

# **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW CATALOGUE 2005**

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## **Wine Show Schedule**

(Classes 1 -11)

### **Commercial Classes**

BOTTLED WINES COMMERCIALY AVAILABLE  
MINIMUM 50 DOZEN 750ML OR EQUIVALENT  
ENTRIES MUST COMPRISE A MINIMUM 85% ADELAIDE HILLS FRUIT

(Classes 12 – 15)

### **Exhibition Classes**

BOTTLED WINES NOT NECESSARILY COMMERCIALY AVAILABLE  
MINIMUM 5 DOZEN 750ML OR EQUIVALENT  
ENTRIES MUST COMPRISE A MINIMUM 85% ADELAIDE HILLS FRUIT

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### ***Trophies***

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| 1.  | Best Sparkling Wine of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Malaysia Airlines</b>             | Class 1 - <i>not awarded</i>             |
| 2.  | Best Riesling of the Show  | Class 2                                  |
| 3.  | Best Sauvignon Blanc of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Mount Lofty House</b>            | Class 3                                  |
| 4.  | Best Chardonnay of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Clear Image</b>                       | Class 4                                  |
| 5.  | Best Other White wine<br><i>- not awarded</i>  | Classes other than Classes 2,3 & 4       |
| 6.  | Best White Wine of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Clear Image</b>                       | Classes 1,2,3,4,5                        |
| 7.  | Best Pinot noir of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Adelaide Hills Tourism</b>            | Class 7                                  |
| 8.  | Best Shiraz of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Hyatt Adelaide</b>                        | Class 10                                 |
| 9.  | Best Cabernet Sauvignon of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Hills Irrigation Services</b> | Class 8                                  |
| 10. | Best Other Red wine<br>Presented by <b>Rabobank</b>                                  | Classes other than Classes 7 or 8        |
| 11. | Best Red Wine of the Show  | Classes 7,8,9                            |
| 12. | Best Wine in Exhibition Classes  | Classes 12--15                           |
| 13. | Best Wine of the Show<br>Presented by <b>Hyatt Adelaide</b>                          | Open to the winner of Trophies 1,6 and 7 |

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## ***ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005***

### ***CLASS 1. COMMERCIAL: BOTTLE-FERMENTED SPARKLING WINE, ANY STYLE***

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2000	Starvedog Lane	51	Silver	Chardonnay 55.9% Pinot Noir 38.6% Pinot Meunier 5.5%
2.		WITHDRAWN			
3.	2001	Chain of Ponds Diva	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir
4.	2002	O'Leary Walker "Hurtle"	44.5		Chardonnay 85% Pinot 15%
5.	2003	Petaluma Croser	52	Silver	Pinot Noir (80%)

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Two very good examples, the older holding its age well and the younger just needing a little extra complexity from time on lees to put it in a higher category.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 2. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - RIESLING**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2003	Setanta "Speckled House"	44.5		Riesling 100%
2.	2004	Cawdor Wines	51	Silver	Riesling 100%
3.	2004	University of Adelaide	44.5		Riesling 100%
4.	2004	Chain of Ponds "Purple Patch"	51	Silver	Riesling 100%
5.	2004	Magpie Springs	38		Riesling 100%
6.	2004	Setanta "Speckled House"	45.5		Riesling 100%
7.	2005	Henschke Green's Hill	44.5		Riesling 100%
8.	2005	Wicks Estate	48.5	Bronze	Riesling 100%
9.	2005	Setanta Speckled House	45		Riesling 100%
10.	2005	Axiom Riesling	46		Riesling 100%
11.	2005	Mt Lofty Ranges Vineyard	46.5	Bronze	Riesling 100%
12.	2005	Ashton Hills Vineyard	55.5	Gold	Riesling 100%
13.	2005	Paracombe "Holland Creek"	49.5	Bronze	Riesling 100%
14.	2005	Cawdor Wines	45.5		Riesling 100%
15.	2005	Wirra Wirra Hand Picked	44.5		Riesling 100%
16.	2005	Longview Iron Knob	44.5		Riesling 100%
17.	2005	Nepenthe	49.5	Bronze	Riesling 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Despite the modest medal rate, a good class of wines to judge. Several had attenuated ferment characters, but the top wines showed delicacy and fruit purity

