

# LONGHOP

— ESTABLISHED 2005 —



## 2016 **SHIRAZ**

### MT. LOFTY RANGES

#### OUR STORY

Sourcing precious old vine survival plantings of the 1950s, and coupled with our non-interventional approach to winemaking, Longhop Wines found it's provenance in handcrafting the lush, generous and full flavours of yesteryear. We create expressive wines showcasing, fruit, season and birth place.

#### THE CRAFT

Whole berry ferment in five ton open top fermenters with soft pump overs and minimal hand plunging. On skins for six days, then basket pressed into young seasoned oak with ferment finishing off in barrel. Matured in French and American oak. Two rackings prior to blending and bottling.

#### TASTING NOTE

Full of flavour, with a rich palate of dark plum, raspberries and spice. Drink now to 7+ years.

#### TECHNICAL NOTES

Region: Mt Lofty Ranges  
Vineyards: Angle Vale; red clay/loams over broken limestone.  
One Tree Hill; thin windswept top soils over limestone and quartz.  
Alv/Vol: 14.5%  
Age of vines: 16 - 50+ years