

# PIKES



PREMIUM WINEMAKERS & VIGNERONS

## **2003 'EASTSIDE' SHIRAZ**

Colour: Deep purple red

Aroma: Ripe, dark berry fruits, damp earth and eastern spices are some offered up along with some subtle charry French oak.

Palate: Soft and rich with an abundance of sweet ripe fruit and dark chocolate, all held together with some fine tannins and a hint of savoury French oak on the finish.

Summary: Drink now and over the next 7 years. Try it with rare roast beef or osso bucco.

### Technical Information

Region: 100% Clare Valley, South Australia

Variety: 100% Shiraz

Alcohol / Vol: 14.7%

Acidity: 5.99g/L TA

pH: 3.58

Fermentation: Inoculated & natural yeast cultures, 100% SS Ferm. pumped over, membrane pressed, pressing added back. Temp. controlled 19 - 28 C Oak: 14 months- predominantly 228L French barriques.