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 3. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - SAUVIGNON BLANC**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2004	Cawdor Wines	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
2.	2004	Kirrihill Estates	42		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
3.	2005	Le poidevin	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
4.	2005	Henschke "Coralinga"	49.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
5.	2005	Wicks Estate	47.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
6.	2005	K1 by Geoff Hardy	43.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
7.	2005	Johnston	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
8.	2005	Chain of Ponds "Black Thursday"	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
9.	2005	3 hills high	46		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
10.	2005	Howard Vineyard	47.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
11.	2005	Alan & Veitch	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
12.	2005	Ravenswood Lane	49	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
13.	2005	Griffin	44.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
14.	2005	Nova Vita "Firebird"	45		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
15.	2005	Nine Fingers	47.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
16.	2005	Bird in Hand	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
17.	2005	Aldgate Ridge	48	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
18.	2005	The Lane "Gathering"	45.5		Sauvignon Blanc 75%
19.	2005	Axiom	46		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
20.	2005	Mt Lofty Ranges Vineyard	51	Silver	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
21.	2005	Murdoch Hill	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
22.	2005	Step Rd	45.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
23.	2005	TK	43		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
24.	2005	Leabrook Estate Sauvignon Blanc	41.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
25.	2005	Alta	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 97%

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## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 3. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - SAUVIGNON BLANC (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
26.	2005	Paracombe	45.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
27.	2005	Barratt	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
28.	2005	Cawdor Wines	46		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
29.	2005	Llangibby Estate	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
30.	2005	Wirra Wirra Adelaide Hills	48		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
31.	2005	Kirrihill Estates	49	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
32.	2005	Leland Estate	48	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
33.	2005	Nepenthe "Tryst" White	45.5		Sauvignon Blanc 59%
34.	2005	Torry Ridge	43.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
35.	2005	d'Arenberg "Broken Fishplate"	41		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
36.	2005	Deviation Road	38		Sauvignon Blanc 95%
37.	2005	Pike & Joyce	47	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
38.	2005	O'Leary Walker	44.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
39.		WITHDRAWN			
40.	2005	Longview "Whippet"	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
41.	2005	Starvedog Lane	52	Silver	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
42.		WITHDRAWN			
43.	2005	Hahndorf Hill Winery	47	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
44.	2005	The Deanery Vineyards "Quartz Block"	55.5	Gold	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
45.	2005	Sinclair's Gully	44.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
46.	2005	Morialta	46.5	Bronze	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
47.	2005	Golding	44		Sauvignon Blanc 100%
48.	2005	Tilbrook Estate	52	Silver	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
49.	2005	Nepenthe	51	Silver	Sauvignon Blanc 100%
50.	2005	Bridgewater Mill	45.5		Sauvignon Blanc 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

