# **COONAWARRA** Wine Region Guide





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# COONAWARRA Our Story

Coonawarra is Australia's leading Cabernet Sauvignon producing region. It's one of the few regions where free-draining soils and maritime ripening conditions create the ultimate varietal expression of this noble grape, producing some of the world's most collectible wines.



Famous for its vivid red soil and world-class red wines, Coonawarra is one of Australia's most internationally celebrated wine regions. Situated in the Limestone Coast region of South Australia, close to the Victorian border, 375 kilometres south east of Adelaide and 427 kilometres west of Melbourne, the Coonawarra Wine Region is set upon a cigar-shaped parcel of land, only 27 Kilometres long and a couple of kilometres wide, making it a highly coveted and zealously guarded premium grape growing region.

What makes this area so special is one of the most famous terroirs in the southern hemisphere: the combination of a thin layer of unique rich, red top soil ('terra rossa' or 'red earth') over an ancient limestone mantle encasing a pure, underground aquifer.

Add to that a maritime climate with a long, cool ripening season and you have ideal conditions for producing outstanding, elegant and award-winning wines.

Best known for exceptional Cabernet Sauvignon, Coonawarra also excels in the production of ultra-premium Shiraz, Merlot, Chardonnay and Riesling.





The wines of Coonawarra speak not just of the famous terroir, but also of the local community and people who give these wines their character.

It began in 1890 with John Riddoch's first plantings of vines, then carried into the next century by the Redman Family, and later by Wynns in 1951. These names are still revered, and their vision and heritage is proudly upheld by the world-class wineries which now call Coonawarra home.

Today, new generations of old winemaking families toil alongside an influx of fresh talent to ensure the spirit of the Coonawarra wine region continues to thrive.

It is a community that's vibrant, passionate, sophisticated and unique – one that honours tradition while embracing innovation and nurturing sustainable viticulture for the future.

Coonawarra's wines drink fabulously well at release, but it is no secret that the wines evolve and achieve greater complexity with age.

Its reds, Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz in particular, not only taste exceptional when young, but also cellar brilliantly – for decades at a time! The aging ability of Coonawarra wines is world class – a fact endorsed by generations of collectors around the world.

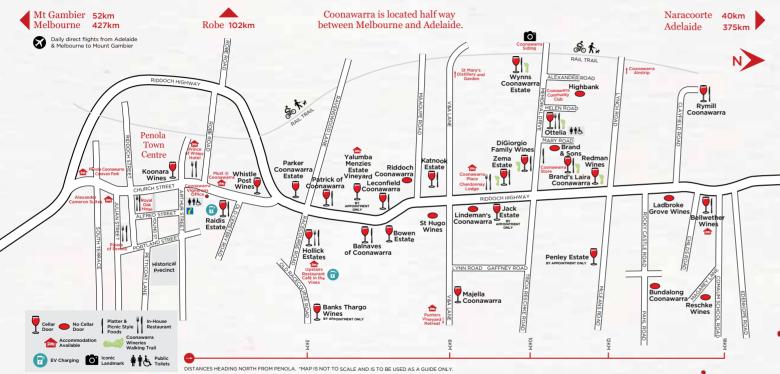
Together, the landscape, the people and the passion work in harmony to create a signature wine region that delivers on a myriad of levels.

Take the time to savour our wines.

Smell it, taste it and experience it for yourself.

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# COONAWARRA The Terra Rossa Strip



\*Some cellar doors provide food options. Some are by appointment only. Refer to individual listings.



View large scale Coonawarra Wine Region map online at www.coonawarra.org



See what wine varieties are pouring in Coonawarra's Cellar Doors

# Balnaves of Coonawarra

Established: 1990

#### Winery & Wine Room Address:

15517 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia 5263

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 4.30pm Weekends & Public Holidays 11.30am - 4.30pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 2946 Email: cellar@balnaves.com.au

#### www.balnaves.com.au

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BalnavesWine

Balnaves of Coonawarra

Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly

Dog friendly (outside)



The Balnaves family settled in the Penola/ Coonawarra area in 1855 and have been working in the wine industry since the 1970's. Their wines show the complex and individual expressions of their own Coonawarra property. The full range of award-winning wines are available to taste and include Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Merlot. The Blend. The Tally Reserve Cabernet, Shiraz, Chardonnay, Rosé & Sparkling Cabernet.

