- 30/28 P&A FIUMARA & SONS PTY LTD: 2016, Lillypilly Family Reserve Shiraz LEETON NSW **84**
- 30/7 Riley Grape and wine Pty Ltd: 2018, Rileys of Eden Valley Maximus Shiraz EDEN VALLEY SA 83
- 30/13 Casella Family Brands: 2018, Stentifords Shiraz YENDA NSW 83
- 30/21 De Beaurepaire Wines Pty Ltd: 2017, De Beaurepaire Leopold Shiraz Viognier RYLSTONE NSW 83

- 30/24 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2017, Eric Stevens Purbrick Shiraz NAGAMBIE VIC 83
- 30/17 Grove Estate Wines: 2018, Grove Estate The Cellar Block Shiraz YOUNG NSW **81**

CLASS 31- Shiraz dominant blends, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Interesting class of diverse styles. Winemakers are experimenting with different varieties with good success. Vitality and brightness is always important in these styles.

- G 31/15 CORIOLE PTY. LTD.: 2022, Dune The Empty Quarter MCLAREN VALE SA 95
- G 31/1 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, 22 Degree Halo Red Blend ANGASTON SA 95
- S 31/10 Deep Woods Estate: 2022, Deep Woods Estate Shiraz et al YALLINGUP WA 92
- S 31/2 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Vista Shiraz Barbera MACCLESFIELD SA 90
- S 31/4 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2022, Sacred Hill Shiraz Cabernet BILBUL NSW 90
- B 31/3 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wolf Blass Aldi Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 31/9 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, PHI Syrah Grenache BILBUL NSW 87
- B 31/12 Oakover Vineyards: 2022, Nikola Estate Gallery Series The Modernist PERTH WA 87
- B 31/14 Whistler Wines: 2022, Whistler 'Divergent' SMG STONE WELL SA 87
- B 31/17 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2022, Engine Room Shiraz Tempranillo MCLAREN FLAT SA 87
- B 31/5 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2022, Hamelin Bay Wines Rampant Red KARRIDALE WA 86
- B 31/18 Boydell's: 2022, Boydell's Reserve Shiraz Viognier EAST GRESFORD NSW 86
 - 31/6 Longview Vineyard: 2022, LV Shiraz Cabernet MACCLESFIELD SA 84
 - 31/7 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, *La Boheme Act 4 Syrah Gamay* BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 31/8 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards The Wild Fig LANGHORNE CREEK SA 84
 - 31/13 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2022, Engine Room Shiraz Mataro Grenache MCLAREN FLAT SA **84**
 - 31/16 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2022, Robert Stein Bluhen Shiraz Rielsing MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 31/19 Capital Wines: 2022, Capital Wines The Leader of the House Shiraz Viognier HALL ACT **84**
 - 31/11 Silentway Vineyard P/L: 2022, Silentway Shiraz Malbec LANCEFIELD VIC **83**

CLASS 32 - Shiraz dominant blends, 2021

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A strong class of shiraz blends. Freshness and blending intent is key. Top wines are interesting and have been made extremely well. Non-medal wine, starting to look a bit tired. Also overuse of oak an issue for some.

- G 32/3 Kaesler Wines: 2021, Kaesler WOMS Shiraz Cabernet NURIOOTPA SA 95
- G 32/2 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2021, Barossa Boy Double Trouble Shiraz Cabernet TANUNDA SA 95
- B 32/12 George's Folly Wines: 2021, George's Folly "Hares or Hounds" Shiraz Roussanne CURRENCY CREEK SA 89
- B 32/14 The Lane Vineyard: 2021, *The Lane Vineyard Heritage Shiraz Viognier* HAHNDORF SA **89**

- B 32/5 Tyrrell's Vineyards Pty Ltd: 2021, Tyrrell's Vat 8 Shiraz Cabernet POKOLBIN NSW 88
- B 32/11 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Lion's Tooth of McLaren Vale Shiraz Riesling MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 32/13 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2021, Willunga 100 Shiraz Viognier MCLAREN VALE SA 86
- B 32/15 Lerida Estate: 2021, *Lerida Estate Shiraz Viognier* LAKE GEORGE NSW 86
- B 32/4 Lake Breeze Wines: 2021, Bernoota Shiraz Cabernet LANGHORNE CREEK SA 85
- B 32/7 SOUMAH: 2021, SOUMAH The Butcher Thomas Hendy Cut GRUYERE VIC 85
 - 32/1 Whistler Wines: 2021, Whistler 'Estate' Shiraz Cabernet STONE WELL SA **84**
 - 32/6 Bleasdale: 2021, Bleasdale Vineyards Broad-Side Shiraz Cabernet Malbec LANGHORNE CREEK SA **84**
 - 32/8 Sieber Wines: 2021, SIEBER Shiraz Grenache TANUNDA SA 84
 - 32/10 Sieber Wines: 2021, SIEBER Shiraz Mataro TANUNDA SA
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CLASS 33 - Shiraz dominant blends, 2020 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Some solid wines. Non-medal wines starting to tire and look a bit past their prime. Top wine still bright and fresh with years ahead of it.

- G 33/5 Lerida Estate: 2019, *Lerida Estate Shiraz Viognier* LAKE GEORGE NSW 95
- S 33/6 Yalumba Wines: 2019, Yalumba Hand Picked Shiraz Viognier ANGASTON SA 90
- S 33/8 Jacob's Creek: 2018, Johann Shiraz Cabernet ROWLAND FLAT SA 90
- B 33/2 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Single Vineyard "Redbrook Vineyard" Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 86
- B 33/7 Huntington Estate: 2018, Huntington Estate Special Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon MUDGEE NSW 85
 - 33/1 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2020, Barossa Boy Shiraz Cabernet TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 33/3 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2020, Thorn-Clarke Shotfire Shiraz Cabernet ANGASTON SA **84**
 - 33/4 Giant Steps Wine: 2020, Giant Steps Yarra Valley Syrah Carignan Grenache HEALESVILLE VIC **84**
- 33/9 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2017, Paracombe Shiraz Viognier PARACOMBE SA 83

CLASS 34 - Cabernet Sauvignon, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Too many wines were herbal and green with austere tannins, oak also came into play sitting on top of the fruit.

- **S** 34/2 Hentley Farm: 2022, *Hentley Farm Cabernet Sauvignon* SEPPELTSFIELD SA **90**
- S 34/8 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon MALAGA WA 90
- B 34/11 Stella Bella: 2022, Luminosa Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 34/4 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, DBWS Cabernet Sauvignon BILBUL NSW 87
- B 34/12 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2022, Hamelin Bay Wines Cabernet Sauvignon KARRIDALE WA 87
- B 34/10 Windance Estate: 2022, Windance Estate Glen Valley Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA 86
- B 34/17 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, Melba Amphora BILBUL NSW 85

- 34/1 Pindarie Pty Ltd: 2022, Pindarie Schoff's Hill Cabernet Sauvignon GOMERSAL SA **84**
- 34/3 WELLAND: 2022, Welland Valley & Valley Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA **84**
- 34/5 Boutique Wines by Charles Sturt Winery: 2022, Charles Sturt University Boutique Wines Cabernet Sauvignon WAGGA WAGGA NSW **84**
- 34/6 Grove Estate Wines: 2022, Grove Estate The Partners Cabernet Sauvignon YOUNG NSW **84**
- 34/7 Smallwater Estate: 2022, Smallwater Estate Rob's Block Cabernet Sauvignon NEWLANDS WA **84**
- 34/9 Cox Wine Merchants: 2022, Allegiance Wines Unity Margaret River ALSTONVILLE NSW 84
- 34/13 Windance Estate: 2022, Windance Estate Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 34/14 Capel Vale Wines: 2022, Capel Vale Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon CAPEL WA **84**
- 34/16 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Lifestyle Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA **84**
- 34/18 Casella Family Brands: 2022, [yellow tail] Cabernet Sauvignon YENDA NSW **83**

CLASS 35 - Cabernet Sauvignon, 2021

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A strong class, many solid wines, the best with balance of fruit, oak and extract.