A reasonable class of Sauvignon Blancs although we were expecting more top wines considering the reputation of the 2005 vintage. Problems included stuck fermentation characters with attenuation and volatility.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 4. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - CHARDONNAY**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2002	Gilberts Siding	39.5		Chardonnay 100%
2.	2003	Setanta "Emer"	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
3.	2003	TK	48.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
4.	2003	Starvedog Lane	48.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
5.	2003	University of Adelaide	48	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
6.	2003	Petaluma	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
7.	2003	Chain of Ponds "Corkscrew Road"	49	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
8.	2003	Barratt	43.5		Chardonnay 100%
9.	2003	Nepenthe "Ithica"	55.5	Gold	Chardonnay 100%
10.	2003	Hahndorf Hill Winery	45		Chardonnay 100%
11.	2003	Tilbrook Estate Reserve Lenswood Vineyard Adelaide Hills	55.5	Gold	Chardonnay 100%
12.	2003	Chain of Ponds "Morning Star"	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
13.	2003	Kirrihill Estates	45		Chardonnay 100%
14.	2004	Setanta "Emer"	45		Chardonnay 100%
15.	2004	Mt Lofty Ranges Vineyard	44		Chardonnay 100%
16.	2004	Leabrook Estate	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
17.	2004	Paracombe	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
18.	2004	Coriole Vineyards "The Old Barn"	45		Chardonnay 100%
19.	2004	Wirra Wirra Adelaide Hills	56	Gold	Chardonnay 100%
20.	2004	Starvedog Lane	55.5	Gold	Chardonnay 100%
21.	2004	Sinclairs Gully	45		Chardonnay 100%
22.	2004	Golding	45		Chardonnay 100%
23.	2004	Anvers	46		Chardonnay 100%
24.	2004	Starvedog Lane "No Wood"	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
25.	2004	Kirrihill Estates	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%

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### **CLASS 4. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - CHARDONNAY (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
26.	2004	d'Arenberg "Lucky Lizard"	42		Chardonnay 100%
27.	2004	Pike & Joyce	52	Silver	Chardonnay 100%
28.	2004	Step Rd	51	Silver	Chardonnay 100%
29.	2004	K1 by Geoff Hardy	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
30.	2004	Yalumba Adelaide Hills Single Spur	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
31.	2004	Johnston	44.5		Chardonnay 100%
32.	2004	Gilberts Siding	43		Chardonnay 100%
33.	2004	Henschke "Croft"	48	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
34.	2005	Longview "Blue Cow" Unwooded	45.5		Chardonnay 100%
35.	2005	Wicks Estate Unwooded	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
36.	2005	Mawson Ridge Wines "Ringtail"	41		Chardonnay approx 75%
37.	2005	Off the Leash "Finn"	44.5		Chardonnay 65%
38.	2005	Griffin	42		Chardonnay 100%
39.	2005	Longview "Blue Cow" Wooded	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
40.	2005	Protero	45		Chardonnay 100%
41.	2005	Hahndorf Hill Winery "White Mischief"	46.5	Bronze	Chardonnay 79%
42.	2005	Nepenthe Unoaked	44		Chardonnay 100%
43.	2004	The Lane "Beginning"	0 - Not received		

#### **Judges' Comments:**

A strong class with 4 Golds showing different styles. Elegance is a feature of the region. We expected more top level wines, showing good balance between fruit and secondary complexities. Several wines were excessively worked to the detriment of fruit and freshness.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 5. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - OTHER VARIETIES**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2004	Starvedog Lane	48.5	Bronze	Pinot Grigio 100%
2.	2004	Nepenthe	42.5		Pinot Gris 100%
3.	2005	Henschke "Innes"	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Gris 90%
4.	2005	Ravenswood Lane	47.5	Bronze	Pinot Grigio 100%
5.	2005	Leabrook Estate	44.5		Pinot Grigio 100%
6.	2005	Cloudbreak Wines	48	Bronze	Pinot Gris 100%
7.	2005	Starvedog Lane	44		Semillion 60% Sauvignon Blanc 40%
8.	2005	Pike & Joyce	44.5		Pinot Gris 100%
9.	2005	Deviation Road	44		Pinot Gris 96%
10.	2003	Solstice Mount Torrens Vineyard	48.5	Bronze	Viognier
11.	2004	Petaluma	52	Silver	Viognier (100%)
12.	2004	Axiom	44		Viognier 100%
13.	2004	Chain of Ponds	43		Viognier
14.	2004	Bridgewater Mill	49	Bronze	Viognier (100%)
15.	2005	Protero	43.5		Viognier 100%
16.	2005	Pawn Star "Caissa"	43.5		Viognier 100%
17.	2005	Ravenswood Lane	49	Bronze	Pinot Grigio 100%
18.	2005	Alan & Veitch	45		Viognier 100%
19.	2004	TK	44		Gewurtz 100%
20.	2005	Ashton Hills Vineyard "Three"	45		Gewurtz 50%

