

# 2020 OATH CABERNET SAUVIGNON



An Oath is a solemn promise or attestation of the truth of one's words or the sincerity of one's intentions. Our Oath to you is to create enticing and delicious wines to enjoy every day. The Oath Shiraz is the latest in our Oath series of wines which showcases the very best varietal expressions from the Clare Valley.

# **PLACE**

Clare Valley

The Oath Cabernet has all the hallmarks of the region - bright blackberry aromas and flavours while remaining powerful and elegant to the finish.



The Oath Cabernet is sourced from the best rows at our Leasingham vineyard. These are overlooking Watervale. Allowing for maximum concentration of fruit, showcasing the Kilikanoon house style consisting of Powerful Elegance

## WINEMAKING

Fermented in open fermenters for 7-8 days. Pumpover twice daily. Basket pressed into quality French oak hogsheads with an average age between 2-5 years old. Maturation in barrel for 15 months prior to blending and bottling. No Fining or filtration.

# COLOUR

Brick red in colour with deep crimson hues.

# NOSE

Bright blackberry aromas with a touch of tobacco leaf and a subtle charry French oak character.

## **PALATE**

The aromas are mimicked on the palate where they are supported by fine grained tannins and balanced acidity. The long, succulent finish will give rise to further complexity if cellared carefully.

## GRAPE VARIETY

Cabernet Sauvignon

WINE ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14%

### CELLARING/PEAK DRINKING

Delicious now but will also reward up to 5 years if cellared carefully.

#### WINEMAKER

Peter Warr





