# **LONGHOP**

— ESTABLISHED 2005 —



# 2017 **CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

## ADELAIDE PLAINS

#### **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 oak. Two rackings prior to blending and bottling.

#### **TASTING NOTE**

Full of flavour, with mulberries, blackcurrants and fine ripe tannins. Drink now to 7+ years.

#### **TECHNICAL NOTES**

Region: Adelaide Plains

Vineyards: Andrews Farm; red clay/loams over

broken limestone.

Hillier; Gawler River alluvium

Alc/Vol: 14.5%

Age of vines: 20 - 50+ years