- G 35/54 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Skillogalee Trevarrick Cabernet Sauvignon SPRING GULLY SA 95
- G 35/22 Agnew Wines: 2021, Cockfighters Ghost Single Vineyard POKOLBIN NSW 95
- G 35/37 Yalumba Wines: 2021, Yalumba Sanctum Cabernet Sauvignon ANGASTON SA 95
- G 35/86 Punt Road Wines: 2021, Punt Road Block 11 Cabernet Sauvignon COLDSTREAM VIC 95
- S 35/41 Majella Wines: 2021, Majella Cabernet Sauvignon COONAWARRA SA 93
- S 35/81 Evans & Tate: 2021, Evans & Tate Wild Cape Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 93
- **S** 35/33 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2021, *Riddoch The Author Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* TANUNDA SA **92**
- S 35/67 Devil's Lair Pty Ltd: 2021, *Devil's Lair Dance With The Devil* Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA 92
- \$ 35/82 Swings & Roundabouts: 2021, Swings & Roundabouts Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA 92
- **S** 35/43 Trentham Estate: 2021, *Trentham Reserve Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW **91**
- **S** 35/18 Lake Breeze Wines: 2021, *Lake Breeze Cabernet Sauvignon* LANGHORNE CREEK SA **90**
- \$ 35/19 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Pride of the Fleurieu Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- S 35/20 Project Wine: 2021, Angas & Bremer Cabernet Sauvignon KENT TOWN SA 90
- S 35/26 Hardys Tintara: 2021, Hardys Tintara Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **90**
- **S** 35/30 Dorrien Estate WInery: 2021, *The Advocate Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* TANUNDA SA **90**
- \$ 35/50 Jim Barry Wines: 2021, Cover Drive Cabernet CLARE SA 90
- **S** 35/56 Paulett Wines: 2021, Pauletts Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA **90**
- S 35/58 Taylors Wines: 2021, *Taylors Jaraman Cabernet Sauvignon* AUBURN SA **90**
- S 35/70 Deep Woods Estate: 2021, Deep Woods Estate Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA 90

- B 35/1 Casella Family Brands: 2021,*Hill & Valley Cabernet* Sauvingnon YENDA NSW 89
- B 35/27 Brand & Sons: 2021, Brand & Sons Sanctuary Cabernet Sauvignon MAGILL SA 89
- B 35/72 Deep Woods Estate: 2021, Deep Woods Estate Hillside Cabernet YALLINGUP WA 89
- B 35/5 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Lion's Roar Cabernet MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 35/6 Barossa Valley Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Barossa Valley Estate Cabernet Sauvignon MARANANGA SA 88
- B 35/11 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge Corryton Park Cabernet Sauvignon TANUDA SA 88
- B 35/13 Orlando Wines: 2021, Orlando Bungalow Lane Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA 88
- B 35/21 Bleasdale: 2021, Bleasdale Vineyards Mulberry Tree Cabernet Sauvignon LANGHORNE CREEK SA 88
- B 35/32 Rymill Coonawarra: 2021, Rymill Coonawarra 2021 Classic Cabernet Sauvignon GLENROY SA 88
- B 35/34 Redman Wines: 2021, Redman Cabernet Sauvignon COONAWARRA SA 88
- B 35/35 Majella Wines: 2021, *The Composer by Majella* COONAWARRA SA 88
- B 35/40 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2021, Nugan Estate Alcira Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon WILLBRIGGIE NSW 88
- B 35/42 Cox Wine Merchants: 2021, Allegiance Wines Unity Coonawarra ALSTONVILLE NSW 88
- B 35/45 Landaire: 2021, Landaire Cabernet Sauvignon PADTHAWAY SA 88
- B 35/47 Briar Ridge Vineyard: 2021, Briar Ridge Big Bully Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon MOUNT VIEW NSW 88
- B 35/51 Jim Barry Wines: 2021, The Farm Cabernet CLARE SA 88
- B 35/52 Skillogalee Estate Pty Ltd: 2021, Skillogalee Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon SPRING GULLY SA 88
- B 35/60 Taylors Wines: 2021, Taylors Reserve Parcel Cabernet Sauvignon AUBURN SA 88
- B 35/7 Grant Burge Wines: 2021, Grant Burge Cameron Vale Cabernet Sauvignon TANUDA SA 87
- B 35/25 Chapel Hill: 2021, Chapel Hill The Vinedresser Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA 87
- B 35/48 Longview Vineyard: 2021,Macclesfield Cabernet Sauvignon MACCLESFIELD SA 87
- B 35/61 Huntington Estate: 2021, Huntington Estate Special Reserve Cabernet MUDGEE NSW 87
- B 35/65 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove Majestic Cabernet Sauvignon MALAGA WA 87
- B 35/4 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Butchers Friend Barossa Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA 86
- B 35/15 WELLAND: 2021, Welland Old Hands Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA 86
- B 35/49 Longview Vineyard: 2021, *Devil's Elbow Cabernet* Sauvignon MACCLESFIELD SA 86
- B 35/53 Knappstein Wines: 2021, Knappstein Enterprise Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon CLARE SA 86
- B 35/55 Knappstein Wines: 2021, Knappstein Cabernet Sauvignon CLARE SA 86
- **B** 35/66 Driftwood Estate: 2021, Driftwood Estate Artifacts Cabernet Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA **86**
- B 35/68 Lenton Brae: 2021, *Lenton Brae Cabernet Sauvignon* WILYABRUP WA **86**
- B 35/75 Stella Bella: 2021, *Stella Bella Cabernet Sauvignon* MARGARET RIVER WA **86**

- B 35/76 Brown Hill Estate: 2021, Brown Hill Estate Ivanhoe Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 86
- B 35/79 Lenton Brae: 2021, *Lenton Brae Wilyabrup Cabernet* Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA 86
- B 35/3 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Barossa Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA 85
- B 35/8 Casella Family Brands: 2021, The Barossan Cabernet Sauvignon YENDA NSW 85
- B 35/36 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Riddoch The Pastoralist Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA 85
- B 35/39 Brand & Sons: 2021, Brand & Sons Old Town Cabernet Sauvignon MAGILL SA 85
- B 35/57 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill Inigo Cabernet Sauvignon SEVENHILL SA 85
- B 35/77 Howard Park Wines: 2021, Howard Park Miamup Cabernet Sauvignon SUBIACO WA 85
 - 35/2 Sisters Run Wine Co: 2021, Sisters Run Bethlehem Block Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 35/10 Eden Hall Wines: 2021, Eden Hall "Block 3" Cabernet Sauvignon NORTH ADELAIDE SA **84**
 - 35/16 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2021, Corryton Burge The Brigadier Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 35/17 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2021, Stonemason Cabernet Sauvignon CURRENCY CREEK SA **84**
 - 35/24 Serafino Wines: 2021, Serafino Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 35/29 SOUMAH: 2021, Skye Ridge Cabernet Sauvignon GRUYERE VIC 84
 - 35/31 Sisters Run Wine Co: 2021, Sisters Run Old Testament Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 35/38 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2021, Heirloom Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 35/44 Rymill Coonawarra: 2021, Rymill Coonawarra 2021 Sandstone Cabernet Sauvignon GLENROY SA **84**
 - 35/62 Willow Bridge Estate: 2021, Willow Bridge Esate Coat of Arms HENTY WA **84**
 - 35/63 Coughlan Estate: 2021, Coughlan Estate Cabernet Sauvignon DONNYBROOK WA 84
 - 35/69 Ringbolt Pty Ltd: 2021, *Ringbolt Cabernet Sauvignon* ANGASTON SA **84**
 - 35/71 Juniper: 2021, Juniper Three Fields Cabernet Sauvignon COWARAMUP WA **84**
 - 35/83 Gapsted Estate: 2021, Ballerina Canopy Cabernet Sauvignon GAPSTED VIC **84**
 - 35/85 Tokar Estate: 2021, Tokar Estate Coldstream Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon COLDSTREAM VIC **84**
 - 35/88 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Yarra Valley Estate Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 35/89 St Huberts Wines: 2021, St Huberts Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA **84**
 - 35/14 Château Tanunda: 2021, Grand Barossa Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA **83**
 - 35/23 Chapel Hill: 2021, Chapel Hill The Parson Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA **83**
 - 35/28 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, *Riddoch Man Of Many Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* TANUNDA SA **83**
 - 35/59 Jacob's Creek: 2021, Jacob's Creek Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA **83**
 - 35/64 Alkoomi Wines: 2021, *Alkoomi Collection Cabernet* Sauvignon FRANKLAND RIVER WA **83**