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### **CLASS 5. COMMERCIAL: DRY WHITE - OTHER VARIETIES (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
21.	2003	Longview My Fat Goose Semillion Sauvignon Blanc	44		Semillion 90%
22.	2004	Longview "My Fat Goose" Semillion Sauvignon Blanc	48.5	Bronze	Semillion 70%
23.	2005	Bird in Hand	42.5		Semillion 70% Sauvignon Blanc 30%
24.	2005	Longview "My Fat Goose" Semillion	44		Semillion 100%
25.	2005	Longview "Red Bucket" Semillion Sauvignon Blanc	49.5	Bronze	Semillion 80%
26.	2005	Starvedog Lane	51	Silver	Pinot Grigio 100%
27.	2005	Chain of Ponds "The Red Semi"	44		Semillon
28.	2005	Longview "Beau Sea" Viognier	0 - Not received		Viognier 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Pinot Gris is a variety with potential for this district but most lack intensity of varietal fruit. Top Viognier was a fragrant well balanced wine that avoided the hotness and heaviness that often mars this variety.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 6. COMMERCIAL: RED - LIGHT BODIED AND ROSE**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2004	Pawn Star En Prise Rose	43.5		Shiraz 50% Cabernet 50%
2.	2004	Anvers Rose	45.5		Shiraz 50%
3.	2004	Hahndorf Hill Winery Rose	43.5		Trollinger 51% Lemberger 49%
4.	2005	K1 by Geoff Hardy Rose	48	Bronze	Cab Sauv 100%
5.	2005	Mawson Ridge Wines "Cherrypicker's Mate' Pinot Blanc	43.5		Pinot Noir
6.	2005	Bird in Hand	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir
7.	2005	Barratt Piccadilly Sunrise Rose	47.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
8.	2005	Coriole Vineyards Nebbiolo Rose	48.5	Bronze	Nebbiolo
9.	2005	Hahndorf Hill Winery Rose	49.5	Bronze	Trollinger 51% Lemberger 49%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Judges looked for clean, vibrant fruit and drinkability, and most wines had that, without any standouts.

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**CLASS 7. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - PINOT NOIR**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2002	Abbey Rock	41.5		Pinot Noir 100%
2.	2002	Sandow's End Reserve	48	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
3.	2002	Chain of Ponds "Section 400"	47.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
4.	2003	Teakles Hill	44		Pinot Noir 100%
5.	2003	Cloudbreak Wines	44		Pinot Noir 95%
6.	2003	TK	45.5		Pinot Noir 100%
7.	2003	Nepenthe Charleston	49.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
8.	2003	Leabrook Estate	44.5		Pinot Noir 100%
9.	2003	Magpie Springs	43.5		Pinot Noir 100%
10.	2003	TK Reserve	43.5		Pinot Noir 100%
11.	2003	Aldgate Ridge	43		Pinot Noir 100%
12.	2003	Nepenthe Pinot Noir	50	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
13.	2003	Griffin	48.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
14.	2003	Ilya	41		Pinot Noir 100%
15.	2003	Johnston	43.5		Pinot Noir 100%
16.	2004	Ashton Hills Vineyard Reserve	47	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
17.	2004	Henschke "Giles"	43.5		Pinot Noir 100%
18.	2004	K1 by Geoff Hardy	43		Pinot Noir 100%
19.	2004	Barratt The Reserve	47.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
20.	2004	Norton Summit Vineyards	43		Pinot Noir 100%

