



*'.. This is a seriously good cabernet sauvignon.'*  
James Halliday

# MOPPITY *Vineyards*



## Moppity Vineyards Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon 2017

**Varieties:** Cabernet Sauvignon

**Region:** Hilltops NSW

**Awards:** 97pts Halliday Wine Companion  
96pts Wine Matrix  
95pts Wine Orbit

**Viticultural:** Shoot thinned, leaf thinned and crop reduced to 1.5 tonnes per acre. Hand picked grapes were selected from our best 2 parcels of estate grown fruit.

**Winemaking:** 16 day cool fermentation on skins, barrel aged in the finest new and used French barriques for 14 months. Multiple rackings to clarify, aerate (enhancing the sensory properties of the wine) and to help form Pigmented Tannins which improve mouthfeel and stabilize colour.

### TASTING NOTES

**Colour:** Deep, dense purple/dark red

**Nose:** A complex bouquet of sweet blackcurrant cassis, dark forest fruits, vanilla and cigar box oak and herbal nuances.

**Palate:** The palate is powerful yet seamless with liquid cassis floating on top of layers of red & black fruits, spice, graphite and fine oaky notes. The supple tannins & acid line give structure and longevity to the wine.

**Comments:** Our Reserve Cabernet is sourced from the old, gnarly vines planted in 1973.

**Alcohol:** 13.9%