

CYRIL HENSCHKE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 1985

Cyril Henschke, 1924-1979, was truly one of Australia's outstanding wine-makers. His technical ability, his knowledge of soils and grape varieties, led him to be a pioneer in the production of varietal wines that expressed the absolute quality of the grape. He was awarded a Churchill Fellowship in 1970.

The Cabernet Sauvignon label will continue to carry his name as a tribute to his notable achievement in establishing Henschke's reputation as premium quality varietal and regional wine-makers. Produced from 100% Cabernet sauvignon grapes grown in Eden Valley and matured for 12 months in new French Nevers and American oak barrels prior to bottling.

A harmless crust may develop in the bottle, due to minimal handling during the winemaking process. Limited production.

Show Awards:

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 1985		
Campdown Cellars Trophy 1988 Sydney Class 28		
CANVAS WINE CUP 1990		
Gold	Medal 1988 Sydney	Class 28
Gold	Medal 1987 Melbourne	Class 37
Gold	Medal 1986 Hobart	Class 20
Gold	Medal 1985 Queensland	Class 8
Silver	Medal 1987 Barossa	Class 19
Silver	Medal 1986 Brisbane	Class 19
Bronze	Medal 1988 Barossa	Class 25
Bronze	Medal 1987 Perth	Class 43
Bronze	Medal 1986 Sydney	Class 8
Bronze	Medal 1986 Melbourne	Class 25
Bronze	Medal 1985 Hobart	Class 21

Cellaring potential: Mid-term 3 to 5 years.

Wine description: Ruby/garnet colour, rich complex bouquet of black-berry/mini and vanillan oak, smooth with soft drying tannin, well structured palate.