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### **CLASS 7. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - PINOT NOIR (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
21.	2004	Arranmore "Black Pinot"	45		Pinot Noir 100%
22.	2004	Mt Lofty Ranges Vineyard	49	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
23.	2004	Arranmore	47	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
24.	2004	Ashton Hills Vineyard Estate	51	Silver	Pinot Noir 100%
25.	2004	Barratt Bonython	45		Pinot Noir 100%
26.	2004	d'Arenberg "Feral Fox"	46		Pinot Noir 100%
27.	2004	Deviation Road	43		Pinot Noir 100%
28.	2004	Pike & Joyce	55.5	Gold	Pinot Noir 100%
29.	2004	Sandow's End	43.5		Pinot Noir 100%
30.	2004	Nepenthe Charleston	0 - Not received		Pinot Noir 100%
31.	2004	Bowe-Lees "Cottier"	47	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
32.	2004	Tilbrook Estate Lenswood	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
33.	2004	McLaren Range Vineyard 2 Dam Blondes	51	Silver	Pinot Noir 100%
34.	2005	Aldgate Ridge	0 - Not received		Pinot Noir 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Not a very strong class, but the 2004's saved the day, while the 03's are less exciting with many already tiring. The three top wines had good colours, varietal fruit character and ripeness.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 8. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2001	Starvedog Lane	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
2.	2001	Chain of Ponds "Cachet"	48	Bronze	Cabernet Sauv 60%
3.	2001	Nepenthe "Hungry Ground"	44.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
4.	2001	The Lane "19th Meeting"	46		Cabernet 100%
5.	2002	Nepenthe "The Fugue"	45		Cabernet Sauvignon 52%
6.	2002	Paracombe	42		Cab Sauv 100%
7.	2002	Murdoch Hill	44		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
8.	2002	K1 by Geoff Hardy	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
9.	2002	Basket Range Wines	44		Cabernet Sauvignon 80%
10.	2002	Malcolm Creek Vineyards	45.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
11.	2002	Paracombe "The Reuben"	41.5		Cab Sauv 76% Merlot 9% Cab Franc 5% Malbec 5% Shiraz 5%
12.	2002	Chain of Ponds "Amadeus"	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
13.	2003	Nepenthe "The Rogue"	45.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 59%
14.	2003	Teakles Hill	44		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
15.	2003	Malcolm Creek Vineyards	53	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
16.	2003	Longview "Red Bucket" Cabernet Shiraz	47	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 65%
17.	2003	Leabrook Estate	47	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
18.	2003	Howard Vineyard	45		Cabernet Sauvignon 95% Cabernet Franc 5%
19.	2003	Bird in Hand "Nest Egg"	46.5	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
20.	2003	Setanta "Black Sanglain"	44.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%

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### **CLASS 8. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - CABERNET SAUVIGNON (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
21.		Withdrawn			
22.	2004	Longview "Devils Elbow"	55.5	Gold	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
23.	2004	Jardim do Bomfim	47	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
24.	2004	Bird in Hand	45		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
25.	2004	Leabrook Estate Three Region	43.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
26.	2004	Setanta "Black Sanglain"	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
27.	2004	University of Adelaide	42.5		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
28.	2004	Longview "Red Bucket" Cabernet Shiraz	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 65%
29.	2004	Starvedog Lane	51	Silver	Cabernet Sauvignon 54% Merlot 46%
30.	2004	Nepenthe Tryst Red	45		Cabernet Sauvignon 73%
31.	2003	Murdoch Hill "Whitegum Road"	Not received		Cabernet Sauvignon 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Strong class with plenty of highlights. Wines with ripe, concentrated fruit were rewarded.



