

Stage Door Wine Co. has been the result of a long work-in-progress. A privately owned South Australian wine business, founded in 2013 by Graeme Thredgold, whose long history in both music and the brewing/wine industry inspired this range. SDWCo. takes the passion and flair of the music and wine industries, and combines them to produce a range of premium wines with individual expression of place and time!

## 2020 THREE PIECE GSM

REGION Barossa Valley | ALCOHOL 14.5% | TOTAL BOTTLES PRODUCED 5,340

HARVESTED Shiraz 14.03.20 • Grenache 19.03.20 • Mataro 27.03.20 | BOTTLED 17.11.20

**BLEND** Grenache 38.6% • Shiraz 35.08% • Mataro 26.32%

**2020 VINTAGE NOTES** Following 2019 when you might have thought that things couldn't possibly get any tougher, along came the 2020 growing season! Dry, frequent frosts, followed by winds that affected flowering and fruit set. December was hot and catastrophic bushfires engulfed the nearby Adelaide Hills, Kangaroo Island and vast tracts of land in the eastern states. Thankfully the ripening period was unusually mild and a rain event at the start of February breathed some life into the struggling vines that saw them through to harvest.

Our lowest yield on record, but exceptional quality and not a hint of smoke taint. The 2020 Vintage will be remembered for many things, not the least of which was its finish in the weird and uncertain times accompanying the advent of the COVID-19 Pandemic.

A vibrant southern Rhone style wine, bright crimson in colour with lavender and caramel on the nose. A full, complex palate of lolly, raspberry and spice. All dressed up and ready to go, so don't delay. Enjoy it whenever the opportunity arises.



