

Koppamurra NEWS



Aaaah – the good old summertime and the Sunday lunches in the shade of the good old plane trees. Now but a distant memory.

But despite winter's chills and sundry ills, the Koppamurra Sunday Lunch GOES ON!

Not a lot of indoor space, so a bit limited in numbers, but the wine and the food are still FREE and it is only a matter of time until Koppamurra gets an award for its contribution to post-Covid recovery. More KSL detail round the back.

New and coming out later this year...



2021 Grenache McLaren Vale

Third in the great series from winemaker Damian's own vineyard in the region establishing itself as great terroir for Grenache. The lighter McLaren Vale style – depth and elegant finish – will develop with careful cellaring.



2021 Pinot Gris Adelaide Hills

One of those easy-drinking whites, kind of midway between Riesling and Chardonnay, where you sit down with friends and polish off a couple of bottles before you notice. Good reason for having a stock on hand. A worthy successor to the 2020.



2022 Riesling Watervale, Clare Valley

From our new source vineyard but the same classic region. Minerally citrusy Rieslingy characters, consistent with this wine's 12 forbears from the region. Quality and consistency have been shown by the surprising and gratifying number of medals awarded to our Rieslings.



2022 Rosé McLaren Vale

Pale, dry, fragrant – a swig from the glass in your hand and you could be transported to Provence. However just as good if it transports you to a shady veranda in McLaren Vale at one fifth the price.



The Cheer Up mid-year special

3x Premium Reds

1x 2011 Ramsay Black Shiraz
1x 2012 Joanna Shiraz
1x 2013 Cab Sauv B/S

\$90 3-pack
(save \$20*)

5x Reds + 1x Pink

2x 2019 Grenache
1x 2017 Reserve Shiraz
1x 2018 GSM
1x 2013 Cab Sauv B/S
1x 2021 Rosé

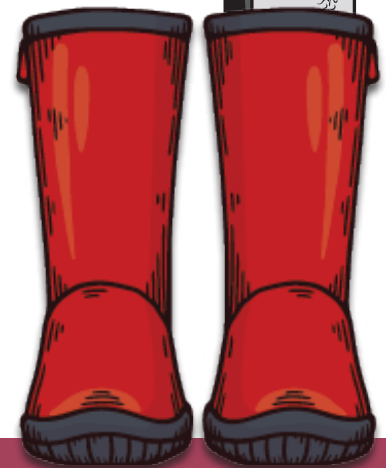
\$95 case
– \$15/btl (save \$40*)

6x Whites

1x 2020 Pinot Gris
2x 2021 Riesling
2x 2019 Riesling
1x 2017 Riesling

\$80 case
– \$12.00/btl (save \$32*)

*on bottle price



wines

whites

2021 Riesling

Clare Valley, Watervale

 **SILVER** 2021 Small Winemakers Nat'l

There was NO 2020 Riesling for us and many others – that summer's drought wiped it out. To complicate things, the Honeys sold their beautiful vineyard and we lost them as our Riesling source. BUT we now have a new source vineyard in much the same area and we are very happy to have an excellent Riesling from their grapes. Smoothing out as it ages.

2019 Riesling

Clare Valley, Watervale

From our previous grape supplier, the Honeys, whose immaculate vineyard provided us for ten years with grapes for medal-winning Rieslings. It was a difficult Clare season, but still a terrific Riesling. Now you have a chance to buy this and the 2021 and compare.

reds



2020 Touriga Nacional

Barossa Valley

WineWise: 'the typical floral perfume leads into a delightfully silky palate balanced by very fine tannins. Deliciously drinkable.' ★★★★★
We are now one of the very few Oz winemakers making a straight Touriga N and think it a great addition to our wine list. A red grape, historically used in Portugal and Australia in fortified wine – i.e. Port – almost always blended. Also as part of a blend in a number of Oz table wines. A must for the seeker of 'new' varieties.

2011 Ramsay Black Shiraz

McLaren Vale

 **BRONZE** 2012 Royal Melbourne
 **BRONZE** 2014 Royal Sydney

Top of the range and pretty much at its peak right now. A new wave Shiraz – not a weighty max extraction monster but more sophisticated and intricate.

Only 10 doz left – don't miss it!



2012 Joanna Shiraz

Wrattenbully

 **SILVER** 2014 WineWise National
 **SILVER** 2014 Small Winemakers Nat'l
 **BRONZE** 2015 Royal Sydney
 **BRONZE** 2014 Royal Adelaide
 **BRONZE** 2014 Royal Melbourne



Not a bad medal list, you'll agree. Its predecessor, the 2008 Joanna Shiraz, aged wonderfully well and this one has done just as well.





