



LETHBRIDGE

The story of the wine ...

2022 'Moorabool Ridge' Shiraz

The Story: This is from a vineyard planted in 1985 on an interesting section of the Moorabool River, on a rocky ridge formed in the middle of the river. It is one of the oldest remaining Shiraz vineyards in Geelong. The soil is basalt derived rocks and quartz deposits. The soil is low vigour and lends a minerality to the wine, and the climate is cool, like all of the vineyard site we make wine from.

The Wine: Up to 20% whole bunch, indigenous yeast fermented in large open wooden fermenters over a period of 20-25 days. Minimal maceration, gentle pigeage and hand plunging only. Matured in a mixture of old and new French oak barriques and puncheons for 12 months.

The wine has notes of red satsuma plum interlaced with black tea, cardamom, sichuan pepper. Medium bodied with a lacey delicate tannin structure and significant length.



Vintage:	2022
Vineyard:	Moorabool Ridge, Geelong
Variety:	100% Shiraz
Aging Potential:	8 years
Alcohol:	12.7%
Cellar Door Price:	\$58