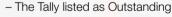
The Wine Room overlooks a tranquil pond full of native bird life, surrounded by vineyards and over 900 beautiful rose bushes.



The Wine Room has much to offer with its unique glass floor showcasing the famous Coonawarra Terra Rossa soil profile, along with decking overlooking the pond or amonast the gum trees and native garden. Enjoy a cheese box filled with selected cheeses and cured meats that can be enjoyed on the lawn, one of the decks or sitting amongst the roses.

#### **Highlights include:**

- James Halliday 5 star winery rating for 21 consecutive years
- 2018 ASVO Winemaker of the Year
- Langton's V 2010, VI 2014 & VII 2018







# Banks Thargo Wines

Established: 1990

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

207 Racecourse Rd, Penola, South Australia 5277

**Opening Hours:** By appointment

**Telephone:** Jon +61 408 828 124

Heather +61 408 828 312 Email: info@banksthargo.com.au

BanksThargoWines

Cellar door

Child friendly

Oog friendly

Banks Thargo Wines, located on the eastern side of Coonawarra, was established in 1990.

The vineyard, which surrounds the picturesque Penola Racecourse, has plantings of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Chardonnay.

One of the smallest wine producers in Coonawarra, Banks Thargo Wines is entirely family owned and currently run by Jon and Heather Kidman.

Banks Thargo's aim is to consistently produce quality wines with strong varietal flavours and intense colours.

They achieve this by keeping their cropping levels low by hand pruning and of course a little help with Coonawarra's cool climate and famous Terra Rossa soil.







### Bellivether Wines

Established: 2008

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

14183 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily 12pm - 4pm All other times by appointment

**Phone:** +61 447 334 545

Email: sales@bellwetherwines.com.au

www.bellwetherwines.com.au

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Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Accommodation available

Child friendly

2 Dog friendly

Vegan wines available

Bellwether is based in an 1868 shearing shed in Coonawarra. An eclectic and inspiring creative space where magic happens. A community winery of small scale ferments of exceptional fruit.

Sue Bell, the winemaker chooses growers and sites she thinks represent the best of what is happening in Australia. Taste through a selection of cutting edge Mediterranean varietals and contemporary versions of the classics in a cosy relaxed environment.

Book ahead and enjoy a platter made onsite by our produce using our extensive kitchen garden, book a picnic to enjoy in the garden or under the ancient gum trees, or take it with you as you enjoy tasting at other cellar doors.

Even better stay the night in our boutique campground, glamp in a Bell tent or bring your own camping gear, pre-order a camp oven roast and enjoy a Coonawarra red around the campfire, wake to birdsong and breathe in the fresh air with Brunch daily before you head home.

Check our website for music, art and food events.



BELLWETHER

### Bowen Estate

Established: 1972

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

15459 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 10am - 5pm Weekends 10am - 4pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 2229 Fax: +61 8 8737 2173

Email: bowen@bowenestate.com.au

www.bowenestate.com.au

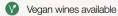


Cellar door



Child friendly









Owned and operated by the Bowen family, Bowen Estate lies towards the southern end of the famous Coonawarra strip.

Established in 1972 on prime terra rossa soil, all their vines are individually hand pruned ensuring maximum grape quality for their select range of fine wines.

The wines they produce consistently reflect the true characteristics of Coonawarra with each exhibiting strong varietal aromas, generous flavours and soft balanced tannins.

Bowen Estate's three wines. Chardonnav. Shiraz and Cabernet Sauvignon, all show the hallmarks of the winemaking and viticultural skills of Doug Bowen and his daughter Emma and have become 'classic coonawarra'™ benchmarks.

# BOWEN ESTATE classic coonawarra est. 1972.

### Brand & Sons Wines

Established: 2005

Wine Enquiries:

11 Mary Road, Coonawarra, South Australia

**Telephone:** +61 488 771 046 Email: contact@brandgroup.com.au

www.brandandsons.com.au

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No cellar door

Brand & Sons - A Legacy of Fine Wines

The true meaning of a legacy is a gift. A gift that is not bound to a single generation but is shaped by each who take up the responsibility as its custodian.