2017 Riesling

Clare Valley, Watervale

More medals than a Mexican General!


 **SILVER** 2017 WineWise National
 **BRONZE** Intl Riesling Challenge (530 wines from 9 countries)

 **BRONZE** 2017 Royal Adelaide
 **BRONZE** 2017 Small Winemakers Nat'l

Now moving into its mature middle age. Light straw colour has moved to gold, flavour has moved to a place which will delight those fanatical about older Riesling.

2020 Pinot Gris

Adelaide Hills

 **BRONZE** 2020 WineWise National

A 'miracle' wine produced amid the fire and smoke of the 2019/2020 bushfires. Looks fantastic – a great mid-spectrum summer white – with food or on its own.

Last Cases

Last Cases

pink

2021 Rosé

McLaren Vale

[Grenache 100%]

Pale, pale, pale and of an extreme elegance. Unsurpassed as a summer drink (but no reason not to drink at other seasons). Light, smooth, subtle flavours with a tiny bit of bite at the finish which some say is the mark of a classy Rosé. From Grenache grapes.

2019 Rosé

McLaren Vale

[Grenache 85%, Shiraz 15%]


Dry, a kind of dusky pink – Reubens? Veronese? – much in the style of our 2017 and 2018.



Note: the Mid-Year Special gives you a great opportunity to do what the trade calls a 'vertical tasting' of the Rieslings at a bargain price.

2020 'Torresan Block' Shiraz

McLaren Vale

 **BRONZE** 2021 Royal Melbourne

The first Shiraz from winemaker Damian's own small grape farm. Summer drought, small berries, intense fruit flavours. French and American oak barrel maturation. A 'new wave' complex and elegant Shiraz that rivals and will be a good replacement for the 'Ramsay Black' which is now almost gone. 10 years with good cellaring.


2017 Reserve Shiraz

Padthaway

Padthaway is not so far from Wrattenbully but the wine is interestingly different. Care and attention from winemaker Damo has produced a spicy wine with a soft finish and 'flavours of caramel and butterscotch'. Cellar 5 years + with care.

2013 Cabernet Sauv Barrel Selection



Wrattenbully

 **BRONZE** 2015 WineWise National

From Mosquito Creek vineyard – the best of the barrels selected for bottling. Full-bodied, intense flavours. Remember that Cab Sauv is more tannic early, but will last and last, improving all the way – 10 years + with good cellaring.

2018 GSM

McLaren Vale

 **BRONZE** 2019 Small Winemakers Nat'l
 **BRONZE** 2019 WineWise National

[Grenache 41%, Shiraz 41%, Mourvèdre 18%]
The 2017 GSM (sold out) won gold & your vote. GSM, like Grenache, has become a McLaren Vale signature wine. Very drinkable now, only getting better with bottle age & cool cellaring. Grapes all from old bush vines – classic!

2020 Grenache





McLaren Vale

 **SILVER** 2021 Small Winemakers Nat'l

The second Grenache from the Damian grape farm. Not to be missed – looks every bit as good as the 2 times Gold Medal 2019. Very much in the new lighter McLaren Vale style – and Grenache is becoming a signature wine for the Vale.

2019 Grenache



McLaren Vale

 **GOLD** 2020 WineWise National
 **GOLD** 2019 Small Winemakers Nat'l
 **BRONZE** 2019 Royal Melbourne
 **BRONZE** 2019 WineWise National

...and from winemaker Damian's own small vineyard! This is a terrific wine and not to be missed – the Melbourne judges said '...lovely lifted florals, medium intensity and tannins, good colour with fragrant spicy red fruits... youthful bright and juicy and very fresh'. Very much in the new McLaren Vale style. Lightly oaked. TWO GOLD MEDALS – don't miss it.

