

## Backsberg Pumphouse Shiraz 2020

On the nose expect old spice, cedar and vanilla. Exhibiting a wonderful velvety depth, this is a powerhouse of a wine with flavours of ripe plum, black cherry, mulberry, liquorice and spiced fruitcake. A generous wine that just keeps giving

Pair with hearty stews and roasts.

**variety :** Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

**winery :** Backsberg Family Wines

**winemaker :** Alicia Rechner

**wine of origin :** Coastal Region

**analysis :** alc : 14.0 % vol rs : 3.0 g/l pH : 3.5 ta : 6.0 g/l

**type :** Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

2023 Michelangelo Awards - Double Gold

2023 Decanter Awards - Silver

2023 Syrah du Monde - Gold

2023 Platter's Wine Guide - 3.5 Stars

2022 Veritas Awards - Gold

2022 Decanter Awards - Silver

**ageing :** Best enjoyed within 5 to 12 years.

The Family Tree honours the rich tapestry of people and places that were integral in the Backsberg legacy. The Pumphouse was a humble concrete structure, traditionally located high up on the slopes of the mountain. A vital life-source for happy healthy vines, this structure epitomises Backsberg's approach to winemaking, being unassuming but extraordinary.

**in the cellar :** Soft-skinned Shiraz was fermented warm for 10 days. It was then pressed to finish fermentation in barrel. Aging occurs for 14 months in small French and American oak barriques.



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