- 35/78 Windance Estate: 2021, Windance Estate Glen Valley Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA **83**
- 35/80 Credaro Family Estate: 2021, Credaro Kinship Cabernet Sauvignon CARBUNUP RIVER WA **83**
- 35/87 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Melba Amphora BILBUL NSW 83
- 35/9 Kaesler Wines: 2021, Kaesler Cabernet Sauvignon NURIOOTPA SA 82
- 35/12 Millon Wines: 2021, Estate Cabernet Sauvignon PEWSEY VALE SA 82
- 35/73 Xanadu Wines: 2021, Xanadu Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA **82**
- 35/84 SOUMAH: 2021, SOUMAH Hexham Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon GRUYERE VIC 82
- 35/90 Best's Wines: 2021, Best's Great Western Cabernet Sauvignon GREAT WESTERN VIC **81**
- 35/74 Credaro Family Estate: 2021, Credaro 1000 Crowns Cabernet Sauvignon CARBUNUP RIVER WA **80**

CLASS 36 - Cabernet Sauvignon, 2020

JUDGES' COMMENTS: To be honest a little tough to judge. Quite a few tired and dried out wines, showing premature development for 2020. The top wines showed freshness, and bright fruit characters coupled with complexity, balanced oak and herbal notes.

- G 36/25 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Wild Cape Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 95
- G 36/22 Fermoy Estate: 2020, Fermoy Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA 95
- \$ 36/28 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Redbrook Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 93
- S 36/8 Orlando Wines: 2020, Orlando Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA 91
- S 36/15 Houghton Wines: 2020, Houghton Premium Release Cabernet Sauvignon NANNUP WA 90
- \$ 36/18 Driftwood Estate: 2020, Driftwood Estate Single Site Cabernet Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA 90
- S 36/19 Fermoy Estate: 2020, Fermoy Cabernet Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA **90**
- B 36/26 Xanadu Wines: 2020, Xanadu Vinework Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 36/29 Xanadu Wines: 2020, Xanadu Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 88
- B 36/4 Yalumba Wines: 2020, Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon ANGASTON SA 86
- B 36/5 St Hugo: 2020, *St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* ROWLAND FLAT SA **86**
- B 36/17 Hardys: 2020, Hardys HRB Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN VALE SA 85
- B 36/27 Borrello Vineyards: 2020, Borrello Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 85
 - 36/2 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2020, Steeple Jack Cabernet Sauvignon CURRENCY CREEK SA **84**
 - 36/3 Vok Beverages: 2020, Beresford Classic Cabernet Sauvignon SALISBURY SOUTH SA **84**
 - 36/7 Paragon Wine Estates: 2020, *Riddoch Elgin's Crossing Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon* TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 36/10 Knappstein Wines: 2020, Knappstein Enterprise Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon CLARE SA **84**
 - 36/12 Paulett Wines: 2020, Pauletts Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon SEVENHILL, VIA CLARE SA **84**
 - 36/14 Knappstein Wines: 2020, Knappstein Cabernet Sauvignon CLARE SA **84**

- 36/20 Howard Park Wines: 2020, Howard Park Leston Cabernet Sauvignon SUBIACO WA 84
- 36/21 Wise Wine: 2020, Wise Wine "Eagle Bay" Cabernet Sauvignon EAGLE BAY WA **84**
- 36/30 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, *Woodfired Cabernet Sauvignon* BILBUL NSW **84**
- 36/6 Rymill Coonawarra: 2020, Rymill Coonawarra 2020 Classic Cabernet Sauvignon GLENROY SA **83**
- 36/9 Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate: 2020, Jaeschkes Hill River Clare Estate Cabernet Sauvignon CLARE SA 83
- 36/11 Sevenhill Cellars: 2020, Sevenhill Inigo Cabernet Sauvignon SEVENHILL SA 83
- 36/16 Howard Park Wines: 2020, Howard Park Scotsdale Cabernet Sauvignon SUBIACO WA 83
- 36/23 ALDI Stores: 2020, Blackstone Paddock Cabernet Sauvignon MINCHINBURY NSW 83
- 36/31 Brown Family Wine Group: 2020, Brown Brothers Origins Cabernet Sauvignon MILAWA VIC 83
- 36/13 Taylors Wines: 2020, Taylors St Andrews Cabernet Sauvignon AUBURN SA 82
- 36/1 Stage Door Wine Co: 2020, Stage Door Wine Co "Headliner" Cabernet Sauvignon HENLEY BEACH SA **81**

CLASS 37- Cabernet Sauvignon, 2019 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Nice class which caused much discussion between the judges. Top awards winners had excellent fruit flavours and supple tannins and weren't over swamped with too much oak. Non award winners were either over oaked or too advanced.

- G 37/12 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2019, Paracombe Cabernet Sauvignon PARACOMBE SA 95
- G 37/6 Yalumba Wines: 2019, Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon ANGASTON SA 95
- S 37/9 Yalumba Wines: 2019, Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon ANGASTON SA 92
- S 37/2 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2019, Corryton Burge The Brigadier Cabernet Sauvignon TANUNDA SA 90
- **S** 37/29 De Bortoli Wines: 2017, *Deen De Bortoli Cabernet* Sauvignon BILBUL NSW **90**
- B 37/13 Evans & Tate: 2019, Evans & Tate Redbrook Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon MARGARET RIVER WA 89
- B 37/4 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2019, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Reserve Series 'Punch' Cabernet Sauvignon MCLAREN FLAT SA 88
- B 37/15 Stormflower Vineyard: 2019, Stormflower 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon WILYABRUP WA 88
- B 37/16 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2019, Robert Oatley The Pennant Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon MUDGEE NSW 88
- B 37/21 Casella Family Brands: 2018, Blockers Cabernet Sauvignon YENDA NSW 88
- B 37/23 Yalumba Wines: 2018, Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon ANGASTON SA 88
- B 37/7 Jack Estate: 2019, Jack Estate Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon COONAWARRA SA 87
- B 37/8 St Hugo: 2019, St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA 87
- B 37/18 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2019, Tahbilk Cabernet Sauvignon NAGAMBIE VIC 87
- B 37/19 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2018, Robert Oatley Limited Release Barossa Cabernet Sauvignon MUDGEE NSW 87
- B 37/25 Brown Family Wine Group: 2018, Brown Brothers Patricia Cabernet Sauvignon MILAWA VIC 87

