



Louis Latour Agencies

Hazel's Vineyard Zinfandel

McHenry Hohnen

Vintage	2013
Country of Origin	Australia
Region	Margaret River
Grape varieties	Zinfandel

Wine description

The McHenry Hohnen family has been involved with zinfandel since the variety was first introduced to the Margaret River region in 1972. The Rocky Road vineyard lies close to the headwaters of the Chapman Brook near Witchcliffe in the southern Margaret River region. Vineyard management embraces sustainable 'old school' practices that mark a return to methods used before the development of intensive, industrial agriculture.

Tasting note

An intense nose of ripe blackberry, cola and watermelon combine with underlying sweet spice and nuances of red strap liquorice. The palate shows varietal fruit box berries and red boiled confection in abundance partnered with soft and silky tannins. Sweet upfront fruit is tempered with bright natural acidity ensuring that this wine dances on the palate.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	17 years old
Elevation	120 metres
Soil composition	Loamy gravels
Average yield (hl/ha)	3-5 T/hect
Harvest type	Machine harvested
Environmental management	Biodynamic

Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Whole-bunch pressed
Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tank
Fermentation	Inoculated yeast
Maturation vessel	French oak barrels
Maturation time	14 months
Fining/clarification	Nil
Filtration	Xflow

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14.5%
pH	3.62
Residual sugar (grams per litre)	0.7 g/L
Acidity (grams per litre)	5.3 g/L