From pioneering bushman to an Australian winemaking dynasty the Brand family have distinguished themselves with their authenticity, ingenuity and determination.

These characteristics are the foundation of their legacy, with the sixth generation of the Brands in Australia, bringing forth their gift to share; Fine wines from the heart of Coonawarra.

A history of a family, told in their wines.

Brand & Sons' gift to be shared.







### Brand's Laira Coonawarra

Established: 1966

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

14860 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 4.30pm Weekends & Public Holidavs 11am - 4pm Closed: Good Friday & Christmas Day

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3260 Email: Blcellardoor@brandslaira.com www.brandslaira.com.au

♠ BrandsLaira



Cellar door, Platter / light lunches available



Child friendly



Vegan wines available

Walking trail



#### Unearth Coonawarra's Hidden Gem

Brand's Laira - rated a '5 star winery' by James Halliday, is an iconic winery, nestled in the heart of the famed "terra rossa" strip of the Coonawarra region in South Australia. Steeped in heritage with a wealth of old vine vineyards dating back to 1893, Brand's Laira offers a range of elegant yet richly flavoured premium wines from this distinct region.

Brand's Laira Coonawarra's winemaking philosophy is simple; they source the best possible fruit and use their unrivalled knowledge of the land and winemaking expertise to create world renowned wines in true Coonawarra style.

The full range of Brand's Laira wines are available for tasting at the Cellar Door; award winning Cabernet Sauvignon, Shiraz, Riesling, Fume Blanc, Chardonnay, Rose and a Bordeaux Blend.

Guests can pre-order a delicious Ploughman's platter for \$25pp, which includes a glass of wine. Platters can be enjoyed in Eric Brand's personal cellar, or on the beautiful lawns.

The team look forward to welcoming you and giving you a taste of the real Coonawarra

\* Free electric BBQ, petangue piste and sheltered seating.



# Bundalong Coonawarra

Fstablished: 1989

#### Vineyard Address:

Pahl Road, Coonawarra, South Australia

#### Wine Enquiries:

**Telephone:** +61 408 621 947

Email: contact@bundalongcoonawarra.com.au

www.bundalongcoonawarra.com.au



BundalongWines



Bundalong, in the famous Coonawarra wine growing region, is a vineyard owned by James Porter and his family.

The focus is on producing premium wines from top quality Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz fruit.

Whilst the land has been in the family for over 65 years, in 2020 we celebrated the vineyard's 30th birthday.

Our intimate and expanding knowledge of the vinevard enables us to manage the terra rossa soil and microclimate to carefully balance the canopy and crop.

We seek to get a layering of flavours which can be produced from our clay based soil.

Bundalong makes wine in the very best vintages using specially selected parcels of fruit from our single Coonawarra vineyard. 2008, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2019 and 2020 are the only commercial vintages made so far this century.

2017 is our current vintage on sale and has been awarded Gold in James Halliday's Australian Cabernet Challenge.



### BUNDALONG COONAWARRA

# DiGiorgio Family Wines

Established: 1998

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

14918 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

#### Opening Hours:

Daily 10am - 5pm including most Public Holidays

Telephone: +61 8 8736 3222 Fax: +61 8 8736 3233 Email: dfw@digiorgio.com.au www.digiorgio.com.au

DiGiorgioFamilyWines



Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly

Oog friendly

Walking trail



The second oldest winery in the heart of Coonawarra, previously known as Rouge Homme, became home to DiGiorgio Family Wines in March 2002. The centrally located winery has provided the family with both modern and traditional technology which allows them to produce wine of outstanding character.

Traditional Coonawarra varietals from the famed Terra Rossa soils are crafted alongside alternative varietals sourced from other Limestone Coast regions where their winemakers believe the terroir is best suited. Original home block wines from the Lucindale Range are also crafted on site.

When visiting the Cellar Door you will have the opportunity to sample sparkling, white, a rosé, red and dessert wines from their extensive portfolio, along with regional produce. You can also take in the newly developed landscaped garden and lawn area while enjoying a customised "Pick your own Produce Platter" with a glass of wine.

The kids can amuse themselves with activities from the toy box, totem tennis, bocce, a scavenger hunt or even do a "Kids Tasting" before enjoying their very own "Snack Pack".

