



## 2010 d'ARENBERG THE STUMP JUMP RED

### Review Summary



**90 pts**

Tyson Stelzer, Australia - WBM  
January 2012

**88 pts** “Bright red. Fresh red berries and cherry on the nose. Juicy, straightforward and supple, offering lively raspberry and blackberry flavors and a hint of licorice. Finishes slightly tight, with good energy and cut.”

Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer’s International Wine Cellar  
July/August 2012

**87 pts** “Very light, but bright and clear color; has plenty of varietal character in a spice, raspberry and nougat spectrum. Very good value for this style.”

James Halliday  
Australian Wine Companion 2013

**87 pts** “A refreshing style, with an open texture and dark berry flavors, finishing with refined tannins. Grenache, Shiraz and Mourvedre. Drink now through 2013.”

Harvey Steiman, Wine Spectator  
May 31, 2012

**87 pts** “The 2010 The Stump Jump Grenache Shiraz Mourvedre is composed of 47% Shiraz, 29% Mourvedre and 24% Grenache. Medium-deep garnet in color, it offers aromas of spice cake, warm raspberries and kirsch with a hint of white pepper. Medium-full bodied in the mouth, it has soft tannins, medium-high acid and a medium-long finish. Drinking now, it should remain fresh to 2014.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown, eRobertParker.com  
December 23, 2011



“This Aussie winery makes a dizzying array of Rhône style wines, most of which you will never find in the U.S. This little gem however, is easy to find and a serious contender for your new house wine. It’s consistent vintage to vintage and manages to bridge the gap between the juicy Aussie style and the restrained Rhône style with rich and savory yet ripe and spicy flavors.”

**Anthony Enright, The Rogue Epicurean: Rhone Rangers  
August 27, 2012**

“Juicy, uncomplicated red for the here and now, quite knock about in its personality with trademark earthy and spice notes to match a rustic meat grill.”

**Tony Love, “Attention seeking,” The Advertiser  
January 2012**

“This rather old-fashioned McLaren Vale red has always been an honest, hearty, warts-and all drop that beats most of the competition in the value stakes. In recent years, its quality seems to have stepped up a bit more, offering extra dimension and interest while maintaining its regional identity and an absurdly low price tag. Dark berries, spices, earth and licorice meet the nose, combining old-school Grenache aromas with more complex threads. In the mouth, it combines ripe and savory flavors harmoniously across a sustained, texturally interesting palate, finishing long and dry with very fine-grained tannins. Ageing? Drink over three years. Food ideas lasagna; braised lamb shanks.”

**Ralph Kyte Powell, The Age – Wine of the Week  
September 2011**

“d’Arenberg’s Stump Jump reds, including this earthy, rustic, firm blend of Grenache, Shiraz and Mourvèdre, often find themselves in the retail price war cross-hairs. We particularly like this blend.”

**Chris Shanahan, The Sunday Canberra Times  
September 2011**