- B 37/5 Vok Beverages: 2019, Beresford Estate Cabernet Sauvignon SALISBURY SOUTH SA 86
- B 37/11 Orlando Wines: 2019, Orlando Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 37/14 Simpson Estate: 2019, Simpson Estate 'Jenny' Cabernet Sauvignon YALLINGUP WA 86
- B 37/20 Orlando Wines: 2018, Orlando Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 37/27 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2017, Eric Stevens Purbrick 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon NAGAMBIE VIC 86
- B 37/28 Brown Family Wine Group: 2017, Brown Brothers Patricia Cabernet Sauvignon MILAWA VIC 85
 - 37/3 Orlando Wines: 2019, Orlando Bungalow Lane Cabernet Sauvignon ROWLAND FLAT SA **84**
 - 37/17 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2019, Robert Oatley Finisterre Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 37/22 Casella Family Brands: 2018, *The Marching Captain Cabernet Sauvignon* YENDA NSW **84**
 - 37/26 Currency Wine Estates Pty Ltd: 2017, RMS Cabernet Sauvignon CURRENCY CREEK SA 84
 - 37/30 Vinifera Wines: 2016, Vinifera Organically Grown Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon BOMBIRA NSW **84**
 - 37/10 Casella Family Brands: 2019, Barrelman Cabernet Sauvignon YENDA NSW 83
 - 37/24 A. G. Oatley Wines: 2018, Robert Oatley Finisterre Great Southern Cabernet Sauvignon MUDGEE NSW **82**

CLASS 38 - Cabernet Sauvignon dominant blends, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Small class with a few highlights, young Cabernet sauvignon dominant blends that will continue to develop with a little time.

- S 38/1 Hamelin Bay Wines: 2022, Hamelin Bay Wines Cabernet Malbec KARRIDALE WA 93
- S 38/6 Majella Wines: 2022, *The Musician by Majella* COONAWARRA SA **90**
- B 38/7 Kyneton Ridge: 2022, Kyneton Ridge Cabernet Shiraz KYNETON VIC 86
- B 38/3 Windance Estate: 2022, Windance Estate Cabernet Merlot YALLINGUP WA 85
 - 38/2 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2022, Nugan Estate Cookoothama Cabernet Merlot WILLBRIGGIE NSW **84**
 - 38/4 Bunnamagoo Wines: 2022, Bunnamagoo Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot MUDGEE NSW **84**
 - 38/5 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2022, Engine Room Cabernet Sangiovese MCLAREN FLAT SA **84**

CLASS 39 - Cabernet Sauvignon dominant blends, 2021

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Lovely class of diverse style. The top wines a cut above for fruit purity and precise oak and tannin management.

- G 39/3 Jim Barry Wines: 2021, The Farm Cabernet Malbec CLARE SA 95
- G 39/19 Majella Wines: 2021, The Musician by Majella COONAWARRA SA 95
- S 39/27 Willunga Hundred Pty Ltd: 2021, Willunga 100 Cabernet Shiraz MCLAREN VALE SA 93
- S 39/11 Stella Bella: 2021, *Stella Bella Cabernet Merlot* MARGARET RIVER WA **92**
- S 39/6 Lake Breeze Wines: 2021, Bull Ant Cabernet Merlot LANGHORNE CREEK SA 91
- B 39/17 Redman Wines: 2021, *Redman THE REDMAN* COONAWARRA SA 89

- B 39/5 Bleasdale: 2021, Bleasdale Vineyards Frank Potts LANGHORNE CREEK SA 88
- B 39/22 Yalumba Wines: 2021, Yalumba The Signature Cabernet Sauvignon & Shiraz ANGASTON SA 88
- B 39/25 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Black Label Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 39/26 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Wolf Blass Grey Label Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 39/2 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Riddoch Man Of Many Coonawarra Cabernet Malbec TANUNDA SA 86
- B 39/13 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, *Riddoch The Representative* Coonawarra Cabernet Merlot TANUNDA SA **86**
- B 39/20 St Hugo: 2021, St Hugo Cabernet Shiraz ROWLAND FLAT SA 86
- B 39/1 Taylors Wines: 2021,*Taylors Taylor Made Cabernet* Malbec AUBURN SA **85**
- B 39/18 Stella Bella: 2021, Skuttlebutt Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz MARGARET RIVER WA 85
- B 39/23 Huntington Estate: 2021, Huntington Estate Grand Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz MUDGEE NSW 85
 - 39/4 Deep Woods Estate: 2021, Deep Woods Estate Single Vineyard Cabernet Malbec YALLINGUP WA **84**
 - 39/7 Windance Estate: 2021, Windance Estate Cabernet Merlot YALLINGUP WA **84**
 - 39/8 Juniper: 2021, Juniper Crossing Original Red COWARAMUP WA 84
 - 39/9 Swings & Roundabouts: 2021, Swings & Roundabouts Cabernet Merlot YALLINGUP WA **84**
 - 39/14 Forester Winery: 2021, Forester Estate Lifestyle Cabernet Merlot YALLINGUP WA 84
 - 39/15 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: 2021, Sacred Hill Cabernet Merlot BILBUL NSW 84
 - 39/16 Sevenhill Cellars: 2021, Sevenhill St Ignatius SEVENHILL SA 84
 - 39/21 Sieber Wines: 2021, SIEBER Cabernet Shiraz TANUNDA SA 84
 - 39/28 Cherubino: 2021, *Uovo Cabernet Touriga* WILYABRUP WA 84
 - 39/10 Redman Wines: 2021, *Redman Cabernet Merlot* COONAWARRA SA **83**
 - 39/12 Wignalls Wines: 2021, Wignalls Cabernet Merlot ALBANY WA 83
 - 39/24 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove Queen of Sheba Cabernet Shiraz MALAGA WA **83**

CLASS 40 - Cabernet Sauvignon dominant blends, 2020 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Showcasing mainly the 2020 vintage, tannins are very tough with not enough fruit suppleness.

- G 40/20 Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd: 2018, Wolf Blass Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 95
- S 40/8 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Cabernet Merlot MARGARET RIVER WA 92
- S 40/10 St Hugo: 2020, *St Hugo Cabernet Shiraz* ROWLAND FLAT SA **90**
- B 40/12 Evans & Tate: 2019, Evans & Tate Redbrook Estate Cabernet Merlot MARGARET RIVER WA 89
- B 40/17 Yalumba Wines: 2019, Yalumba The Signature Cabernet Sauvignon & Shiraz ANGASTON SA 88
- B 40/6 Sevenhill Cellars: 2020, *Sevenhill St Ignatius* SEVENHILL SA 87

- B 40/9 Andrew Peace Wines: 2020, Andrew Peace Australia Felix Barrel Reserve Cabernet Shiraz PIANGIL VIC
 86
 - 40/1 Thorn-Clarke Wines: 2020, Thorn-Clarke Shotfire Quartage ANGASTON SA **84**
 - 40/4 Casella Family Brands: 2020, *Blockers Cabernet Merlot* YENDA NSW **84**
 - 40/5 Brown Hill Estate: 2020, Brown Hill Estate Perseverance Cabernet Merlot MARGARET RIVER WA **84**
 - 40/13 Shottesbrooke Vineyards: 2019, Shottesbrooke Vineyards Reserve Series 'The Proprietor' MCLAREN FLAT SA **84**
 - 40/14 Blue Pyrenees Estate: 2019, Blue Pyrenees Estate Red AVOCA VIC 84
 - 40/15 Redman Wines: 2019, *Redman THE REDMAN* COONAWARRA SA **84**
 - 40/16 St Hugo: 2019, *St Hugo Cabernet Shiraz* ROWLAND FLAT SA **84**
 - 40/18 Petaluma Wines: 2018, Petaluma Coonawarra Evans Vineyard Cabernet Merlot MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
 - 40/2 Lake Breeze Wines: 2020, Arthurs Reserve LANGHORNE CREEK SA 83
 - 40/3 Simpson Estate: 2020, Simpson Estate 'Jenny' Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot YALLINGUP WA **83**
 - 40/19 Simpson Estate: 2018, Simpson Estate ' Jenny' Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot YALLINGUP WA **83**
- 40/21 Tahbilk Pty Ltd: 2018, Old Vine Cabernet Shiraz NAGAMBIE VIC 83
- 40/7 Helen's Hill Vineyard: 2020, Helen's Hill Old Orchard Cabernets LILYDALE VIC 82

CLASS 41 - Other red varietals, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Diverse range of wines, that was very enjoyable to judge. People starting to have a clear vision of what they want to achieve with the varieties. Top wines showed good varietal character and high drinkability. A number of wines looking a little raw and undeveloped/finished, perhaps needing a little more time before bottling. Conversely also need to watch oak use to allow full expression of varieties. Overall fun and exciting times.

