



Cellar Door Exclusive

Eden Valley Riesling 2019



The Wine

There are several suitable vineyard sites for Riesling in the Eden Valley. We chose one of Peter Miles' smaller parcels from Casey's Block. This site has a northerly aspect and an elevation of 410 metres above sea level which enjoys warm days and cold nights, which encourage slow ripening while retaining natural acidity.

Vintage Conditions

With a very dry winter and a cool spring the vines had a poor budburst and flowering round October. Then in December we experienced some amazing wind gusts, which damaged some of the newly formed bunches. Then followed a heat wave which continued to reduce the crop levels. With such dry conditions we also had no risk of disease meaning less spray to the vines.

Colour & Aroma

Pale straw with green tints. Honeysuckle and lime with hints of flinty minerals.

Palate

Elegant and taught with notes of citrus lemon and honeysuckle lingering long on the palate, finishing crisp, fresh and dry.

Pairing

Kingfish with smoked yogurt and XO sauce.

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Technical Notes

Varietal Composition:	Region (GI):	Oak Maturation:
Riesling 100%	Eden Valley	None
Alcohol:	TA:	pH:
11.5% Alc./Vol.	7.3g/L	2.84
Winemakers:	Winemaker comments:	
Kate Petering & Mark Maxwell	The juice is pressed direct to stainless stell for clean fermentation. This wine is made to enjoy upon release, however it is expected that it will continue to mature to 5 years.	