See for yourself the famous Terra Rossa soil in their soil pit, marvel at the gnarly 100 year old vines, walk among their cork tree "forest" and learn how wine corks are made. Also on offer are bespoke, bookable experiences, including food and wine matching, private tours and tastings and pasta making master classes. Visit their website for more details.





# Highbank Vineyards

Established: 1986

#### Wine Enquiries:

Alexander Road, Coonawarra, South Australia

Telephone: +61 427 653 311
Email: dennis@terrarossa.wine
www.highbank.wine

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highbankwines

No cellar door



The name 'Highbank' comes from the famous strip of red earth – the high bank of terra rossa soil with Highbank located at its heart. Highbank Vineyards have now followed sustainable and organic grape growing principles for more than 35 years.

#### Robert Parker Jr Wine Advocate USA / Bourdeaux

"Australia's version of a top notch Pauillac" "the Leoville Las Cases of Australia"

#### Neal Martin eParker.com Australia / Bourdeaux

"Highbank is Coonawarra's Artisan"

#### Rob Geddes Master of Wine China

"A generous and rich wine with a fine tannin finish"

#### Ned Goodwin Master of Wine Japan

"Highbank is the STAR of Coonawarra"

#### Andrew Caillard Master of Wine Australia

"My Find of the Year"

#### Max Allen Australian Financial Review

"these are some of the best Coonawarra wines – and some of the best Australian cabernets – you can find"

#### Joe Czerwinski Wine Advocate Australia / Burgundy

"Medium to full-bodied, with a fine grained, elegant texture and a long finish"

#### James Halliday Wine Guide 2020, 2021 & 2022

"HIGHBANK (5 STAR winery) 95 pts"



### Hollick Estates

Established: 1983

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

11 Racecourse Road, Penola, South Australia

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm

Saturday & Sunday 11am - 5pm Public Holidays: 11am - 4pm Closed: Good Friday & Christmas Day

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 2318 Fax: +61 8 8737 2952 Email: admin@hollick.com www.hollick.com

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Cellar door, In-house restaurant

Coffee

Accommodation available

Child friendly

One friendly

EV Charge Station

Hollick Estates is a boutique winery renowned for their high-quality wines from both Coonawarra and nearby Wrattonbully, as well as an award-winning restaurant.

As an innovator of the region, Hollick Estates has experimented with a number of varietals and styles that 'push the boundaries' of winemaking, producing classic Coonawarra wines such as Cabernet Sauvignon, Shiraz, Merlot and Chardonnay, along with more exotic styles such as Tempranillo, Sangiovese and Barbera.



Driven by quality and a hands-on approach, all Hollick Estates wines are crafted from premium estate-grown fruit, and reflect the unique characteristics of their three core vinevards.

Nestled in the picturesque Coonawarra, Hollick Estates has perfectly integrated historic charm into their modern Cellar Door and restaurant complex, making it a 'must see' for visitors to the region.

The Hollick Estates Cellar Door is open 7 days a week. Winery tours can be organised in advance and bus tours can be accommodated by prior arrangement. Please phone 08 8737 2318 to make a booking.



### Jack Estate

Established: 2011

#### Winery Address:

15025 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

#### **Opening Hours:**

By appointment & during regional events

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3130 Fax: +61 8 8736 3163 Email: info@iackestate.com www.jackestate.com

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O Dog friendly

Jack Estate is situated in the heart of the famed Coonawarra terra rossa strip, where it is one of the region's promising new wineries

Although the winery site, originally part of John Riddoch's Penola Fruit Growing Colony, is steeped in history, the team at Jack Estate are passionate about bringing consumers a more modern expression of Coonawarra terroir.

They choose only the highest quality fruit and utilise new technologies coupled seamlessly with traditional techniques to create award winning wines.

Jack Estate premium wines exude origin. class, and confidence; and are for wine lovers to enjoy long into the future.