- G 41/33 Serafino Wines: 2022, Serafino Bellissimo Sangiovese MCLAREN VALE SA 95
- G 41/1 Mercer Wines: 2022, *Mercer Barbera* NORTH ROTHBURY NSW 95
- \$ 41/12 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, PHI Gamay Noir BILBUL NSW 93
- S 41/16 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Malbec POKOLBIN NSW 93
- S 41/22 Serafino Wines: 2022, Serafino Bellissimo Montepulciano MCLAREN VALE SA 92
- S 41/9 Golding Wines: 2022, Golding Ombre Gamay LOBETHAL SA 90
- S 41/14 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards The Reed Patch Malbec LANGHORNE CREEK SA 90
- S 41/15 First Creek Wines: 2022, First Creek Limited Release Malbec POKOLBIN NSW 90
- S 41/18 Mercer Wines: 2022, Mercer Wines Malbec NORTH ROTHBURY NSW 90
- S 41/28 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, *Ricca Terra Nero D'Avola* ANGASTON SA **90**
- S 41/35 Berrigan Wines: 2022, Berrigan Wines Sangiovese NAIRNE SA 90
- S 41/39 Saltram Wine Estate: 2022, Saltram Winemakers Selection Sangiovese NURIOOTPA SA **90**

- S 41/40 Penny's Hill: 2022, Penny's Hill Touriga MCLAREN VALE SA 90
- B 41/3 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, The Lane Vineyard Provenance Cabernet Franc HAHNDORF SA 89
- B 41/20 Pindarie Pty Ltd: 2022, Pindarie Small Block Montepulciano GOMERSAL SA 89
- B 41/36 De Bortoli Wines: 2022, Bellariva Sangiovese BILBUL NSW 89
- B 41/23 CORIOLE PTY. LTD.: 2022, Coriole Montepulciano MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 41/32 Pinnacle Drinks: 2022, The Ethereal One Fleurieu Sangiovese TANUNDA SA 88
- B 41/17 Andrew Peace Wines: 2022, Andrew Peace Empress Wrattonbully Malbec PIANGIL VIC 86
- B 41/29 ALDI Stores: 2022, Eastern Laneway Vintners Nero D'Avola MINCHINBURY NSW 86
- B 41/30 Rymill Coonawarra: 2022, Rymill Coonawarra 2022 Pioneers Petit Verdot GLENROY SA 86
- B 41/38 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Sangiovese BILBUL NSW 86
- B 41/41 Smallwater Estate: 2022, Smallwater Estate Zinfandel NEWLANDS WA 86
- B 41/4 Artwine: 2022, Artwine Pack Leader, Cabernet Franc WOODSIDE SA 85
- B 41/7 Esplanade Wines: 2022, Esplanade Wine Carmenere SPIT JUNCTION NSW 85
- B 41/19 Capel Vale Wines: 2022, Capel Vale Debut Malbec CAPEL WA 85
- B 41/26 Paragon Wine Estates: 2022, Chapel Hill The MV McLaren Vale Mourvedre TANUNDA SA 85
- B 41/31 St Huberts Wines: 2022, St Huberts Pinot Meunier NURIOOTPA SA 85
 - 41/2 Château Tanunda: 2022, Old Cooperage Cabernet Franc TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 41/8 Andrew Peace Wines: 2022, Andrew Peace Full Moon Durif PIANGIL VIC 84
 - 41/10 The Lane Vineyard: 2022, *The Lane Vineyard Provenance Gamay* HAHNDORF SA **84**
 - 41/11 Artwine: 2022, Artwine, Smiling Gamay WOODSIDE SA 84
 - 41/37 Brokenwood Wines: 2022, Brokenwood Sangiovese POKOLBIN NSW 84
 - 41/42 Ferngrove Wines: 2022, Ferngrove Independence Zinfandel MALAGA WA **84**
 - 41/24 ROBERT STEIN WINERY PTY LTD: 2022, Robert Stein Bluhen Montepulciano MUDGEE NSW **83**
 - 41/27 Mount Towrong Vineyard: 2022, Mount Towrong Vineyard Negroamaro MOUNT MACEDON VIC 83
 - 41/34 Salena Estate Wines: 2022, Ink Series Sangiovese BOOKPURNONG SA 83
 - 41/6 Bleasdale: 2022, Bleasdale Vineyards Cabernet Franc LANGHORNE CREEK SA 82
 - 41/13 Dewey Station Wines: 2022, Dewey Station Wines Off the Beaten Track Graciano 2022 SMITHFIELD SA **82**
 - 41/25 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Limited Release Montepulciano MILAWA VIC 82

CLASS 42 - Other red varietals, 2021 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Educational class to judge! Most varieties held their true personality with minimal winemaker intervention, the best wines were delicious with high drinkability.

- G 42/32 Eden Road Wine Company Pty Ltd: 2021, Eden Road Gundagai Sangiovese MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 95
- G 42/9 Knappstein Wines: 2021, Knappstein Malbec CLARE SA 95
- S 42/18 Coles Liquor: 2021, Freebird McLaren Vale Montepulciano MELBOURNE VIC 93
- **S** 42/22 Longview Vineyard: 2021, *Saturnus* MACCLESFIELD SA **91**
- S 42/23 Joval Family Wines Pty Ltd: 2021, Tar & Roses The Fog Nebbiolo NAGAMBIE VIC 90
- S 42/26 George's Folly Wines: 2021, *George's Folly "Unguarded Moment" Nero d'Avola* CURRENCY CREEK SA 90
- S 42/37 Lowe Family Wine Co.: 2021, *Lowe Wines Zinfandel* MUDGEE NSW 90
- S 42/41 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2018, Paracombe Cabernet Franc PARACOMBE SA 90
- B 42/36 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2021, Hahndorf Hill Zsa Zsa Zweigelt HAHNDORF SA 89
- B 42/7 Landaire: 2021, Landaire Graciano PADTHAWAY SA 88
- B 42/16 Barossa Valley Wine Company: 2021, Barossa Valley Wine Company The Residence Montepulciano BURONGA NSW 88
- B 42/17 Barristers Block Premium Wines: 2021, Barristers Block Montepulciano WOODSIDE SA 88
- B 42/20 Gapsted Estate: 2021, Valley Selection Montepulciano GAPSTED VIC 88
- B 42/21 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Chapel Hill The MV Mourvedre TANUNDA SA 88
- B 42/1 Longview Vineyard: 2021, Jupiter Barbera MACCLESFIELD SA 87
- B 42/33 Gapsted Estate: 2021, Ballerina Canopy Saperavi GAPSTED VIC 87
- B 42/28 Gapsted Estate: 2021, Valley Selection Primitivo GAPSTED VIC 86
- B 42/25 Grove Estate Wines: 2018, Grove Estate Sommita Nebbiolo YOUNG NSW 85
- B 42/30 Agnew Wines: 2021, Audrey Wilkinson Winemakers Selection POKOLBIN NSW 85
- B 42/39 Andrew Peace Wines: 2020, Andrew Peace Australia Felix Sagrantino PIANGIL VIC 85
- B 42/40 Forester Winery: 2020, Forester Estate Jack out the Box Fer YALLINGUP WA 85
 - 42/3 DB Production: 2021, Rutherglen Estate Durif BILBUL NSW 84
 - 42/4 DB Production: 2021, Renaissance Durif BILBUL NSW 84
 - 42/5 De Bortoli Wines: 2020, *Deen De Bortoli Durif* BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 42/8 Pinnacle Drinks: 2021, Mockingbird Hill Clare Valley Malbec TANUNDA SA **84**
- 42/11 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Brown Brothers Origins Malbec MILAWA VIC **84**
- 42/12 Evans & Tate: 2020, Evans & Tate Single Vineyard "Carter Road Vineyard" Malbec MARGARET RIVER WA **84**
- 42/13 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove Black Label Malbec MALAGA WA **84**
- 42/14 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards March Hare of the Barossa Mataro MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 42/15 Burge Family Wine Estates: 2021, Barossa Boy Young Wisdom Mataro TANUNDA SA **84**

