



Juniper wines are true expressions of the renowned ability of the Margaret River region, and the Wilyabrup area in particular, to produce rich, textured wines with instant appeal and the capacity to age. Nestled in the valley of the Wilyabrup brook, Juniper Estate is one of the prettiest Margaret River vineyards. It is also one of the oldest, its original 20 acres of vines planted in 1973.

Introduction

We thought it a good idea to keep more frequent contact with our friends on our 'electronic' list than is possible with a full-scale printed newsletter. So this is the first of our e-mail newsletters. As an opening special this letter features an offer on the 2002 Juniper Crossing Shiraz. This wine has had many reviews in the press, of particular note was the feature in the Winestate Annual Magazine 2004, reviewed with 4 stars! Media reviews received for other Juniper wines and forthcoming event information is also detailed below. We hope you enjoy reading our Juniper Estate newsletter, cheers!

Special Offer

Juniper Crossing 2002 Shiraz, Margaret River

20% off any full case purchased with this promotion
(expires November 30th, 2005)

CD Price: \$19.00 bottle / \$228 case
SPECIAL PRICE \$15.20 bottle / \$182.40 case

Free delivery to major centres within Australia (on straight/mixed case lots only).

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New Releases

2002 Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

Mark writes;

The mild weather during the 2002 vintage allowed slow ripening in the Cabernet Sauvignon grapes, which shows in the resulting berry fruit characters in the wine. The concentration of fruit and ripe tannins that you expect from Wilyabrup grapes are there in balance with quality oak, culminating in a wine ready to be enjoyed now along with a cellaring potential of at least 10 years. This is our fourth release of the Juniper Estate Cabernet Sauvignon.



Notes from Australian Gourmet Traveller WINE - HUON HOOKE;

"Another excellent cabernet from winemaker Mark Messenger: lovely fruit sweetness, depth and quality. Fine-grained tannins add authority to the finish. A whiff of eucalyptus/mint." 93 POINTS - 5 STARS in the 100 Top New Release Wines - Oct/Nov 2005

2003 Crossing Cabernet Merlot

Mark writes;

The warm weather during the 2003 vintage allowed full ripening in the cabernet sauvignon and merlot grapes, which shows in the resulting berry fruit characters in the wine. The Juniper Crossing Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot is made in a style for immediate drinking pleasure, but has at least 5 years cellaring potential.

Crimson with a touch of purple in colour, the wine shows lifted blackcurrant, red cherry and mulberry fruit characters with a touch of mint, spice and smoky vanillin oak on the nose. The palate has good flesh and richness with juicy berry fruit and spice with a fine tannin backbone.

Notes from The Sunday Times Magazine - PETER FORRESTAL;

"In case you've missed my previous reviews on the 2003 Juniper Crossing Cabernet Merlot (\$16), it is probably the best value WA red available." October 9, 2005

Press Review

James Halliday - Australian Wine Companion 2006, 4 ½ star rating!

The 2006 edition of James Halliday's Australian Wine Companion has just been released to bookstore shelves. He has reviewed and given high scores to nine of our wines, highlights include:

Juniper Estate 2004 Semillon - 92 POINTS

"Subtle barrel ferment inputs to both bouquet and palate; long and intense; excellent acidity; barrel-fermented and matured. DRINK 2010."

Juniper Crossing 2004 Semillon Sauvignon Blanc - 91 POINTS

"Very lively, fresh and crisp; delicate aromas and flavours of grass, passion fruit and pear; lingering finish. DRINK 2008."

Juniper Crossing 2003 Cabernet Merlot - 90 POINTS

"Good colour; medium-bodied; supple, ripe blackcurrant and cassis; fine, ripe tannins; subtle oak. DRINK 2010."

Halliday also highly reviewed the 2001 Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, awarding it 95 points and the 2003 Crossing Chardonnay with 91 points, both of which are sadly now sold out.

Events

Juniper Estate Dinner – Perth, November 9

Juniper Estate will be hosting a dinner with GALILEO Restaurant, Shenton Park on November 9. For further information contact Galileo on 08 9382 3343. Cost \$68 per person.

Margaret River Regional Wine Festival November 17-20

Juniper Estate will be participating in "The Fusion" on Saturday November 19. Described as the festival's hub event, you can sample wines from 35 Margaret River wineries and taste an array of boutique beers and regional food. For further information contact the festival office, phone: 08 9757 9990. Entry fee is \$25, includes a wine glass and 5 wine tasting tickets.

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