### Katnook Estate

Fstablished: 1979

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

15310 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

#### **Opening Hours:**

Monday - Friday 10am - 5pm, Weekends 12pm - 5pm and Monday Public Holidays 10am - 5pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 0300 Fax: +61 8 8737 0330

Email: cellardoor@katnookestate.com.au

www.katnookestate.com.au

Katnook

KatnookWine



Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Coffee

Child friendly

Wheelchair accessible

Rich in history and tradition, Katnook Estate boasts 198 hectares of vineyards lying in the heart of Coonawarra's prime terra rossa soil. Katnook's award winning wines include the iconic Katnook Limited Release Odvssev Cabernet Sauvignon and Prodigy Shiraz, the flagship Katnook Estate range and contemporary Katnook Founder's Block label.

A visit to Katnook Estate will give you more than a tasting through delicious wines it's also a journey through a century of winemaking history. Katnook is the oldest existing winery in the region and John Riddoch's beautiful historic buildings have



been restored and converted into their Cellar Door. Visit and enjoy a free personalised tasting of Katnook's award winning wines and sample a delicious selection of cheese and local produce.

Adjacent to the Cellar Door is a 'terra rossa pit', where you can see Coonawarra's famous soil profile and learn why it is so important to wine flavour. You are welcome to bring your own picnic and enjoy in their dedicated outdoor area overlooking the vines, or in winter, relax in their comfortable lounge area and enjoy a glass of wine in front of the open fire. Self-serve tea and coffee is available and there is a children's corner with a toy box and books for younger visitors. Wheel Chair accessible.



### Koonara Wines

Established: 1992

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

44 Church Street, Penola, South Australia

Opening Hours: Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm Sunday 10am - 4pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 3222 Email: wine@koonara.com www.koonara.com

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Koonara

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Cellar door

Vegan wines available

For over 115 years the Reschke family have been living on their property named 'Koonara' in the heart of Coonawarra, Today Nicole and Dru Reschke live there with their two daughters Lucy and Alice.

Koonara are eco-obsessed. Their vineyards are certified to Australian organic standards, and no herbicides or pesticides have been used for over 10 years.

Koonara's wines have below organic levels of sulphur, are vegan friendly, most have no residual sugar, and all of their reds are aged in 100% fine-grain French Oak barrels.

They were awarded a "Five Star Winery" rating in the James Halliday 2019 Wine Companion, and were reviewed as "one of the best wineries in Coonawarra... a real highlight and a must to check out" from the West Australian.

Drop into their cellar door on the main street of Penola for a diverse range of home and giftware; with organic teas, olive oils as well as all their wines available for tasting.





## Ladbroke Grove Wines

Established: 1982

Wine Enquiries:

14487 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

**Telephone:** +61 417 855 495, +61 401 054 225

**Email:** admin@ladbrokegrove.com.au iohn@ladbrokegrove.com.au

www.ladbrokegrove.com.au

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Vegan wines available

No cellar door



Ladbroke Grove is a boutique winery which, since its establishment in 1982, has been creating premium wines of an exceptional standard.

The unique soil and climatic conditions of Coonawarra, innovative vineyard management techniques, and a state of the art Winery (built in 2010) has resulted in the production of a range of wines of uncompromising quality.

Ladbroke Grove has enjoyed success with their wines, both domestically and internationally, and numerous awards and multiple trophies are a testament to this.





# Leconfield Coonawarra

Established: 1974

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

15454 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily - 11am - 4pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 2326

Email: coonawarra@leconfieldwines.com

www.leconfieldwines.com.au

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Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly

Oog friendly

Vegan wines available

Wheelchair accessible

Sydney Hamilton (1898-1987) was a noted Australian oenologist, with a winemaking career spanning nearly 60 years.

In 1974, at 76 years of age, he selected a fine piece of 'Terra Rossa' country at Coonawarra to fulfil a life's ambition, to grow and produce a classic Australian Cabernet Sauvignon.

He named the estate Leconfield, after his English ancestor, Lord Leconfield, and set about establishing a remarkable reputation for Leconfield Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon. In 1981 Sydney retired, and his nephew Dr Richard Hamilton purchased the company, retaining this gem of the Australian Wine Industry in family hands.

The 43.7 hectare vineyard produces fruit with distinctive regional character.

Winemakers Paul Gordon and Greg Foster are injecting passion and inspiration into the Leconfield range of wines, producing outstanding Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Blends, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot, Shiraz, Riesling, Chardonnay, Rosé, Sparkling Shiraz, Sparkling Rosé and Sparkling Chardonnay Pinot Noir.





