



KILIKANOON

CLARE VALLEY

2020 Meyman's Shiraz

PLACE

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The Meyman's Shiraz is masterfully composed from Kilikanoon's diverse vineyard sites and sub-regions, delivering an elegant and approachable style.

VITICULTURE

A second consecutive dry year, coupled with higher than average temperatures, made for a challenging 2019/20 growing season this resulted in yields being down by as much as 30%. The new year brought milder temperatures which gave the vines much needed relief, providing ideal ripening conditions for flavour development and acid retention.

WINEMAKING

Predominantly from our Farehams and Morrisons Vineyards in Leasingham. Picked mid Feb. Fermented in open fermenters for 7-8 days. Pumpover twice daily. Basket pressed into quality French oak hogsheads 5% new balance 2-5 years old. Maturation in barrel for 15 months prior to blending and bottling. No Fining or filtration.

SENSORY

Colour: Brick red in colour with youthful crimson hues.

Aroma: Complex aromas of dark cherry, red plum, licorice and dried herbs.

Palate: Perfectly balanced with vibrant upfront red fruits and complex savoury nuances. The fruit is supported by fine ripe tannin which give definition and structure to a long and persistent finish.

CELLARING

Potential of 5 - 10 years.

Alcohol : 14.5%

