



# 2015 ANNUAL COMPETITION

15.5-16.9 BRONZE

17-18.4 SILVER

18.5-20 GOLD

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| Gold | Silver | Bronze |
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Class RED GRAPE PRESENT VINTAGE

| Competitor       | Entry | Class | SG    | Vintage | Main Ingredient           | Points |     |     | Total       | Awarded |  |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-------------|---------|--|
|                  |       |       |       |         |                           | 3      | 7   | 10  | 20          |         |  |
| Tom Wetherill    | 1665  | RGPV  |       | 2013    | Grenache/Durif/Shiraz     | 3      | 5   | 6.5 | <b>14.5</b> |         | Deep, clean, fruity. Deep nose, ripe, crisp acid, Touch short lacks complexity                           |
| Max Davies       | 1587  | RGPV  | 1.000 | 2013    | Cabernet                  | 2      | 4   | 5   | <b>11</b>   |         | No varietal fruit, jammy. Lacks freshness Oxidized?  |
| Danny Cappellani | 1532  | RGPV  | -     | 2006    | Shiraz/Cabernet Sauvignon | 3      | 5   | 7   | <b>15</b>   |         | Lifted nose. Sweet raspberry, fresh, clean, lovely fruit. Not particularly varietal but just youthful    |
| Peter Di Fiore   | 1556  | RGPV  | -     | 2008    | Shiraz                    | 3      | 3   | 5.5 | <b>11.5</b> |         | Volatile Acidity on nose. Okay on palate as an okay drink  |
| Geoff Neagle     | 1608  | RGPV  | -     | 2009    | Cabernet Sauvignon        | 3      | 5   | 6.5 | <b>14.5</b> |         | Colour good, nose okay. Dark berry fruit on nose. Elegant palate, needs oak and more fruit.              |
| Peter Di Fiore   | 1525  | RGPV  | -     | 2010    | Cabernet Sauvignon        | 3      | 4.5 | 7   | <b>14.5</b> |         | Nose lacks freshness. Ok fruit. Touch herbaceous. Firm structure, balance good.                          |
| Peter Di Fiore   | 1606  | RGPV  | -     | 2010    | Shiraz                    | 3      | 5   | 7.5 | <b>15.5</b> | BRONZE  | Cool Climate shiraz nose-white pepper. Ripe plums and blackberry. Fine tannins. Balanced acid, very good |
| Danny Cappellani | 1503  | RGPV  | -     | 2011    | La Grein                  | 3      | 5   | 7   | <b>15</b>   |         | Colour good, clean nose, confection, musk. Well made, high acid. Lacks mid palate fruit. Very good       |
| Geoff Neagle     | 1513  | RGPV  | -     | 2012    | Cabernet Sauvignon        | 3      | 5.5 | 7.5 | <b>16</b>   | BRONZE  | Clean nose. Cool climate. But ripe. Varietal. Good length and balance                                    |
| Philip Rice      | 1604  | RGPV  | -     | 2012    | Kersbrook Merlot          | 3      | 5.5 | 7   | <b>15.5</b> | BRONZE  | Ripened plum and fruit cake, very good balance, length. Varietal character for single variety.           |
| Philip Rice      | 1603  | RGPV  | -     | 2012    | Kersbrook Shiraz          | 3      | 5.5 | 8   | <b>16.5</b> | BRONZE  | Deep finish. Very good palate. Fruit good. Tannin and acid balance very good                             |
| Philip Rice      | 1572  | RGPV  | -     | 2012    | Balhanah Shiraz           | 3      | 6   | 8.5 | <b>17.5</b> | Silver  | Soft perfumed fruit. Touch of oak. Intense fruit. Ripe. Good oak. Very good balance and intensity        |



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| Philip Rice      | 1585  | RGPV  | -  | 2012    | Coonawarra Merlot             | 3      | 4.5 | 6   | 13.5  |         | Colour good. Dumb nose, lacking fruit. Palate high acid. Lacks mid palate fruit.                              |
| Geoff Neagle     | 1535  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Cabernet Sauvignon            | 3      | 4.5 | 6   | 13.5  |         | Colour good. Confection nose. Tutti Frutti? Not varietal cab sav. Firm palate, sweet lollied fruit.           |
| Philip Rice      | 1575  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Kersbrook Shiraz              | 3      | 5   | 6.5 | 14.5  |         | Colour good. Slight jammy fruit. Raspberry sweet fruit. Balance okay. No oak complexity. No faults. Good      |
| Philip Rice      | 1616  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Kersbrook Merlot              | 3      | 5.5 | 8   | 16.5  | BRONZE  | Colour: Nose not intense fruit wise. Subtle, elegant. Excellent palate. Pure, intense, ripe, very good length |
| Philip Rice      | 1501  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Eden Valley Shiraz            | 3      | 6   | 9.5 | 18.5  | Gold    | Deep colour. Lovely deep dark aromas. Palate ripe. Sweet fruit, white pepper, very good length.               |
| Philip Rice      | 1504  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon | 3      | 5   | 7   | 15    |         | Colour good. Nose peppermint . Needs more fruit. Palate good, needs more oak complexity                       |
| William Loughlin | 1621  | RGPV  | -  | 2013    | Merlot                        | 3      | 4   | 6.5 | 13.5  |         | Elegant nose, soft red berry palate, well made, needs more ripe fruit and oak.                                |
| Gary Campanella  | 1617  | RGPV  |    | 2012    | Shiraz                        | 3      | 4   | 6   | 13    |         | Colour good. Nose lacks fruit, tannins aggressive.  |
| Mario Fantin     | 1640  | RGPV  |    | 2012    | Cabernet Shiraz               | 2.5    | 4.5 | 6   | 13    |         | Colour lacking. Eucalyptus nose. Okay palate but drink now.   |
| David Hart       | 1651  | RGPV  |    | 2012    | Syrah                         | 3      | 6.5 | 9.5 | 19    | Gold    | Colour deep. Classy nose. Oak, deep long fruit. Complex classy. Lovely balance and length.                    |
| Mario Fantin     | 1641  | RGPV  |    | 2013    | Cabernet Sauvignon            | 2.5    | 4.5 | 6.5 | 13.5  |         | Nose okay, no real CS character. Soft, okay drinks well.  |