



## CHRISTO'S PADDOCK CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Langhorne Creek | 2018



A small parcel of fruit from old vines next to the Angas River was hand selected for our Cabernet Sauvignon. Bunches were selectively picked, crushed and left on skins for seven days. The wine was aged for 18 months in a combination of 40% new and old French oak barrels.

Vibrant deep ruby red. Concentrated and lifted ripe red fruit aromas, notably cassis and blackcurrant, as well as cedary oak notes. Pleasantly rich on the mid palate with layers of flavours including blackcurrant, cassis, plum, fresh mint and cedary oak. Velvety tannins combine with the sweet fruit flavours to give great length. Cellar for 20 + years.

*The fruit is sweet and flowing, the oak is nicely tucked in, the tannin is dusty and complementary. It floods your mouth with curranty flavours before presenting chocolate, mint, violet and cream-caramel characters as a kind of icing. It's very good.*

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*A dark, brooding purple colour in the glass. Aromas of dark chocolate, blackberries and blackcurrants, with quality, toasty oak. A touch of regional mint. Rich and concentrated when sipped, ripe dark berry fruits carry through to supple tannins, acidity in balance. Will age with grace, tough drinking very well now.*

**NICK BUTLER**  
**THE REAL REVIEW**

**94 points (2018 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2021

**94 points (2018 VINTAGE)**  
Nick Butler, The Real Review

**90 points (2017 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2020

**96 points (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Nick Butler, The Real Review

**5 Stars Gold (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Rob Geddes Gold Book 36th Edition

**94 points (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019  
Mike Bennie, WBM

**4 Stars (2016 VINTAGE)**  
Halliday Wine Companion 2018  
Huon Hooke, The Real Review

