

# Nockie's Palette Shiraz 2009

## BAROSSA VALLEY

### WINEMAKING NOTES

Fermentation with submerged cap in small stainless-steel fermenters. Some batches had up to 2 weeks on skins. 100% barrel matured for 20 months in 50% new fine grain French oak hogsheads (300 litre) and the balance 2 and 3 year-old barrels.

### COLOUR

Intense purple-red.

### NOSE

Perfumed dark berry notes with some savoury spice notes.

### PALATE

Complex layered palate with rich mouth feel and texture. Ample tannin to provide backbone structure, combined with excellent fruit depth and intensity. Cellaring potential 12+ years.

### FOOD PAIRING

Roast lamb, hard cheeses, grilled mushrooms.

### FRUIT SOURCING

A special vineyard selection from vineyards in the Eden Valley and Krondorf regions of the Barossa Valley, Australia.



Michael Nock 'Nockie's Palette' 2004

### LABEL PAINTING

An early painting from Michael Nock depicting long shadows of the late evening passing over his painters' palette. Nock, a plein-air painter, often devotes his time to hosting artists, friends and family for a day of contemplative painting in the breathtaking landscape of Australia and New Zealand. Afterwards, sitting down together to enjoy a glass of Nockies Palette Shiraz as the sun sets on their drying canvases.

### AWARD

2017 Decanter Asia Wide Award - Bronze Medal



**WINEMAKER** John Duval  
**GRAPE VARIETY** 100% Shiraz  
**REGION** Barossa Valley, Australia  
**VEGAN FRIENDLY**

**ALCOHOL** 14.5%  
**PH** 3.51  
**TOTAL ACIDITY** 6.47g/l  
**RESIDUAL SUGAR** <3g/l  
**BOTTLE SIZE** 750ml / 3L