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### Lindeman's Coonawarra

Established: 1965

#### Vineyard Address:

Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

#### Wine Enquiries and General Email: lindemans@lindemans.com

www.lindemans.com

♠ Lindeman'sWines

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No cellar door



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Lindeman's has a long history in the Coonawarra, through buying wines from the region for blending in the 1950s, then formally arriving in Coonawarra with the purchase of the Rouge Homme winery and its vinevards in 1965.

Since then, Lindeman's has expanded its vineyard holdings on Terra Rossa soil in central Coonawarra to include the vineyards of St George, Limestone Ridge and Nursery.

From these vineyards they produce their highly regarded Coonawarra benchmark wines: St George Cabernet Sauvignon, Limestone Ridge Vineyard Shiraz Cabernet and Pyrus Cabernet blend.

Through powerful restraint, each wine shows a distinctive sense of place.



# Majella Coonawarra

Established: 1991

Winery & Cellar Door Address: V&A Lane, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily 10am - 4pm Closed: Good Friday & Christmas Day

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3055 Email: admin@maiellawines.com.au www.majellawines.com.au

MajellaWines

MajellaWines

Cellar door

Child friendly

2 Dog friendly

Vegan wines available

Wheelchair accessible



Maiella Wines, located in the centre of the famous Coonawarra red strip is one of Australia's most awarded small wineries, boasting a 5 star rating with James Halliday - Australian Wine Companion

Majella is owned and operated by the Lynn family who have been residents of the Penola -Coonawarra district for five generations, starting off as blacksmiths, wheelwrights, storekeepers and finally, graziers.

In 1968 Brian (Prof) and Anthony Lynn started planting a vineyard on the Coonawarra property that their parents had purchased back in 1960. At that stage the property was used for prime lamb production, but a decision was made to convert a lovely "terra rossa" bank on the front of the farm into vineyards. Eventually the size of the vineyards grew to 60 hectares consisting of the Shiraz planted in 1968, the famous Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon planted in 1970, followed by Merlot and Riesling.

The remainder of the land is still used for sheep grazing, mostly for prime lamb production with the rest purely for wool, you'll spot the sheep grazing amongst their vineyards in the off season.

Over the past years Majella has made every effort to become somewhat ecofriendly, with a large solar power expansion and collection of rain water to limit aguifer water usage. All our current release wines are vegan friendly too.

The wine making team at Majella consists of Bruce Gregory, who has been our winemaker since 1991, the year of our first official release. Michael Marcus joined the team in 2008 and with him a new wealth of experience to make one of the best winemaking teams around. Our cellar door sales is open daily, you'll find on tasting our full range of Majella wines including our very popular sparkling Shiraz and our flagship wine, The Malleea.



### Ottelia

Established: 1993

Cellar Door Address:

Memorial Drive Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: 10am - 4pm **Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3170 Email: tasting@ottelia.com.au www.ottelia.com.au

Otteliawine

ottelia wine

Cellar door, In-house restaurant

Coffee

Child friendly

Vegan wines available

Walking trail

Wheelchair accessible



It was only ever supposed to be temporary. John and Melissa moved to the iconic Coonawarra region thirty years ago intending to, in John's words, "stay a little while".

They bought a parcel of land ringed by tall Red Gum Eucalypts, and with natural wetlands dotted with Ottelia Ovalifolia, a native water lily. In 1993 they planted 2 Ha of Cabernet Sauvignon and over the next 3 years expanded the vineyard to 9 Ha. All these years later John and Melissa are still there.

John spent more than twenty years working within the Coonawarra region as a winemaker. He and Melissa then turned their energy towards their own projects; the restaurant Fodder and wine label Ottelia. Now they're joined by the second generation, their eldest daughter Matilda and her partner Paul.

After studying design and fine arts, Matilda worked full time in Melbourne restaurants. inevitably, the constant 'distraction' of food and wine has led her back to Coonawarra.

Paul's experiences working as a chef with Nick Holloway in Palm Cove and the Trader House Group in Melbourne has instilled a passion for working with local produce, an ideal complement to the Ottelia ethos.

Together they're embarking on another chapter for Ottelia, with the reopening of their freshly renovated restaurant and brand-new Tasting Room, they're excited to share their passion for the food and wine of the Limestone Coast.

