



"Aut pax aut bellum" - "either peace or war" - The motto of Henry Laithwaite's Scottish ancestors, the Gunn family.

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WILSON GUNN PAX

Barossa Valley • Grenache Shiraz Mataro • 2018

Henry Laithwaite named this sumptuous red after his Scottish ancestors (on his mother's side), the Wilson Gunn clan. They were noted both for their ferocity in times of conflict and their tranquility in times of peace, hence their motto "either peace or war".

This is a RedHeads classic and one that dates a long way back in our range... to 2005! Then, Henry used to work in RedHeads, learning the dark arts of the winemaker. He's moved on a bit since then!

Name & vintage	Wilson Gunn Pax 2018
Grape variety	53% Grenache 30% Shiraz 17% Mataro
Region	Barossa Valley
The Wine	Once all the rage, the GSM blend was a victim of fashion ... only to be revived here in this luscious, full-fruit, lightly oaked version from Parker-rated Henry Laithwaite.
The growers	For this wine, we turned to two of our favourite RedHeads Movement members: Adrian Hoffmann and John Kalleske. Adrian Hoffmann is the source of the Grenach and Mataro. Old vines, big flavour, just what we're after from his Ebenezer vineyards! The other part - the Shiraz - has come from our long-time partner in crime John Kalleske over in Koonunga who continues to deliver immaculate fruit, year after year!
Ageing	Aged for 12 months in a combination of new and old, French and American hogsheads.
Tasting notes	Dark fruit characters of blackberry and black mulberry, vanilla spice from the oak. Blackberry and vanilla extend onto the palate with dark chocolate notes. Mid to heavy tannin structure with a long length.



CELLAR POTENTIAL
8-10 years



ALCOHOL
14.50%



RESIDUAL SUGAR
0.51g/L



PH
3.54



ACIDITY
6.0g/L

