

Featured Wine

2012 Spring Seed Wine Company McLaren Vale 'Scarlet Runner' Shiraz

The seeds of greatness can be found in every bottle crafted at Spring Seed Wine Company.

The wines are lovingly grown in the Bosworth family's organic vineyard, located in South Australia's premium wine region of McLaren Vale. The vineyard was established in the early 1970s by Peter and Anthea Bosworth, and is now owned and operated by their son, Joch, who began the conversion to organic viticulture in 1995.

Today, the vines are fully certified "A" grade organic by Australian Certified Organic, a process that takes four years and involves yearly audits and random sampling of produce. The Spring Seed labels are inspired by vintage flower seed packets created at the turn of the last century.

The 2012 "Scarlet Runner" Shiraz is opaque in hue with a big, engaging aroma and a massive fruit impression in the mouth. Plush tannins make the wine accessible now while also allowing for mid-term cellaring.

At-A-Glance

Grape Composition:

100% Shiraz (a.k.a. Syrah)

Agging Vessels:

Mostly Previously Filled
& Some New Oak Barrels

Grape Source:

McLaren Vale Growing
Area of South Australia

When to Drink:

Now Through 2017

Aromas and Flavors:

Eucalyptus, Dried Black
Cherry, Cocoa and
Roasted Coffee

Our Tasting Panel Score:

90 Points

This big wine offers impressions of eucalyptus, dried black cherry, cocoa and roasted coffee.

FOOD PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: barbecued meats, or osso buco.

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