

# 2020 Grenache Rose McLaren Vale



Haselgrove

## Tasting Notes

### *Aroma*

Brilliant pale salmon in colour.

Lifted bright fresh fruit notes, summer berries, aromatic rose blossom and delicate hints of blood orange.

### *Palate*

The palate demonstrates all of the hallmarks of what one of McLaren Vales champion varieties can do as a Rose.

Strawberries and cream, Turkish delight and bright red berries balance with a bone dry, crisp, moreish acidity and a textural citrus pith finish. We challenge you to stop at only one glass!

## Vineyards

Grenache was selected from two vineyard sites, the first in Whites Valley, near the township of Willunga in Southern McLaren Vale. The geology of this vineyard is 'Christies Beach Formation' which consists of alluvial fan clay, sand and gravel that has been washed down from the hills bordering McLaren Vale over millions of years of uplift and erosion. The second is in Blewitt Springs on a higher altitude ridgeline of deep sand.

80 year old, dry grown vines.

## The Alternate Series

A new exciting range of small batch wines for Haselgrove.

Showcasing McLaren Vale's Mediterranean climate and the emerging varieties that excel in the region.

The range includes Grenache Rose, Fiano, Montepulciano and a Sangiovese.



<b>Region</b>	McLaren Vale	<b>Alcohol / pH / TA</b>	13.0	3.26	5.8
<b>Variety</b>	Grenache	<b>Winemaking</b>			
<b>Harvest Dates</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> of March	Destemmed, Crushed and chilled to the press. Held on skins for 6 hours to ensure minimal colour extraction, desired phenolic contact and structure. Fermented cold to retain brightness and delicate aromatics. Left on yeast lees post ferment for three months to build texture.			
<b>Bottling Date</b>	31 <sup>st</sup> July 2020				
<b>Release Date</b>	August 2020				
<b>Cellaring</b>	Drink young and fresh				