

## 2018 d'ARENBERG THE LAUGHING MAGPIE

### Review Summary



**93 pts** “One of the modern classics for d’Arenberg, this is fermented with a high proportion of lightly pressed viognier skins and then has shiraz added late in the elevate to tone the viognier influence into balance. The aromas are fresh, richly spicy and lead by exuberantly ripe blackberries and dark plums with toasted spices and meaty elements. The palate has such richness and exotic, powerful tannins carry ripe dark plums and berries long and deep. Impressive depth and composure.”

Nick Stock  
JamesSuckling.com  
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**93 pts** “Expressive nose displaying notes of coffee, dark chocolate and apricots, with hints of raisins. Beautiful mouthfeel, elegant finish.”

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