- 42/19 De Bortoli Wines: 2021, Regional Classic Heathcote Monrepulciano BILBUL NSW **84**
- 42/27 P&A FIUMARA & SONS PTY LTD: 2021, Lillypilly Petit Verdot LEETON NSW **84**
- 42/34 Heirloom Vineyards Wine Co: 2021, *Heirloom Adelaide Hills Syrah* MCLAREN VALE SA **84**
- 42/2 Dandelion Vineyards: 2021, Dandelion Vineyards Midnight Rainbow Petite Sirah MCLAREN VALE SA 83
- 42/24 SOUMAH: 2020, SOUMAH Hexham Vineyard Nebbiolo GRUYERE VIC 83
- 42/38 NUGAN ESTATE PTY LTD: 2020, Nugan Estate Single Vineyard Zinfandel WILLBRIGGIE NSW 83
- 42/6 DB Production: 2019, Renaissance Durif BILBUL NSW 82
- 42/10 Ferngrove Wines: 2021, Ferngrove King Malbec MALAGA WA 82
- 42/31 New Era Vineyards: 2021, New Era Vineyards Sangiovese WATTLE PARK SA 82
- 42/29 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2NV21, Hahndorf Hill The Foundling Saint Laurent HAHNDORF SA **79**
- 42/35 Project Wine: 2021, Angas & Bremer Touriga Nacional KENT TOWN SA **79**

CLASS 43 - Red blends, 2022

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Vibrant and youthful red blends. Top wines showing good promise and should benefit from some time in bottle.

- S 43/4 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2022, Wicks Estate Pinot Syrah ADELAIDE SA 91
- S 43/5 Hungerford Hill: 2022, Hungerford Hill Tempranillo Graciano POKOLBIN NSW 91
- B 43/1 Ross Hill Wines: 2022, Ross Hill Isabelle Cabernet Franc Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot ORANGE NSW 87
- B 43/6 Ricca Terra Vintners: 2022, *Ricca Terra Bullets Before Cannonballs* ANGASTON SA **86**
- B 43/7 Pindarie Pty Ltd: 2022, Pindarie T.S.S GOMERSAL SA 85
 - 43/2 DB Production: 2022, Rutherglen Estate Burgoyne's Block BILBUL NSW 84
 - 43/3 Longview Vineyard: 2022, Fresco MACCLESFIELD SA 84
 - 43/8 Dalwood Estate: 2022, Dalwood Estate Tempranillo Touriga POKOLBIN NSW **84**

CLASS 44 - Red blends, 2021 and older

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Interesting class in which wines spoke well to their varieties. Top wines had lovely balance and interest.

- G 44/6 Paragon Wine Estates: 2021, Shingleback The Bio Project Tempranillo Blend TANUNDA SA 95
- G 44/2 George's Folly Wines: 2021, George's Folly "Pigs Might Fly" Montepulciano/Nero d'Avola CURRENCY CREEK SA 95
- S 44/3 Brown Brothers Tasmania: 2021, Devil's Corner Mt Dove Pinot Syrah MILAWA VIC 91
- S 44/9 Big Easy Radio: 2020, Big Easy Radio Funtime Fountain -Sangiovese Montepulciano ALDINGA BEACH SA 91
- B 44/10 De Bortoli Wines: 2019, Deen De Bortoli Master Blend BILBUL NSW 87
- B 44/5 Brown Family Wine Group: 2021, Brown Brothers Winemaker's Series Tempranillo Graciano MILAWA VIC 85
 - 44/1 Rymill Coonawarra: 2021, Rymill Coonawarra 2021 Pioneers MC2 GLENROY SA **84**
 - 44/8 Calabria Family Wines: 2020, Alternato Red Blend GRIFFITH NSW **84**

- 44/11 Paracombe Premium Wines: 2017, Paracombe The Reuben PARACOMBE SA 84
- 44/4 Hahndorf Hill Winery Pty Ltd: 2021, Hahndorf Hill Benediction HAHNDORF SA **82**

SPARKLING CLASSES

CLASS 45 - White & Rosé sparkling wine, classic varieties and blends thereof (Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier), bottlefermented (transfer and Méthode Traditionelle), less than 30 months tirage age. Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A really nice bracket of wines, Top two wines showed precision, balanced dosage and high drinkability factor along with really well handled base wines. Lots of fun to judge.

- G 45/5 House of Arras: NV, House of Arras Blanc de Blancs PIPERS RIVER TAS 95
- G 45/10 Kreglinger Wine Estates: NV, Kreglinger Brut Rose PIPERS BROOK TAS 95
- S 45/9 House of Arras: NV, *House of Arras A by Arras Premium Cuvee* PIPERS RIVER TAS **90**
- B 45/6 Kreglinger Wine Estates: NV, Kreglinger Brut PIPERS BROOK TAS 89
- B 45/7 Burge Family Wine Estates: NV, Amelia Burge Brut Pinot Noir Chardonnay TANUNDA SA 89
- B 45/2 Yarra Burn: 2021, Yarra Burn Victoria Vintage Pinot Noir Chardonnay MCLAREN VALE SA 88
- B 45/8 House of Arras: NV, House of Arras A by Arras Rose PIPERS RIVER TAS 88
- B 45/1 Blue Pyrenees Estate: 2021, Blue Pyrenees Estate Midnight AVOCA VIC 85
 - 45/3 Simon Tolley Wines: 2021, Simon Tolley 'Methode Traditionnelle' Pinot Noir/Chardonnay WOODSIDE SA **84**
 - 45/4 Howard Park Wines: NV, *Howard Park Petit Jeté* SUBIACO WA **84**

CLASS 46 - White & Rosé sparkling wine, classic varieties and blends thereof (Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier), bottlefermented (transfer and Méthode Traditionelle), 30 months or more tirage age. Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Many great wines, teasing out the top ones was enjoyable, both in NV and Vintage. Best wines with bright fruit and complexing characteristics.

