



2012 PENLEY ESTATE CONDOR SHIRAZ CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Review Summary



93 pts “Good color; a 65/35% blend that works to perfection; take your choice of black and red cherry, blackcurrant and redcurrant, add some spice, oak and tannins - hey presto, it's ready.”

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2015

90 pts “Glass-staining ruby. Ripe cherry, vanilla and cured tobacco on the nose, with a peppery quality adding lift. Juicy and precise on the palate, offering bitter cherry and cassis flavors and a touch of candied licorice. Sweeter on the finish, framed by supple tannins and sharpened by building spiciness. A nicely balanced blend with the stuffing to age.”

Josh Raynolds
Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar
July/August 2014

89+ pts “Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2012 Condor Cabernet Shiraz has an expressive nose of warm black cherries, red currants and black raspberries with hints of chocolate-mint and cinnamon toast. Medium-bodied and quite taut in the mouth, it offers a good concentration of muscular berry flavors and chewy tannins, finishing with very good length.”

Lisa Perrotti-Brown
Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate
May 2014

88 pts “Crisp, tight and tannic, with a crinkly texture around the lean, sharply defined core of currant, mint and green peppercorn flavors, finishing with a zing of acidity.”

Harvey Steiman
WineSpectator.com
2015