2016 Pinot Noir

Adelaide Hills

 **SILVER** 2019 Small Winemakers Nat'l
 **BRONZE** 2019 WineWise National

The Hills have proved to be a great source for both our Pinots – Noir and Gris. A difficult grape to grow, a difficult wine to make. But we think we are doing it well. A robust wine with lots of Pinot character – very much the style of Pinot coming from the Hills and making their reputation as a premier region for the wine.



order form

June 2022



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email: You can help us communicate with you a LOT by giving us your email address. On the order form – please write very clearly – even a missed dot invalidates. Or just send an email to sales@koppamurra.com

<i>whites + pinks</i>		<i>per dozen</i>	qty	per half dozen	qty	per bottle	qty	subtotal
2021 Riesling Clare Valley, Watervale SILVER		\$220.00/doz		\$115.00/half doz		\$19.50/bottle		
2019 Riesling Clare Valley, Watervale BRONZE x2		\$220.00/doz		\$115.00/half doz		\$19.50/bottle		
2017 Riesling Clare Valley, Watervale x3 LAST CASES		\$150.00/doz		\$85.00/half doz		\$15.00/bottle		
2020 Pinot Gris Adelaide Hills BRONZE LAST CASES		\$200.00/doz		\$105.00/half doz		\$18.00/bottle		
2021 Rosé McLaren Vale		\$180.00/doz		\$90.00/half doz		\$16.00/bottle		
2019 Rosé McLaren Vale SPECIALS		\$120.00/doz		\$70.00/half doz		\$12.00/bottle		
<i>reds</i>								
2011 Ramsay Black Shiraz McLaren Vale BRONZE x2 LAST CASES				\$300.00/half doz		\$50.00/bottle		
2012 Joanna Shiraz Wrattontully SILVER x2 BRONZE x3		\$400.00/doz		\$200.00/half doz		\$35.00/bottle		
2020 Torresan Block Shiraz McLaren Vale BRONZE		\$500.00/doz		\$260.00/half doz		\$45.00/bottle		
2017 Reserve Shiraz Padthaway		\$220.00/doz		\$115.00/half doz		\$19.50/bottle		
2020 Touriga Nacional Barossa Valley		\$280.00/doz		\$145.00/half doz		\$25.00/bottle		
2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Barrel Selection BRONZE		\$280.00/doz		\$145.00/half doz		\$25.00/bottle		
2018 GSM McLaren Vale BRONZE x2		\$220.00/doz		\$115.00/half doz		\$19.50/bottle		
2020 Grenache McLaren Vale SILVER		\$340.00/doz		\$170.00/half doz		\$30.00/bottle		
2019 Grenache McLaren Vale GOLD x2 BRONZE x2		\$340.00/doz		\$170.00/half doz		\$30.00/bottle		
2016 Pinot Noir Adelaide Hills SILVER BRONZE		\$320.00/doz		\$165.00/half doz		\$28.00/bottle		

mid-year specials

3x Premium Reds 1x 2011 Ramsay Black Shiraz, 1x 2012 Joanna Shiraz, 1x 2013 Cab Sauv B/S						\$90.00/3 btl's		
5x Reds + 1x Pink 2x 2019 Grenache, 1x 2017 Reserve Shiraz, 1x 2018 GSM, 1x 2013 Cab Sauv B/S, 1x 2021 Rosé				\$95.00/half doz				
6x Whites 1x 2020 Pinot Gris, 2x 2021 Riesling, 2x 2019 Riesling, 1x 2017 Riesling				\$80.00/half doz				

MIXED DOZEN Your Choice Please mark above, per bottle rates apply.

Minimum Order is 1 Carton. All wine prices include GST and WET.

wine subtotal

(refer below) **freight**

TOTAL

YOUR PAYMENT DETAILS

cheque enclosed for amount shown above or charge my credit card: Visa Mastercard

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local Adelaide metropolitan area free
incl Gawler (township) & some Adel. Hills locations.
Mt Gambier \$10 (incl Penola, Naracoorte & SE SA).

interstate Melbourne \$15 Canberra \$17
Sydney \$16 Brisbane \$21

Anywhere else not listed, please call us.

*Freight charges may be subject to change without notice.

2022 wines events

...and what will they be? *and still we ask
and still we hope.*



Melbourne/ Sydney/ Canberra

Right now we think we may get back to Melbourne and Sydney this year and Canberra early next year.

No dates yet confirmed but looking at mid-September for Sydney and mid-October for Melbourne. Depending...

Dates will be on the website when confirmed. Invitations will be sent out in plenty of time.

Adelaide

Sunday Lunches

Meanwhile in Adelaide, LIFE GOES ON. The Koppamurra Sunday Lunch LIVES ON. Moved inside on account of weather (even in Adelaide it gets cold and rains this time of year). Guests limited to 12. On selected Sundays.

34 Unley Road, Unley 12:30 to 5:00pm

Bookings are essential

to Dean or Di at 8357 9533 or sales@koppamurra.com

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