

KILIKANOON, CLARE VALLEY, AUSTRALIA

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KILLERMAN'S RUN SHIRAZ



DETAILS OF PRODUCTION

The Killerman's Run Collection is masterfully composed from Kilikanoon's diverse vineyard sites and sub-regions, delivering an elegant and approachable style. The Killerman's Run Shiraz is made from premium parcels of fruit selected from right across the Clare Valley. Traditional winemaking techniques; including pumping over by hand, basket pressing and keeping all parcels separate until the final assemblage, has created a wine of tremendous varietal power, regional character and consistent quality. Maturation in a selection of seasoned French oak hogsheads for fifteen months provides a softness and elegance to the silky palate. A dry yet cooler vintage, 2019 has delivered smaller yields of highly-flavoured fruit. The lower than average rainfall between December and harvest created a few challenges, but through careful fruit selection and final blending, this classic final cuvée really shows what the Clare Valley can deliver.

TASTING NOTES

Deep, dark red in appearance with youthful crimson tints. Enhanced aromatics of black forest, dark cherry and stewed plums with vanilla and notes of clove and subtle oak feature on the nose. Impressive structure, complexity, and generosity of flavour a hallmark of this Shiraz, with flavours of stewed cherries, juicy blackberry and plum with fine dark chocolate and powdery tannins. Clove and star anise are beautifully balanced and supported by subtle oak.

HOW TO SERVE

Roast Beef, Yorkshire pudding and all the trimmings, Moroccan Lamb Pizza or try with a rich vegetable ragu. Will cellar well until 2025.

VINTAGE
2019
STYLE
Red
BLEND OF GRAPES
100% Shiraz
WINEMAKER
Peter Warr & Kirby Gaudins
ALCOHOL
14.5%
RESIDUAL SUGAR
6.2g/l