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### **CLASS 9. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - MERLOT**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2001	TK 'The Palatine'	52.5	Silver	Merlot 56%
2.	2002	Johnston	44		Merlot 100%
3.	2003	Deviation Road	48	Bronze	Merlot 97%
4.	2003	Starvedog Lane	55.5	Gold	Merlot 100%
5.	2003	Henschke "Abbott's Prayer"	44		Merlot 92%
6.	2003	Balhannah Vineyards	42.5		Merlot 93%
7.	2003	K1 by Geoff Hardy	45.5		Merlot 100%
8.	2003	Wild Geese	44		Merlot 100%
9.	2004	Alan & Veitch	53.5	Silver	Merlot 100%
10.	2004	Bird in Hand	48	Bronze	Merlot 100%
11.	2004	Leabrook Estate	51	Silver	Merlot 90%
12.	2004	Mt Bera	48.5	Bronze	Merlot 100%
13.	2004	Ashton Hills Vineyard "Five"	Not received		Merlot 100%
14.	2004	Bowhouse Vineyard "The Piste"	47	Bronze	Merlot >85%
15.	2004	McLaren Range Vineyard 2 Dam Blondes	52.5	Silver	Merlot 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

At last, a good Merlot class! A high medal rate, thanks to good colours, ripe fruit, and balanced use of oak. Some wines verged on over-extracted. The hills are one of Australia's more suitable regions for this variety.

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### **CLASS 10. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - SHIRAZ**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2000	The Lane "Reunion"	Not received		Shiraz 100%
2.	2001	Solstice Mount Torrens Vineyard	51	Silver	Shiraz 100%
3.	2001	Starvedog Lane	52	Silver	Shiraz 100%
4.	2002	Paracombe	47	Bronze	Shiraz 100%
5.	2002	The Deanery Vineyards Bull Paddock Shiraz	44		Shiraz 100%
6.	2002	K1 by Geoff Hardy	45.5		Shiraz 95% Cab Sauv 5%
7.	2002	Paracombe "Somerville"	45		Shiraz 100%
8.	2002	Johnston	45		Shiraz 100%
9.	2002	Hahndorf Hill Winery	47	Bronze	Shiraz 100%
10.	2002	Chain of Ponds "Ledge"	49.5	Bronze	Shiraz 100%
11.	2003	Anvers	46		Shiraz 62%
12.	2003	Setanta "Cuchulain"	52.5	Silver	Shiraz 98%
13.	2003	TK	46		Shiraz 100%
14.	2003	Hahndorf Hill Winery	51	Silver	Shiraz 100%
15.	2003	Griffin	45		Shiraz 100%
16.	2003	Ilya	44.5		Shiraz 100%
17.	2003	Solstice Mount Torrens Vineyard	51	Silver	Shiraz/Viognier 7%
18.	2003	The Deanery Vineyards Bull Paddock Shiraz	43.5		Shiraz 100%
19.	2003	Bridgewater Mill	53	Silver	Shiraz (94%)
20.	2003	Morgans Pindari Vineyard	47	Bronze	Shiraz 100%

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### **CLASS 10. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - SHIRAZ (Continued)**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
21.	2003	Teakles Hill	41		Shiraz 100%
22.	2003	Balhannah Vineyards	51	Silver	Shiraz 100%
23.	2003	Paracombe	43.5		Shiraz 97% Viognier 3%
24.	2003	Petaluma	51.5	Silver	Shiraz (95%)
25.	2004	Nova Vita "Firebird"	48	Bronze	Shiraz 100%
26.	2004	Bird in Hand	55.5	Gold	Shiraz 100%
27.	2004	Starvedog Lane	56	Gold	Shiraz 94% Viognier 6%
28.	2004	Leabrook Estate "Three Region"	44		Shiraz 100%
29.	2004	Wicks Estate	43.5		Shiraz 100%
30.	2004	Paracombe	53.5	Silver	Shiraz 97% Viognier 3%
31.	2004	Setanta "Cuchulain"	48.5	Bronze	Shiraz 98%
32.	2004	Jardim do Bomfim	45.5		Shiraz 100%
33.	2004	Pawn Star "The Gambit"	42		Shiraz 51% Petit Verdot 34% Cabernet 15%
34.	2004	Longview "Yakka"	53	Silver	Shiraz 94%
35.	2004	Anvers "Brabo"	43.5		Shiraz 57%
36.	2003	Wicks Estate	Not received		100% Shiraz

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

Strong class of a big variety of styles, from the finer, spicier wines to the very ripe, opulent wines reminiscent of a certain region further north! Some wines a little too far down the jammy, high alcohol road.