Awarded the Gourmet Traveller Wine 'Cellar Door with Best Food' in Coonawarra for 2020. 2021 and 2022.

Listed in the Gourmet Traveller 2023 Restaurant Guide, rated in the Top 10 South Australian restaurants and Top 82 nationally.

### Parker Estate

Fstablished: 1985

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

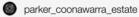
Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily 10am - 4pm Closed: Good Friday & Christmas Day

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 3525

Email: cellardoor@parkercoonawarraestate.com.au www.parkercoonawarraestate.com.au

parkercoonawarraestate



Cellar door

Child friendly

**Dog friendly** 

Vegan wines available

Wheelchair accessible

Parker Estate was established in 1985 by John and Faye Parker after a career long interest in the region. Their vision was to create the most faithful expression of Cabernet Sauvignon from the celebrated terra rossa over limestone soils of Coonawarra.

Parker Estate remains committed to building on this original ethos, to combine the best vines, with the best soil, from the best growing region, without compromise.

Our 20ha estate 'Abbev' vinevard is located upon the famed 'cigar strip' of terra rossa soil in southern Coonawarra where Cabernet Sauvignon is predominant.

There are also small pockets of Merlot and Petit Verdot which are often included in the final blend of our premium First Growth.

The Cabernet Sauvignon is planted to Reynella vine selection; original cuttings from Bordeaux, sourced before Phylloxera decimated the vineyards throughout France in the late 1800's.

Parker Estate maintains a five star Halliday rating, whilst also receiving Langton's Classification V for Excellence.



PARKER ESTATE

### coonawarra.org

# Patrick of Coonawarra

Established: 2004

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

15598 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily 10am - 5pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 3687

Email: cellardoor@patrickofcoonawarra.com

www.patrickofcoonawarra.com

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Child friendly

Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

One friendly

Vegan wines available

A premium family-owned estate in the heart of Coonawarra.

A second generation small business crafting remarkable wines with innovation, humility, inclusivity and curiosity. We have a deep love for heritage styles, paired with an excitement for the new. This duality is who we are.

During a decorated career spanning more than three decades. Patrick celebrated international accolades while working as chief winemaker for several major labels.

His focus switched in 1998, to fulfilling a more personal goal, in the establishment of the family owned and operated Patrick of Coonawarra.

Patrick's eldest son, Luke, has now taken over the family business and continues to produce highly regarded wines from the famed Terra Rossa soils of Coonawarra.

"It's always a winemaker's dream to complete the story... To grow, make and sell our own produce gives us an enormous sense of accomplishment." - Luke

Dog friendly, check with cellar door staff.

**PATRICK** OF COONAWARRA

# Penley Estate

Established: 1988

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

McLeans Road, Coonawarra, South Australia

**Opening Hours:** By appointment

**Telephone:** +61 8 7078 1853 Email: marketing@penley.com.au

www.penlev.com.au

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Cellar door

Child friendly

Dog friendly

Vegan wines available

They've taken the old Roller and painted it red. To make it go faster, to be fun and breezy. So that everyone can enjoy the ride. And appreciate the timelessness of a new beainnina.

They are the pedigree that's been let off the leash. To run, discover and play. To be brought to life.

They are the wines with carefree souls; the wines for now and the wines for later. They are the vibrancy of the terra rossa, celebrating the fruit and honouring the vine. Their wine maker Kate Goodman is regarded as one of Australia's best contemporary winemakers. Kate is creating wines with freshness and vibrancy – seeking structure and expression of fruit - while still retaining varietal integrity.

All of their wines are truly estate grown and their vineyards are the pride of everything they do. They seek balance and take a very holistic approach to their viticultural practices. Seeking to create a balance between the soil and the vine.

They are contemporary Coonawarra.







### Raidis Estate

Established: 2006

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

Riddoch Highway, Penola/Coonawarra, South Australia

#### Opening Hours:

Weekdays 11am - 5.00pm Saturday 12pm - 5.30pm Sunday & Public Holidays 12pm - 4pm January Open every day 12pm - 6pm All other times, tasting by appointment

Telephone: +61 488 165 170 Email: sales@raidis.com.au www.raidis.com.au

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Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly

Oog friendly

Vegan wines available

EV Charge Station

Raidis Estate believe everything in life is better when shared, so tastings at their place are seated around large tables where friends can enjoy wine together.

