

The background is a textured, light-colored collage of various images. In the top right, there is a circular portrait of a smiling monkey. Below it, the word "Dobos" is faintly visible in a stylized font. In the bottom right, there is a detailed illustration of a lion's head. In the bottom center, there is a small illustration of a bear's head. In the bottom left, there is a faint, pixelated image of a person's face. The overall aesthetic is that of a vintage or artistic collage.

# Red Heads

We do things differently, join the movement

# WHO ARE WE

# RedHeads

It all started out in the 1990's with the owners of an award winning Château just outside of Saint-Émilion, flying a bunch of Aussie winemakers (the 'Flying Winemakers') over to France to show the old dogs some new tricks. This is where the RedHeads seed was sown for a new wave in winemaking.

The family's first investment in South Australia was in 2002 when they purchased a restaurant building in McLaren Vale called "Redheads"!

The site was used by moonlighting winemakers to break free from the corporate shackles to come and make "real" wines, the way they wanted to. Tiny batches, hands-on, interesting blends and big flavours.



# WHO ARE WE

Now our roots are firmly planted in the Barossa. we have a custom-built winery with sustainability at the core and our own dedicated team led by Head Winemaker, Alex Trescowthick.

Our principals are the same. Our aim... grape liberation. We hunt down premium parcels of fruit that was destined to be blended into some big name, nondescript wine and we give it the attention it deserves in the RedHeads winery.

AT REDHEADS, NO TWO WINES ARE THE SAME.



# OUR GREEN CREDS



It's not all smoke and mirrors here at RedHeads unlike some other so-called 'green' wineries. And we have the gongs to prove it. We are powered 97% off-grid by some massive solar panels on the roof that capture the sun's energy and store it in our Lithium-Ion batteries. Yep, we get a LOT of sun in the Barossa. The remaining 3%? Certified green power of course! Our water management system is state-of-the-art. We collect and re-use as much wastewater and rainfall as possible, recycle it then share it back around the vineyard. It's an advanced system designed to keep us efficiently using water across the site. A saving of around 2,700,000 litres per year!

## TIMELINE OF AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

MARCH 2022



RedHeads Winery received NASAA Organic Certification

SEPTEMBER 2021



ENVIRONMENTAL EXCELLENCE AWARD



RedHeads awarded Environmental Excellence Award by the South Australian Wine industry Association.

DECEMBER 2020



RedHeads won a commendation for its work on renewable energy at the 2020 Drinks Business Green Awards.

SEPTEMBER 2020



Signed up to GreenPower for 100% renewable Energy

JULY 2020



SUSTAINABLE WINEGROWING AUSTRALIA

Joined Sustainable Winegrowing Australia and working towards certification

DECEMBER 2019



RedHeads won the top award for Water Management in Wine at the 2019 Drinks Business Green Awards

# OUR REGIONS

# RedHeads



## MCLAREN VALE – PRIMARY SPOT FOR COCO ROTIE

A little triangle-shaped region producing a lot of great wine. McLaren Vale's climate is Mediterranean with warm summers proving the perfect conditions for fragrant, rich Shiraz. Only an hour from Adelaide it's a hive of activity with beautiful coastlines and world-class wines and culinary experiences.

## COONAWARRA – THE HOME OF CAT BIRD SEAT

Known for its strip of Terra Rossa soil ideal for top-notch, age-worthy Cabernets (but don't rule out other varieties!). The climate is Maritime and not dissimilar to Bordeaux. Four hours' drive from Adelaide, it's a hike, but worth the effort for its rolling green hills, gum trees and stone-cottage cellar doors.

# OUR WINES

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## ICON RANGE

Our icon wines are our top dogs. We try to make them every year but sometimes vintage dictates otherwise. Made in limited quantities and often snapped up soon after release. Get in quick!

## VILLAGE WINES

Made in our Barossa home in our eco-friendly winery, we source fruit from our valued growers each year for these beauties. No two wines are the same and every wine tells its own story.

## STUDIO BAR EXCLUSIVES

From time to time we come across an exceptional parcel of fruit that we may never get our hands on again. These are usually only available directly through our Studio Bar at 258 Angaston Rd



# 2020 COCO ROTIE SYRAH / VIOGNIER

RedHeads



**VARIETY** Syrah / Viognier

**REGION** South Australia, predominately McLaren Vale

**ALC VOL** 14.5%

## THE STORY

In 638 AD, the legend of The Monkey King was born. Every bit as mischievous and furry as his smaller relatives – no amount of wine could quell his divine thirst and no amount of roasted coconuts (Noix de Coco Rôties) could satisfy his heavenly hunger.

## THE VINTAGE

2020 experienced low yields and high quality. Head Winemaker Alex Trescowthick called it “a winemakers delight and an accountant's nightmare”. Near perfect ripening conditions produced robust flavours and great natural acidity.

## THE GROWERS

McMurtrie, Lloyd, Borrett - all at least 2nd generation growers in South Australia's finest areas.

## WINEMAKING

Shiraz and Viognier harvested and co-fermented. Aged in French and American oak. A combination of new and older oak.

## TASTING NOTE

Floral, lifted nose with apricot and spiced orange on the nose from the Viognier. Nice spice and choc-mocha, dark chocolate tannin coming through on the palate. Smooth silky tannins.

## REVIEWS AND AWARDS

Double Gold and China Wine & Spirits South Australia Wine of the Year

93 Points Sam Kim

92 Points Wine Enthusiast

# 2021 CATBIRD SEAT CABERNET SAUVIGNON

RedHeads



**VARIETY** Cabernet Sauvignon

**REGION** Coonawarra

**ALC VOL** 14.5%

## THE STORY

Noun. An enviable position, having the upper hand or greater advantage. “Those bloody winemakers at RedHeads, always in the Catbird Seat, getting all the best grapes!”

## THE GROWER

Sourced from a single vineyard from renowned Coonawarra vigneron and RedHeads friend, Jack Burston. The exceptional fruits were planted under the guidance of the late Wayne Stehbens, the prodigy winemaker of 40 years at the award-winning winery Katnook.

## THE VINTAGE

“Could it be the best in living memory?” Alex Trescowthick, Head Winemaker. So, what makes a cracker vintage? Well, it started with a cool, wet start to the growing season which set the vintage up nicely. Over late Spring and Summer, conditions dried out giving us full control in the vineyards. No desperate picking... just taking it easy, bringing fruit in right when it looks the goods.

## WINEMAKING

Machine harvested in the afternoon to avoid the morning dews in the Coonawarra. De-stemmed and partially fermented and matured in a mix of French and American oak for 12 months.

## TASTING NOTE

Lifted dark berry and earthy nose with dark chocolate and vanilla notes. Stewed blackcurrant and plum fruits on the palate with dark chocolate and long savoury spice on the finish..

## REVIEWS

91 Points, The Real Review



# THANK YOU

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