



## **2011 Carnival of Love Shiraz**



### **Excerpt of the winemaking team's tasting notes**

This is the wine I tell all my friends about. To see the look on their faces after their first sip is priceless. The 2011 Carnival of Love so clearly shows the essence of Mollydooker. It has elegance; a complete, intense, seamless flavour spectrum; a sumptuous mouth feel and perfect balance. At 92% Fruit Weight it is a wine to go WOW about, an absolute beauty. *Peter*

Our whole family is involved in making our wines, and all the wonderful people who drink them become our friends, so we named this wine Carnival of Love, because the wines bring us together. If you look closely you will notice that the Lefty characters are all included in the label and when you join the Carnival of Love and the Enchanted Path together, the two labels form one beautiful continuous love story.

### **Technical notes**

The grapes were grown on the Gateway vineyard in McLaren Vale

Barrel fermented and matured in 100% new American oak.

Alc: 15.5%    Residual sugar: 2.7g/L    pH: 3.7

### **Marquis Fruit Weight – your guarantee of quality.**

Required: 85-90%

Actual: 92%

### **Past vintages**

2010 Carnival of Love - WA 95 pts; WS 94 pts

2009 Carnival of Love - WS 94 pts and 'Hot Wine'; WA 93 pts

2007 Carnival of Love - WA 96 pts; WS 95 pts and '9th Top Wine in the World'

WS 'Highly recommended' and 'Editor's Most Exciting New Wines'

2006 Carnival of Love - WA 97 pts; WS 95 pts and '8th Top Wine in the World'

2005 Carnival of Love - WA 99 pts; WS 94 pts