



## 2017 RMS Cabernet Sauvignon

Richard Morton Shaw (RMS) and his wife Marie, established their first vineyard in McLaren Vale in 1975. The RMS label is a tribute to their dedication and vision.

### Tasting Notes

Selected from 65 year old McLaren Vale Cabernet Sauvignon vines, this wine was matured in French Oak hogsheads for 2 years. Cherry & mint aromas & chocolate oak dominate the nose & carry through to the full, round palate, that finishes with soft velvety tannins. Decant wine & allow to breathe before enjoying. Enjoy now or cellar for 7-10 years.

### Vintage

Vintage 2017 in the McLaren Vale Wine Region was judged highly successful with above average crops with minimal faults, and the ability to pick fruit during an extended dry Autumn. Winter weather conditions set up the early growth of vineyards with above average rainfall. Spring was also wetter than average, but fortunately, the weather was relatively stable and dry. Harvest began later with picking continuing into late April. Autumn continued to be warm and dry allowing vineyards to be successfully harvested by end of April.

ALCOHOL 15.0%  
MCLAREN VALE