



2012 BALGOWNIE ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Review Summary



94 pts "Mid-weight wine in the classic mold. Fruit folded with oak and tannin. Succulent flavors of mint, blackberry, peppercorn and blackcurrant, with gently creamy oak adding a slippery smoothness. Dry tannin comes soaked in juicy fruit. Length of flavor is a feature."

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2015

94 pts "Often a surly thing as a youngster, but very much a legend of Australian Wine, though maybe one that has fallen out of fashion? Dark cherries, licorice, mint, cedar, sweet rolling tobacco and hazelnuts. medium to full bodied, richly fruited, but deeply savory and tannic with it. Has an ironstone minerality through it, and all the way, those tannins ride the wine hard and remind you that it's Cabernet, and not to be taken lightly. Finish is precise and very long. Fleshy but serious. In short, bloody good."

Garry Walsh
WineFront.com
August 25, 2015