



Beverford 2008 Merlot

The beverford range of red and white varietal table wines takes its name from the sleepy hamlet of the same name in the heart of the Swan Hill Winegrowing Region. Beverford is the location of our second winery, established in 1952.

WINE MAKERS COMMENTS

The Merlot grape typically has soft and generous plumy fruit flavors and I have made this wine to take advantage of these qualities. It is medium bodied and well suited to pasta, game and most red meat dishes. This 2008 vintage is showing excellent fruit, which I am sure, will appeal to fans of the Merlot grape.

CELLARING RECOMMENDATIONS

Long term cellaring is not required, however this wine will continue to develop in the bottle for 2 to 3 years.

TASTING NOTES

Color/appearance: Crimson, medium bodied.

Aroma/bouquet: Aromas of cherry, plum, hint of mocha.

Palate: On the front palate, flavors of damson plum with cherry and mocha notes. Soft structured

tannins. Supple mouth feel. Mild acidity. A touch of oak in a well-rounded finish.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.5% TA: 6.8 g/l pH: 3.51