

International Wine Challenge Results 2013

Trophy

Volnay Premier Cru En Chevret 2010, Maison Louis Latour
Red Burgundy, Volnay 1er Cru

Gold

Volnay Premier Cru En Chevret 2010, Maison Louis Latour
Multi-layered and aromatic. Black cherry, vanilla, Asiatic spice and woodland. Full flavoured and long with great intensity and chewy tannins. Will reward cellaring.

St Andrews Shiraz 2010, Wakefield
Spicy with lingering finish, juicy, ambitious wine.

Silver

Condrieu 2011, Vidal Fleury
Perfumed, lime and lemon blossom; nutty refreshing palate.

Côte Rôtie La Chatillonne 2007, Vidal-Fleury
Elegant and developed with meaty savoury and sour cherry flavours. Drink now!

Secret de Viu Manent Sauvignon Blanc 2012, Viu Manent
Lovely grapefruit, passionate bouquet. super intensity flavory follow through to palate. well balanced texture. crisp acidity super length.

Single Vineyard La Capilla Cabernet Sauvignon 2011, Viu Manent
Beautiful, classic Cabernet. Fresh and rich with minty, juicy fruit. There is great balance and structure in this very classy wine.

St Andrews Shiraz 2009, Wakefield
Dried apricot and leafy cherry, smoky, structured and ripe plum. sweet mid palate slightly fresher at the back. good length

St Andrews Riesling 2012, Wakefield
Bright youthful, given time to mature

St Andrews Chardonnay 2012, Wakefield
Complex and mineral character. Good integration of oak and fruit. Nice, lingering finish.

St Andrews Cabernet Sauvignon 2010, Wakefield
Herbal edge to red/black fruit - intense. Notes of cedar, jammy black fruit and light mint. Seductive full body with soft tannins. Good balance and length.

Jaraman Shiraz 2010, Wakefield
Intriguing severe wine loaded with raspberry and blackberry fruit. Impressively spicy.

Bronze

Brouilly 2012, Henry Fessy
Bramble fruits and pomegranate with a delicate body. Balanced mouthfeel of fresh acidity.

Chablis Premier Cru Montee de Tonnerre 2011, Simonnet-Febvre
Aromas of tobacco leaf, red apple and citrus pith. Textural and creamy with balanced acidity.

Chablis Premier Cru Montmains 2011, Simonnet-Febvre
Subtle, somewhat restrained, flavours with much creamy, textured interest.

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Bronze continued

Morgon 2011, Henry Fessy

Blackberry, cherry and smoky notes of liquorice make a soft, clean fruity wine.

Pouilly-Vinzelles En Paradis 2011, Maison Louis Latour

Nutty, creamy, attractive floral notes, stone fruit on palate, rich and textured.

Ventoux 2011, Vidal-Fleury

A peppery, red-fruited Rhone red, with firm tannins and spicy fruit.

Gran Reserva Carmenere 2011, Viu Manent

An elegant European-style wine showing cassis and black cherries, a firm and robust mouthfeel and a long persistent finish.

Gran Reserva Malbec 2011, Viu Manent

Lots of dark bramble fruits. Sweet and balanced. Hint of minerality and white pepper. Great freshness.

Single Vineyard San Carlos Malbec 2011, Viu Manent

Red fruits with damson jam and some violet notes. Balanced with great depth.

St Andrews Old Block Cabernet Sauvignon 2009, Wakefield

Bold blackcurrant methanol nose. Ripe blackcurrant, plum leafy edge. light to medium bodied commercial style. Pleasant with nice length.

St Andrews Cabernet Sauvignon 2009

Blackcurrant pastilles, richly fruity with smooth, round tannins and a long, dry finish.

Eighty Acres Cabernet Shiraz Merlot 2011, Wakefield

Brulee, caramel edge to red fruit aromatics. Light medium-bodied plum cassis. Succulent but a little short on finish.

Jaraman Cabernet Sauvignon 2010, Wakefield

Restrained leathery smoky nose. Blueberry, spice and cedar in the mouth. Some earthy tannic depth. Fades on the finish.

Promised Land Cabernet Merlot 2010, Wakefield

Ripe red fruit, some spice, structured, clean and tasty with that typical cabernet lift and a welcome and fresh addition of luscious merlot.

Commended

Bourgogne Gamay 2011, Maison Louis Latour

Chablis 2012, Simonnet-Febvre

Chardonnay White Burgundy 2011, Maison Louis Latour

Chateau des Labourons Fleurie 2011, Henry Fessy

Cotes du Rhone Red 2011, Vidal Fleury

Grand Ardèche Chardonnay 2011, Maison Louis Latour

Secret de Viu Manent Carmenere 2011, Viu Manent

Secret de Viu Manent Malbec 2011, Viu Manent

Secret de Viu Manent Pinot Noir 2011, Viu Manent

Single Vineyard El Olivar Syrah 2011, Viu Manent

Exquisite Selection Limestone Coast Chardonnay 2012, Wakefield Wines

Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2010, Wakefield

Estate Chardonnay 2011, Wakefield

Promised Land Semillon Sauvignon 2011, Wakefield

Promised Land Unwooded Chardonnay 2010, Wakefield

Estate Shiraz 2010, Wakefield