# GRAPHITE ROAD



# Walker & Wilde

# SHIRAZ

MANJIMUP | 2019

#### COLOUR

Vivid crimson colour.

#### NOSE

Distinctive dark blackberry fruit and white pepper with fine oak in support.

#### PALATE

Fresh palate of black plums, gentle spice, cracked pepper and fine lengthy tannin

## WINEMAKING NOTES

Cold Machine harvested at optimal tannin, sugar, and acid ripeness. 10 days on skins in stainless steel prior to maturation in French oak.

## VINTAGE REPORT

The season for the Manjimup wine region was cool and dry. The five months until the end of January had yielded little rain, and the cooler weather also disrupted flowering and fruit set resulting in much smaller bunch sizes and high incidence of hen and chicken prior to a much cooler Summer.

QUICK NOTES

REGION

Manjimup, Western Australia

BLEND 100% Shiraz

ALCOHOL / VOLUME 14.50 %

ACIDITY 5.86 g/L

**p** H 3.57

WINEMAKER Kim Horton

CELLAR POTENTIAL 10 to 12 years

OAK

16 months Premium French

