



SALTRAM

Mamre Brook Riesling 2012

No history of the Barossa Valley or the Australian wine industry is complete without the mention of Saltram. Established in 1859 by William Salter & Sons, Saltram wines have a proud 150 Year history of quality winemaking and commitment to the Barossa region. Mamre Brook is the name of the original home, built in 1844 at the Saltram Estate in the Barossa. The Saltram Mamre Brook range is a tribute to the Barossa.

Saltram traditionally source fruit from the north-eastern side of the Barossa Valley, Saltram also sources fruit from the cooler, high altitudes of Eden Valley - a perfect location for growing Riesling. In Eden Valley, Riesling develops lovely floral and citrus characters while retaining racy natural acidity.

Winemaker Comments Shavaughn Wells

Vineyard Region

Eden Valley

Vintage Conditions

The growing seasons for Eden Valley was ideal with very few heat spikes. The growing season was reasonably dry with mild weather with only 1 major rain event happening just prior to harvest when 40mm of rain fell in a 12 hour period.

Technical Analysis

Harvest Date March 2012

pH 2.97

Acidity 6g/L

Alcohol 12.5%

Residual Sugar 4.2g/L

Bottling Date June 2012

Peak Drinking Drink this wine in its youth to enjoy its fresh fruit flavours.

Grape Variety

Riesling

Maturation

This wine was cold settled in stainless steel and blended before bottling to retain fruit freshness.

Colour

A vibrant light green colour.

Nose

Intense aromas of lemon blossom, bath salts and hints of fresh green limes dominate the lively nose.

Palate

With the Mamre Brook philosophy of crafting wines of rich full flavour and approachability in mind, the 2012 Riesling has a soft plush palate of fresh melon and limes. The flavoursome fruit on the palate is supported by the tacy acidity which provides length, purity and finesse.