

Penfolds

CLUB RESERVE AGED TAWNY

In 1844 Christopher Rawson Penfold planted vines on the slopes of Magill to produce fortified wines. Penfolds is now proud to present a range of fortified wines that is a continuation of over 150 years of winemaking tradition and represents the finest collection of wines of this style in Australia.

Since 1985 Penfolds has been identifying the best barrels of Club Tawny and reserving them for additional maturation. These reserved barrels are then skilfully blended to create Penfolds Club Reserve, a definitive aged Australian Tawny in keeping with the Penfolds tradition of excellence.



VINEYARD REGION	Premium viticultural regions throughout South Australia.
VINTAGE CONDITIONS	Penfolds Club Reserve is a multi-regional blend.
GRAPE VARIETY	Shiraz (Syrah), Grenache, Mourvèdre
MATURATION	Individual components are given extended maturation in very old hogsheads before blending to create a consistent style.
WINE ANALYSIS	Alc/Vol: 18.00% Acidity: - pH: -
LAST TASTED	12-Dec-02
PEAK DRINKING	Now
FOOD MATCHES	Ideally suited to Cheese, Dessert

Winemaker comments by James Godfrey

COLOUR

Tawny red-brown.

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The nose is fragrant and well-integrated, possessing aromas of raisined fruit, caramel, subtle vanillin oak and nutty aged complexity.

PALATE

The palate has a luscious fruit sweetness balanced by drier barrel-matured characters and subtle spirit. The wine has rich flavours of spicy dried fruit, butterscotch and walnuts before a long, lingering finish.