



2007 Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon Museum Release

The vintage: Harvest was early in 2007 with fruit achieving optimal ripeness amount 2 weeks earlier than normal. Dry conditions and extremely low yields from this vineyard.

The winemaking: Fruit was hand picked and berry sorted to ensure that only the best fruit and berries made it to the fermentation vessel. No acid additions were made and fermentation was started immediately. General maceration was carried out, with two weeks post ferment maceration. The wine was matured in new and used French oak barrels for 10 months before bottling.

The wine: An intense crimson red colour leads to a brooding, complex aroma of cassis, mulberry and chocolate, with gentle oak support. The palate is complex and loaded with dense, intense fruit, great persistence of flavour, ample fine tannin and considerable length.

Drink with: Slow roasted shoulder of Lamb.

Vineyard:	Wilyabrup	Technical Data	
Year Planted:	1988	Geographical Indication:	Margaret River, WA
Location:	Margaret River, WA	Variety:	Cabernet Sauvignon
Vines per Hectare:	1650	Picking Date:	March 2007
Irrigation:	Dry grown	Alcohol:	13.5 %
Clone/s:	Houghton	pH:	3.8
Rootstock:	Own	Total Acidity:	$5.8 \mathrm{g/L}$
Aspect:	Northern	Residual Sugar:	$0.0~\mathrm{g/L}$
Soils:	Various	Bottling Date:	June 2008
		Cellaring Potential:	10 years