

STARVE
DOG
LANE



CLARE VALLEY

SHIRAZ

2012



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BOUNDLESS CURIOSITY

What's a starving dog got to do with great wine? Every dog is eternally curious; hungry for more. From the temperate climes of the Adelaide Hills, the warmer, harder blocks of Clare Valley, and across the more select vineyards throughout South Australia, Starve Dog Lane's boundless energy for new tastes and fresh experiences breeds curiosity, enticing like-minded wine enthusiasts to join in the adventure. At home in the backyard, or on city streets, Starve Dog Lane is constantly on the trail of a new breed of wine tastes, smells, experiences... for a new breed of wine lovers.

THE REALM OF THE SAVVY

Vintage Conditions: 2012 saw the growing season kick off with a full soil moisture profile and strong growth, a mild and dry growing season saw vines ripen early. Clare Valley experienced a late January storm which cleared away early and some welcome cooler weather followed, allowing full ripening and great flavour development. A very good season.

Tasting Note: Here, Starve Dog Lane changes up a gear for the more inquisitive wine drinker, showcasing quintessential regional varietals. With intense red fruit aromas with hints of dark chocolate and violet, this wine flaunts a palate of bright ripe raspberry fruit flavours intertwined with dark choc minty tannins and subtle cedar notes. This full bodied red displays great balance lengthening to textural finish; the red dog you can't help but love!

Cellaring; 5- 10 years

VINTAGE
2012

ALCOHOL
14.0%

FOOD SUGGESTIONS
Maple rosemary rack of
lamb served on a bed of
rosemary roasted
vegetables.

GROWING AREAS
Clare Valley

PH
3.52

GRAPE VARIETY
Shiraz

ACIDITY
6.29/litre

WINEMAKER
Nicholas Bowen

FOR A CURIOUS NEW BREED

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