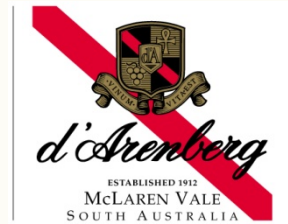




2009 d'ARENBERG BLEWITT SPRINGS GRENACHE Review Summary



95 pts – Top Scoring Wine “An elegant, perfumed Grenache that comes all from sandy soils, the 2009 d'Arenberg Grenache Blewitt Springs delivers a perfumed, floral-laced bouquet of sweet red fruits, roasted meats, dusty mineral, and grilled toast. Just as good on the palate, this full-bodied, supple, and gorgeously proportioned 2009 has no hard edges, solid concentration, and a blockbuster finish. It should be enjoyed over the coming 10-12 years.”

**Jeb Dunnuck, The Rhone Report
March 2012**

94 pts

Nick Stock, Good Wine Guide 2012

94 pts “Polished and detailed red fruit bouquet, with clove and Provencal herbs on display; medium-bodied and almost silky in texture, with fine-grained tannins and an even-fruited finish.”

**James Halliday, Australian Wine Companion
2012**

93 pts “Bright ruby-red. Intense, highly perfumed aromas of red fruit preserves, spicecake, herbs and cola. Smooth and fleshy, with densely packed yet vibrant flavors of raspberry and bitter cherry. Spicy and quite elegant, with fine-grained, silky tannins and impressive finishing cling. This doesn't want to let go.”

**Josh Reynolds, Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar
July/August 2011**

91 pts

**Joshua Greene, Wine & Spirits Magazine
February 2012**

91 pts “Dark and spicy, this red is soft in texture, brimming with blackberry, smoke and wet slate flavors that linger on the open finish.”

**Harvey Steiman, Wine Spectator Insider
February 15, 2012**

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