- G 46/21 House of Arras: 2015, House of Arras Grand Vintage PIPERS RIVER TAS 96
- G 46/6 Spring Vale Vineyards: 2017, Spring Vale Family Selection Blanc de Blanc CRANBROOK TAS 95
- G 46/13 Golding Wines: 2016, Golding Marjorie Blanc de Blancs LOBETHAL SA 95
- G 46/36 Jacob's Creek: NV, Jacob Premium Cuvée ROWLAND FLAT SA 95
- S 46/19 House of Arras: 2015, *House of Arras Blanc de Blancs* PIPERS RIVER TAS 93
- S 46/29 Centennial Vineyards: NV, *Centennial Vineyards Blanc de Blancs* BOWRAL NSW 93
- \$ 46/31 Printhie Wines: NV, Swift Rose Brut MOLONG NSW 93
- S 46/33 Brown Brothers Tasmania: NV, Pirie Sparkling MILAWA VIC 93
- S 46/11 Jacob's Creek: 2017, Jacob's Creek Our Limited Release Pinot Noir Chardonnay Pinot Meunier ROWLAND FLAT SA 92
- \$ 46/32 Printhie Wines: NV, Swift Cuvee Brut MOLONG NSW 92

- S 46/7 Sittella Wines: 2017, Grand Vintage Blanc de Blancs HERNE HILL WA 90
- S 46/9 Josef Chromy Wines: 2017, JOSEF CHROMY BRUT ROSE FINESSE RELBIA TAS 90
- S 46/12 Domaine Chandon: 2017, Vintage Brut MELBOURNE VIC 90
- S 46/16 Sittella Wines: 2016, Grand Vintage "Marie Christein Lugten" HERNE HILL WA 90
- S 46/20 Heemskerk Wines: 2015, Heemskerk Chardonnay Pinot Noir Sparkling NURIOOTPA SA 90
- B 46/25 House of Arras: 2015, House of Arras Rose PIPERS RIVER TAS 89
- B 46/4 Yabby Lake Vineyard: 2018, Yabby Lake Cuvee Nina TUERONG VIC 88
- B 46/37 Brown Family Wine Group: NV, Brown Brothers Premium Cuvee MILAWA VIC 88
- B 46/3 Croser Wines: 2019, Croser Vintage Sparkling WOODSIDE SA 87
- B 46/30 Howard Park Wines: NV, Howard Park Jeté Brut SUBIACO WA 87
- B 46/1 Forester Winery: 2019, Forester Estate Georgette Sparkling Brut YALLINGUP WA 86
- B 46/8 Domaine Chandon: 2017, Vintage Blanc De Blancs MELBOURNE VIC 86
- B 46/10 Brown Family Wine Group: 2017, Brown Brothers Patricia Pinot Noir Chardonnay Brut MILAWA VIC 86
- B 46/15 The Gilbert Family Wine Company: 2016, Gilbert Methode Traditionelle APPLE TREE FLAT NSW 86
- B 46/24 Sidewood Estate: 2015, Sidewood Isabella Rose Sparkling OAKBANK SA 86
- B 46/34 Howard Park Wines: NV, Howard Park Jeté Rosé SUBIACO WA 85
- B 46/35 Centennial Vineyards: NV, Centennial Vineyards Brut Traditionelle BOWRAL NSW 85
 - 46/5 Grant Burge Wines: 2018, Grant Burge Vintage Pinot Noir Chardonnay TANUDA SA **84**
 - 46/18 Frazer Woods Wines: 2015, La Cache Blanc de Blanc WILYABRUP WA **84**
 - 46/22 Sidewood Estate: 2015, Sidewood Chloe Cuvee OAKBANK SA **84**
 - 46/23 St Huberts Wines: 2015, *St Huberts Blanc de Noir* NURIOOTPA SA **84**
 - 46/27 Domaine Chandon: 2012, Late Disgorge MELBOURNE VIC 84
 - 46/2 Printhie Wines: 2019, *Swift Blanc de Noirs* MOLONG NSW 83
 - 46/14 Wicks Estate Wines Pty Ltd: 2016, *Wicks Estate Pamela* ADELAIDE SA **83**
 - 46/17 Lost Farm Wines: 2016, Lost Farm HAZELWOOD PARK SA 83
 - 46/28 Sittella Wines: 2010, Grand Prestige Late Disgorged "Blanc de blancs" HERNE HILL WA **83**
 - 46/26 Frazer Woods Wines: 2012, *La Cache Chardonnay Pinot Noir* WILYABRUP WA **82**

CLASS 47 - White & Rosé sparkling wine, classic varieties and blends thereof (Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier), Charmat. Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Fairly simple one dimensional class. Most wines showed freshness without huge amounts of complexity.

- B 47/4 Jacob's Creek: NV, Jacob's Creek Reserve Sparkling Chardonnay Pinot Noir ROWLAND FLAT SA 88
- **B** 47/1 Jack Rabbit Vineyard: 2022, Jack Rabbit Vineyard Sparkling Blanc de Blanc BELLARINE VIC **86**
- B 47/2 Golding Wines: 2022, Golding Bel Mosaico Sparkling Rosé LOBETHAL SA 86
- B 47/5 Jacob's Creek: NV, Trilogy Sparkling White ROWLAND FLAT SA 85
 - 47/3 Vintage Foods Pty Ltd: NV, Sacred Hill Brut BILBUL NSW 84
 - 47/6 Lost Farm Wines: NV, Lost Farm HAZELWOOD PARK SA 83

CLASS 48 - White & Rosé sparkling and semi-sparkling wine, minimum 85% Muscat Varieties, bottle fermented, carbonated, Charmat and retained CO2. (e.g. Moscato). Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Small class which could have better displayed fruit freshness and sugar balance.

- B 48/1 Trentham Estate: 2023, *The Family Moscato* TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 85
- B 48/4 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Emeri Pink Moscato BILBUL NSW 85
 - 48/2 De Bortoli Wines: NV, *De Bortoli Petite Moscato* BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 48/3 Casella Family Brands: NV, [yellow tail] Moscato YENDA NSW 82

CLASS 49 - White & Rosé Sparkling and Semi-sparkling wine, non-Muscat and non-classic varieties and blends, blends of non-Muscat and non-classic varieties with classic varieties, bottle fermented (transfer and Méthode Traditionelle), Charmat and retained CO2. (e.g. Prosecco, Sparkling Chenin Blanc, Sparkling Sauvignon Blanc, Petillant Naturel). Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: A class of solid commercially sound wines. Biggest issue was overt use of residual sugar with a lot of wines out of balance. Top wine showed some complexity and length of flavour.

- S 49/10 Jacob's Creek: NV, Jacob's Creek Reserve Sparkling Prosecco ROWLAND FLAT SA 90
- B 49/2 Brown Family Wine Group: 2022, Brown Brothers Premium Brut Prosecco MILAWA VIC 89
- B 49/7 Brown Family Wine Group: NV, Innocent Bystander Prosecco MILAWA VIC 87
- B 49/8 De Bortoli Wines: NV, De Bortoli King Valley Prosecco BILBUL NSW 87
- B 49/11 Andrew Peace Wines: NV, Andrew Peace Cora Prosecco PIANGIL VIC 85
- **B** 49/14 De Bortoli Wines: NV, *De Bortoli King Valley Prosecco Rose* BILBUL NSW **85**
 - 49/3 Hollydene Estate: 2022, Hollydene Estate Kimba Sparkling Semillon JERRYS PLAINS NSW **84**
 - 49/5 Gapsted Estate: NV, Valley Selection Pinot Grigio Rose GAPSTED VIC **84**
 - 49/6 Vok Beverages: NV, PRESS + BLOOM Prosecco SALISBURY SOUTH SA 84
 - 49/9 Gapsted Estate: NV, Alpine Road Prosecco GAPSTED VIC 84
 - 49/12 Gapsted Estate: NV, High Country Prosecco GAPSTED VIC 84
 - 49/1 Mount Towrong Vineyard: 2022, Mount Towrong Vineyard Vivace MOUNT MACEDON VIC 83

49/4 Casella Family Brands: NV, [yellow tail] Bubbles YENDA NSW 83

- 49/13 Trentham Estate: NV, The Family N.V. Prosecco TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 83
- 49/15 George's Folly Wines: NV, George's Folly "Off with the Fairies" Sparkling Roussanne CURRENCY CREEK SA 83

CLASS 50 - White & Rosé sparkling wine, all varieties and blends, excluding those eligible for Class 49, carbonated. Any Vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Nothing with the complexity seen in Class 45 and 46.

