
CAPE MENTELLE

SHIRAZ 2008



ROYAL SYDNEY WINE SHOW 2011
Gold Medal



JAMES HALLIDAY TOP 100

96 POINTS

JEREMY OLIVER'S WINE ANNUAL 2011

94 POINTS

“Stylish, meaty and savoury, this measured, polished shiraz has a deep, rather closed bouquet of dark plums and berries, tight-knit gamy cedar/vanilla oak and dried herbs backed by white pepper, cloves and nutmeg. Elegant but profoundly flavoured, it’s long, supple and fine-grained, delivering a seamless marriage of deep plum, blackberry and blueberry flavour, fine-grained oak and a firm, but pliant undercarriage of fine tannin.”

RAY JORDAN'S 2011 WESTERN AUSTRALIAN WINE GUIDE

96 POINTS

“An often underrated wine is the Cape Mentelle shiraz. Yet when you taste something like this you really have to wonder why. Gorgeous scented nose with lifted floral spices. The palate is seamlessly woven with fine ripe tannins, fine grained oak and beautifully sweet medium weight fruit intensity. Super length and palate persistence. One of the best in this distinguished line.”

THE WINEFRONT, CAMPBELL MATTINSON
SEPTEMBER 2010

93+ POINTS

“... This release is smooth and soft, fruit-driven and easy to enjoy. It’s all mulberry and dark cherry and meaty, musky, smoky oak. It’s fine and elegant and yet fully, sweetly ripe ... this is a very attractive release.”

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MARGARET RIVER