## **ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW 2005**

### **CLASS 11. COMMERCIAL: DRY RED - OTHER VARIETIES**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2004	Leabrook Estate	47	Bronze	Cabernet Franc 100%
2.	2004	Paracombe Wines	52.5	Silver	Cabernet Franc 100%
3.	2003	Llangibby Estate "Red Talbot"	43.5		Tempranillo 90% Grenache 5% Shiraz 5%
4.	2004	Nepenthe Tempranillo	48.5	Bronze	Tempranillo 100%
5.	2004	Pawn Star "En Passant" Tempranillo	51	Silver	Tempranillo 100%
6.	2003	Nepenthe Zinfandel	43		Zinfandel 100%
7.	2004	Jardim do Bomfim	47	Bronze	Zinfandel
8.	2004	Longview "The Mob" Zinfandel	49	Bronze	Zinfandel 100%
9.	2004	Jardim do Bomfim	45		Montepulciano 100%
10.	2003	The Deanery Vineyards "Three Generations" Sangiovese	43.5		Sangiovese 95%
11.	2003	Chain of Ponds "Jupiters Blood"	51	Silver	Sangiovese 100%
12.	2003	Chain of Ponds	53	Silver	Nebbiolo 100%
13.	2004	Longview "Black Crow" Nebbiolo	45		Nebbiolo 100%
14.	2005	Jardim do Bomfim	47.5	Bronze	Montepulciano 100%

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

A fruit salad of fringe varieties, all of which deserve their place in the sun.

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**CLASS 12. EXHIBITION: SPARKLING**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	1998	Diva	49	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
2.	2000	Toondilla Wines	42		Shiraz 100%

***Judges' Comments:***

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### **CLASS 13. EXHIBITION: DRY WHITE**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	1999	Chain of Ponds	51	Silver	Riesling 100%
2.	2001	Cloudbreak Wines	44.5		Pinot Gris 100%
3.	2002	Henschke Green's Hill Riesling	55.5	Gold	Riesling 100%
4.	2002	Cloudbreak Wines	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Gris 100%
5.	2002	Henschke "Innes" Pinot Gris	56	Gold	Pinot Gris 100%
6.	2003	Cawdor Wines	47	Bronze	Riesling 100%
7.	2003	Cloudbreak Wines	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Gris 100%
8.	2005	A & D. Innes	48	Bronze	Chardonnay 100%
9.	2005	Tilbrook Estate Pinot Gris	47	Bronze	Pinot Gris 100%
10.	2005	A & D. Innes	44		Semillon 100

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

A very interesting group of mainly older wines with Riesling and Pinot Gris showing their suitability for the Adelaide Hills. Top wine is a rare example of a truly world class Pinot Gris with concentrated spice and honey flavours.

