

2025 CLARE VALLEY RIESLING

PAULETT'S CLARE VALLEY RANGE WINES



COLOUR

Light straw green

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Bright, fresh, and instantly appealing, the nose offers a vibrant medley of brown lime and fragrant citrus florals, delicately woven with hints of citrus blossom. Subtle layers of tropical fruit and white stone fruit add further depth and complexity.

PALATE

A vivid burst of brown lime cordial and freshly squeezed lemon and lime open the palate, delivering both intensity and finesse. The well-managed acidity is seamlessly integrated, providing exceptional balance and focus. The wine finishes long and persistent, leaving a lingering impression of citrus purity.

WINEMAKING

Machine-harvested, destemmed, and gently pressed, taking only the free-run juice. Fermented in stainless steel using a neutral yeast strain, then stabilised, filtered, and bottled young to capture the purity of Riesling.

FOOD PAIRING

Fresh South Australian seafood

VINTAGE

The 2025 vintage followed an exceptionally dry 2024 winter—one of the driest on record—leaving very little subsoil moisture at bud burst. A mid-September frost affected parts of our Polish Hill River vineyards, though the early timing allowed good recovery. Approximately 90 mm of rain fell from September to early December, followed by a hot, dry summer. Harvest began early on 3 February and finished by 5 March, with no rain or disease pressure. Reds show deep colour and bold flavour, while whites retain vibrant acidity and pure fruit character.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

Gold 95/100 | 2025 Sydney Royal Wine Show
Silver 92/100 | 2025 New Zealand International Wine Show
Silver 91/100 | 2025 Royal Adelaide Wine Show
Silver 94/100 | 2025 NZ International Wine Show
Silver 92/100 | 2025 Halliday Wine Companion
91/100 Points | 2026 The Vintage Journal, SA Wine Guide

QUICK NOTES

Variety:
100% Riesling

Fruit Source:
Clare Valley

Bottled:
July 2025

Alcohol:
11.0%

Standard Drinks:
6.5

pH:
2.94

Reducing Sugar:
4.0 g/L

Cellaring:
Drink now or be rewarded with 15 years bottle development