



2018 BROKENWOOD GRAVEYARD SHIRAZ

Review Summary

BROKENWOOD

AUSTRALIAN CRAFT AT ITS FINEST

99 pts/2021 WINE OF THE YEAR “A single block of mainly 50yo vines was hand-picked, destemmed, open-fermented, 8-19 days on skins, matured in French oak of various shapes and sizes. Excellent colour through to the rim. Take a bottle with you to drink with Maurice O’Shea and he’ll be ecstatic. It’s supple, perfectly balanced, a pure expression of a quirky vineyard that has been the work of Iain Riggs for four decades. ’18 was a great vintage, and he pinged it.”

James Halliday
Halliday Wine Companion
August 1, 2020

98 pts/#27 TOP 100 WINES OF AUSTRALIA “A powerful vintage and a powerful iteration of Hunter Valley shiraz, this has aromas of fresh blackberries, violets, blackcurrants, dark spices, tarry notes and a gently leafy edge. The palate has very compact, smoothly defined and long, powerful style with bold, essence-like blackberry and black-cherry flavors. Velvety, rich and seamless. Concentrated and focused.”

Nick Stock
JamesSuckling.com
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