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### **CLASS 14. EXHIBITION: DRY RED**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	1996	Henschke Abbott's Prayer	49.5	Bronze	Merlot 85%
2.	2001	Toondilla Wines	51	Silver	Shiraz 50% Cab Sav 50%
3.	2001	Toondilla Wines	43		Petit Verdot 100%
4.	2002	Henschke "Giles" Pinot Noir	49.5	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100%
5.	2002	Setanta "Cuchulain" Shiraz	47	Bronze	Shiraz 100%
6.	2002	Cloudbreak Pinot Noir	45.5		Pinot Noir 100%
7.	2002	Toondilla Wines	44		Petit Verdot 100%
8.	2002	Setanta "Black Sanglain" Cabernet Sauvignon	47.5	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
9.	2003	Tilbrook Estate Reserve Merlot	46		Merlot 100%
10.	2003	A & D. Innes	46.5	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 100
11.	2003	Norton Summit Vineyards Pinot Noir	47	Bronze	Pinot Noir 100
12.	2003	Paracombe Cabernet Franc	44		Cab Franc 100%
13.	2003	Tilbrook Estate Sangiovese	48.5	Bronze	Sangiovese 90%
14.	2003	Jardim do Bomfim	0 - Shifted to class 11		Zinfandel 100%
15.	2003	Griffin	46.5	Bronze	Merlot 100%
16.	2003	Leabrook Estate Cabernet Franc	45.5		Cabernet Franc 100%
17.	2003	Tilbrook Estate Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot	47	Bronze	Cabernet Sauvignon 90%
18.	2004	Wicks Estate Cabernet Merlot	49.5	Bronze	65% Cab Sauvignon, 35% Merlot

#### ***Judges' Comments:***

A mixed bag - No real standouts.

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**CLASS 15. EXHIBITION: ALL OTHER WINES**

<b>Entry</b>	<b>Vintage</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Awards</b>	<b>Description</b>
1.	2003	Magpie Springs	43.5		Riesling
2.	2004	Toondilla Wines	40.5		Pinot Gris 100%
3.	2004	Tilbrook Estate Reserve Pinot Gris Late Harvest	46.5	Bronze	Pinot Gris 100%

***Judges' Comments:***



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### ***ADELAIDE HILLS REGIONAL WINE SHOW EXHIBITORS 2005***

1. A & D. Innes
2. Abbey Rock
3. Aldgate Ridge
4. Alta Wines
5. Anvers
6. Arranmore Vineyard
7. Ashton Hills Vineyard
8. Barratt Wines
9. Bird in Hand
10. Bowe Lees
11. Bowhouse Vineyard
12. Cawdor Wines
13. Chain of Ponds
14. Cloudbreak Wines
15. Coriole Vineyards
16. d'Arenberg
17. Deviation Road
18. Geoff Hardy Wines
19. Gilberts Siding
20. Golding Wines
21. Greg Le Poidevin
22. Griffin Wines
23. Hahndorf Hill Winery
24. Henschke
25. ILYA Vineyards
26. J&AG Johnston Ltd
27. Kirrihill Wines
28. Leabrook Estate
29. Leland Estate
30. Llangibby Estate
31. Longview Vineyard
32. Longview Vineyard
33. Malcolm Creek Vineyards
34. Mawson Ridge Wines
35. McLaren Range Vineyard
36. Morialta Vineyard
37. Mt Bera Vineyards
38. Mt Lofty Ranges Vineyard
39. Mt Torrens Vineyard
40. Murdoch Hill Wines
41. Nepenthe Wines

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42. Norton Summit Vineyards
43. Nova Vita Wines
44. O'Leary Walker
45. Owen Morgan
46. Paracombe Wines
47. Petaluma
48. Phillip Broderick
49. Pike & Joyce
50. Protero Wines
51. Robert Johnson Vineyards
52. Romney Park Wines
53. S & P Cox t/as YULTI FARM
54. Sandow's End
55. Setanta Wines
56. Starvedog Lane
57. Step Rd
58. Stuart Brown
59. Sinclairs Gully
60. The Deanery Vineyards
61. The Lane Wine Co
62. The Yalumba Wine Company
63. Tilbrook Estate
64. TK Wines
65. Toondilla Wines
66. Torry Ridge
67. TWM Wine Consultancy
68. University of Adelaide
69. Vitifoliae Projects Pty Ltd
70. W Borchardt
71. Wicks Estate
72. Wild Geese Wines
73. Wirra Wirra Vineyards
74. Zachary Keelan Wines

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