- B 50/2 A. G. Oatley Wines: NV, Yves Premium Cuvee MUDGEE NSW 86
 - 50/4 Paracombe Premium Wines: NV, Paracombe Pinot Noir Chardonnay 2022 Release PARACOMBE SA 84
 - 50/1 Forester Winery: 2022, Forester Estate Brut Cuvee YALLINGUP WA 83
 - 50/3 Paracombe Premium Wines: NV, Paracombe A Trio of Pinot PARACOMBE SA **81**

CLASS 51 - Red sparkling, any variety or blend, bottle-fermented (transfer and Méthode Traditionelle), Charmat, carbonated. Any Vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Diverse class. Top few wines showing real intent with nice layering and thoughtful tannin management in relation to bead.

- S 51/8 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Woodfired Sparkling Shiraz BILBUL NSW 91
- S 51/10 Bleasdale: NV, Bleasdale Sparkling Shiraz LANGHORNE CREEK SA 90
- B 51/2 Majella Wines: 2021, Sparkling Shiraz COONAWARRA SA 88
- B 51/5 B Seppelt & Sons Limited: 2012, Seppelt Show Sparkling Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 88
- B 51/9 Treasury Wine Estates: NV, Pepperjack Sparkling Shiraz NURIOOTPA SA 87
- B 51/1 Trentham Estate: 2023, The Family Frizzante Maestri TRENTHAM CLIFFS NSW 86
 - 51/3 De Bortoli Wines: 2019, Rutherglen Estate Sparkling Shiraz Durif BILBUL NSW **84**
 - 51/4 Casella Family Brands: 2018, Black Queen Sparkling Shiraz YENDA NSW **84**
 - 51/7 Gapsted Estate: NV, Ballerina Canopy Sparkling Saperavi GAPSTED VIC **84**
 - 51/12 St Hallett Wines: NV, St Hallett Black Sparkling Shiraz TANUDA SA 84
 - 51/14 Z WINE PTY LTD: NV, Z WINE [FEIERN] Cuvee Noir | Methode Traditionelle TANUNDA SA **84**
 - 51/6 Frazer Woods Wines: 2009, *La Cache Sparkling Shiraz* WILYABRUP WA **83**
 - 51/11 Grant Burge Wines: NV, Grant Burge Sparkling Shiraz Cabernet TANUDA SA 83

FORTIFIED WINE CLASSES

CLASS 52 - Apera, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage) No Entries

CLASS 53 - Flavoured Fortified Wine e.g. Vermouth, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: One entry, only OK quality.

53/1 Turkey Flat Vineyards: NV, *Turkey Flat Quinquina White* TANUNDA SA **83**

CLASS 54 - Fortified Dessert Wine e.g. Madeira style, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Interesting style. Lacks freshness.

B 54/1 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Black Noble BILBUL NSW 89

CLASS 55 - Tawny - Australian & Classic, Grand & Rare, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Superb class with much discussion over the top wine. Main faults were the wines being too sweet or looking a little weary. Top wines had vibrancy, vitality and freshness.

- G 55/7 Penfolds Wines Pty Ltd: NV, *Penfolds Grandfather Rare Tawny* NURIOOTPA SA **96**
- G 55/6 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Cellar Reserve Tawny* RUTHERGLEN VIC **95**
- G 55/9 Saltram Wine Estate: NV, Saltram Mr Pickwick Rare Tawny NV NURIOOTPA SA 95
- S 55/4 Vok Beverages: NV, Galway Pipe Grand Tawny 12YO SALISBURY SOUTH SA 90
- S 55/10 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Old Boy's 21 Year Old Aged Tawny BILBUL NSW 90
- B 55/8 Vok Beverages: NV, Galway Pipe Rare Tawny 25YO SALISBURY SOUTH SA 89
- B 55/1 Pinnacle Drinks: NV, Cat Amongst the Pigeons Fat Cat Tawny TANUNDA SA 88
- B 55/3 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Eight Year Old Fine Tawny BILBUL NSW 88
- B 55/11 Calabria Family Wines: NV, Hanwood Estate 20 Year Old Tawny GRIFFITH NSW 88
- B 55/2 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Classic Tawny* RUTHERGLEN VIC 86
- B 55/12 Gralyn Estate: NV, Gralyn Estate Rare Tawny WILYABRUP WA 85
 - 55/5 Penfolds Wines Pty Ltd: NV, Penfolds Father 10 Year Old Grand Tawny NV NURIOOTPA SA **84**

CLASS 56 - Topaque - Australian & Classic, Grand & Rare, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Solid little class with some delicious wines.

- G 56/2 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Cellar Reserve Topaque* RUTHERGLEN VIC **95**
- S 56/3 Morris Wines: NV, Morris Wines Old Premium Topaque RUTHERGLEN VIC 92
- S 56/1 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Classic Topaque* RUTHERGLEN VIC **91**

CLASS 57 - Muscat - Australian & Classic Muscat Grand & Rare, Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Top Muscats showed balance between concentration, freshness, sweetness and acid. Lovely to judge.

- G 57/8 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Old Premium Muscat* RUTHERGLEN VIC **96**
- G 57/6 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Cellar Reserve Muscat* RUTHERGLEN VIC **95**
- S 57/5 Gralyn Estate: NV, Gralyn Estate Artizan Rare Muscat WILYABRUP WA 94
- S 57/4 Gralyn Estate: NV, Gralyn Estate Museum Muscat WILYABRUP WA 92
- B 57/7 De Bortoli Wines: NV, Show Liqueur Muscat BILBUL NSW 89
- B 57/1 Morris Wines: NV, *Morris Wines Classic Muscat* RUTHERGLEN VIC 87
- B 57/2 DB Production: NV, Rutherglen Estate Classic Muscat BILBUL NSW 85
 - 57/3 Forester Winery: NV, *Forester Estate Redtail Liqueur Muscat* YALLINGUP WA **84**

CLASS 58 - Ruby or Vintage Fortified. Any vintage or NV (nonvintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Nice wine, but spirit just sitting on top of wine at present.

S 58/1 Morris Wines: 2013, Morris Wines VP RUTHERGLEN VIC 91

BRANDY CLASS

CLASS 59 - Brandy (2 years and older), Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Some promise with these two.

- S 59/1 St Agnes Distillery: 2007, St Agnes XO RENMARK SOUTH SA 91
- B 59/2 St Agnes Distillery: 2017, St Agnes Bartenders Cut RENMARK SOUTH SA 87

ALCOHOL FREE AND LOW ALCOHOL WINES

CLASS 60 - Alcohol-free and low alcohol wines must be made via the de-alcoholisation process, meaning that grapes are fermented, vinified, and created into a fully alcoholic product, then the alcohol is removed. Low alcohol wines must contain less than 1.15% alcohol by volume. Exhibits must be made from grapes only. Wine products, containing additives such as water, will not be allowed. Exhibits entered in this Class will not be eligible for any trophies. Any vintage or NV (non-vintage)

JUDGES' COMMENTS: Better wines, showed some weight through, mid palate and primary fruit characters.

- B 60/2 Brown Family Wine Group: NV, Brown Brothers Prosecco Rose Zero MILAWA VIC 85
- B 60/3 Sidewood Estate: NV, Sidewood Nearly Naked Sparkling OAKBANK SA 85
 - 60/1 Brown Family Wine Group: NV, Brown Brothers Prosecco Zero MILAWA VIC **84**
 - 60/4 Sidewood Estate: 2022, Sidewood Nearly Naked Sauvignon Blanc OAKBANK SA **84**
 - 60/5 G. Patritti and Co Pty Ltd: NV, Patritti V.no Sparkling Shiraz DOVER GARDENS SA 84

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