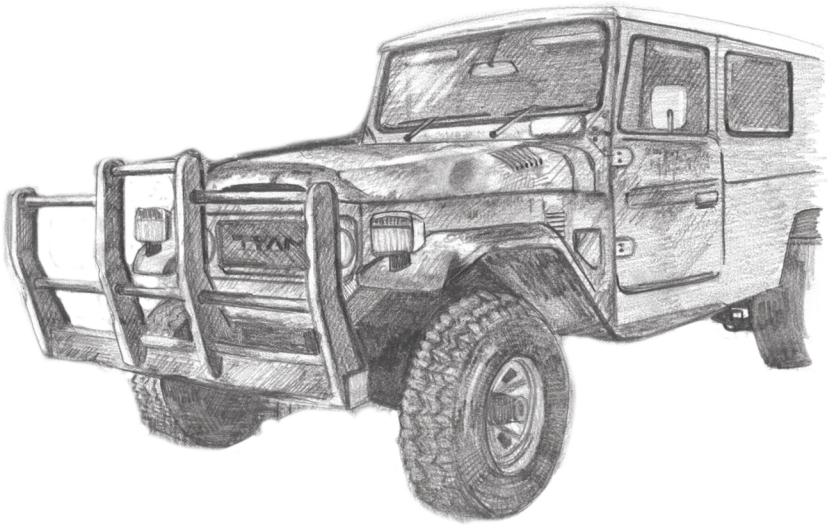
SUPER TROOPER

SHIRAZ CABERNET | FLEURIEU | 2022



Wafts of fresh berries and eucalypt leaves tossed on the campfire. A rush of Boysenberry, red Plum and All Spice fill the mouth. Abundant fruit balanced with supple tannin make for a moreish mouthful.

"Oi! Wrap your laughing gear 'round this! " Anon (just 'cause it's Aussie)

Vital Statistics

Varietal Blend: 66 % Shiraz, 34% Cabernet Sauvignon
GI: Fleurieu
Alcohol by Volume: 14.5%
TA: 6.04 g/L
pH: 3.56
Sugar: 0.7 g/L
750mL: 9330391000909
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Ingredients

Grapes and sulphur dioxide.
Other ingredients
used in the winemaking process:
- Cultivated yeast.
- Yeast nutrients.

French and American oak puncheons and hogsheads (new and seasoned).
At the time of bottling, this wine contained:
- 78 ppm Total SO2
- 31 ppm Free SO2

Our faithful, go-anywhere "Troopie" is top-dog of the Outback, and the perfect moniker for this wine!

In Australia the blend of Shiraz Cabernet is the ever-reliable wine, bringing together the generosity of Shiraz and structure of Cabernet, to deliver our unstoppable classic Aussie claret. As the saying goes, "The sum of two parts is greater than the whole" and this wine is a perfect example of such a relationship.

The fruit for Super Trooper comes from two historic regions. The Cabernet Sauvignon from Langhorne Creek, and the Shiraz from McLaren Vale. The harmony of region and variety of these two parcels blended together creates a supple medium bodied Aussie take on Claret. Shiraz for its cushy mouthfeel and Cabernet Sauvignon for structural chassis.

Primary fermentation takes place in stainless steel open fermenters after which the wine is allowed to complete malo-lactic fermentation before being pressed off. It is then blended and transferred to a combination of new and well-seasoned oak and aged for up to 12 months prior to bottling with minimal filtration.

Deep garnet red, with a ruby red hue. Pronounced aromas of fresh picked berries, thyme, menthol, sweet tobacco and spice. The palate is abundant with ripe boysenberry, blackcurrant and red plum fruit supported by drifts of anise, plum-pudding, all-spice with an earthy appeal. A balanced union of ripe, mouth-filling Shiraz up front that meshes sublimely with the Cabernet structure to finish with lingering supple tannin.

Like the trusty Troopie, this wine will go anywhere, with anything at any occasion. It's super dependable as a real crowd pleaser!



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