



MAXWELL TASTING NOTE

Little Demon

Grenache Rosé 2021



The Name

In 1871 Scottish scientist James Clerk Maxwell proposed a thought experiment, that involved a hypothetical creature acting as a gatekeeper between two compartments to sort gas molecules according to their speed. At first glance, such a system could potentially create energy from nothing...theoretically impossible given the laws of physics. This hypothetical gatekeeper became known to physicists as Maxwell's Little Demon, and has stirred debate in the science community for more than a century.

Vintage Conditions

McLaren Vale's 2021 vintage was high yielding and of very high quality. We believe that the quality levels are some of the best in twenty years. A mild winter and sunny conditions saw good budburst and flowering around October.

Two good rain events in late January and early February were enough to freshen the leaves prior to harvest on 26th February.

Colour & Aroma

Bright salmon pink with vibrant strawberry aromas.

Palate

Fresh and balanced with hints of strawberries and cream. The time spent lingering over a plush mouthfeel is rewarded with length, refreshing acidity and a clean, dry finish.

Pairing

Scallops with chestnut and truffle

Technical Notes

Varietal Composition:	Region (GI):	Oak Maturation:
Grenache 100%	McLaren Vale	None

Alcohol:	TA:	pH:
12.8 % Alc./Vol.	5.1 g/L	3.34

Winemakers:	Winemaker comments:
Kate Petering & Mark Maxwell	Lightly pressed with minimal skin contact to give the freshest, brightest and liveliest wine possible.

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