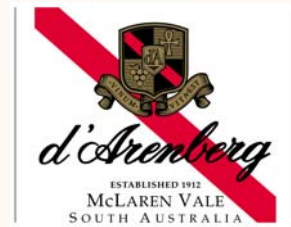




2008 d'ARENBERG THE STUMP JUMP RED

Review Summary



90 pts - Top 100 Wines of 2010 “Light in texture and fragrant with floral, berry and beet aromas, playing the fresh flavors against refined tannins, lingering effortlessly.”

Harvey Steiman, Wine Spectator
January 31, 2010

90 pts – Best Value \$25 and Under

Nick Stock
2012 Good Wine Guide

89+ pts “This Grenache, Shiraz and Mourvedre (GSM) blend dishes up tons of warm Aussie fruit. The nose is smoky, with blackberry, black raspberry, and hints of cedar and eucalyptus. The very mellow flavors are loaded with blueberry and black cherry depth. It finishes slightly sweet.”

Gord Stimmell, The Star (Toronto)
October 2010

88 pts “Vivid ruby. Fresh red berries, flowers and spiced cake on the nose. Lively and fruit-driven, offering juicy raspberry and blackberry flavors braced by tangy acidity. Lots of flavor for the money here. The finish is juicy and nicely persistent, with tangy red berries dominating.”

Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar
July/August 2010

87 pts “The Stump Jump Red which is a blend of 42% Grenache, 36% Shiraz, and 22% Mourvedre. It delivers an attractive nose of spicy red and blue fruits leading to an easy-going, tasty, seamless wine that can be enjoyed over the next 3 years. As usual, it is a terrific value.”

Jay Miller, Robert Parker’s The Wine Advocate
December 2009, Issue #186

★★★ “d’Arenberg named this range of great everyday wines in honor of the stump-jumping plow that made planting vineyards in Australia possible. In the GSM blend, there’s a lovely minerality woven with ripe cherry, blackberry and raspberry flavors that are intense and delicious.”

Anthony Giglio
Food & Wine Wine Guide 2011