The cellar door is family friendly with plenty of games and safe space to run around for the kids, so the adults can relax! If you are travelling with your fur baby, they are dog friendly.

A range of experiences from back vintage vertical tastings to bespoke winemaker dinners are available and can be viewed on their website.

A small trip of goats maintains the vineyard in non-growing season, helping with sustainability!



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If you visit in winter, you may even get to meet them.

Raidis Estate was the first winery in Australia to offer Tesla charging and is 100% solar powered. The cellar door has amazing space for artists to display their work, so there is always something new to look at.

Raidis Estate host many events with a focus on food and live music. Their function space can seat up to 250 inside with a further 300-person space outside.

This winery has something for everyone, a large variety of wines, food platters, outdoor area and free tea and coffee facilities for the non-drinkers.



### Redman Wines

Established: 1966

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

14830 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

**Opening Hours:** Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm Weekends & Public Holidays 11am - 4pm

Telephone: +61 8 8736 3331 Fax: +61 8 8736 3013 Email: wines@redman.com.au www.redman.com.au

RedmanWines

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Cellar door

Walking trail

Coonawarra's oldest winemaking family have now been producing premium red wines for over 110 years.

Bill Redman arrived in 1901 to learn the art and skill of making red wines. 1908 saw him purchase 40 acres of vineyard and make his first wines.

This property became the basis of the Redman family holdings for the next 58 years. In 1937 Owen Redman joined his father, and through many trials and tribulations, they established Coonawarra as the leading red wine producing area of Australia.

In 1965, the original family holdings were sold.

Owen Redman immediately bought a small vineyard and the first wines under his new 'REDMAN' label were made in 1966, with the current winery being built for the 1969

vintage.

Many changes have occurred in the vineyards and winery, but the Redman winemaking traditions can still be traced back to lessons learnt by Bill Redman.

Following in this family tradition, third and fourth generation winemakers, Bruce, Malcolm, Daniel and Michael continue to make the elegant high quality red wines for which the Redman name has become renowned.





### Reschke Coonawarra

Fstablished: 1998

Vineyard Address:

63 Magarey Lane, Glenroy, South Australia

**Telephone:** +61 8 8362 6135

www.cwwines.com/pages/reschke-coonawarra

ReschkeWines

reschke wines

No cellar door

Vegan wines available

The Reschke history and its close relationship with Coonawarra began in 1906 with the establishment of a prime Hereford stud in the heart of the region.

It is this cattle grazing heritage that is reflected in the Reschke bull logo, and the names of the premium Reschke wines: Bos (Bull, Latin), Vitulus (Calf, Latin), Bull Trader.

Burke Reschke, the fourth generation in the family to work the land in Coonawarra, started to plant vineyards and grow grapes for other wineries on the Reschke Estate in 1989.

It was not until 1998 that the first Reschke wine was born, being the inaugural vintage of Empyrean Cabernet.

The Reschke House style is classic Coonawarra, producing medium to full bodied wines from the estate vineyard with fine acid and tannin structure.

Fach wine delivers an authentic representation of the Reschke label, and a continuation of exceptional standards.





RESCHKE



### Riddoch Coonawarra

**Telephone:** 1300 721 920

www.riddochcoonawarra.com.au

No cellar door

Available at: Dan Murphy's



of Australian wine, the pioneering John Riddoch was perhaps the first to realise the rich potential of the Coonawarra region. It was more than 130 years ago that John Riddoch planted the region's first vines and, in doing so, positioned himself firmly in Australian winemaking history. The awardwinning collection that Riddoch Coonawarra Wines produce today, in his name, hail from

Regarded as one of the founding fathers

Today, Riddoch Coonawarra continues to take advantage of the ideal conditions provided by the unique bed of gravelly, freedraining limestone found in the region. From

With the legacy now carried by the winemaking team of Tim Heath and Matthew Reimann, it is with pride in all that they make, that they present the award winning wines of Riddoch Coonawarra, from everyday wines through to premium red wines, suitable for gifting and cellaring for prosperity.

#### **Did You Know**

The 1986 vintage Riddoch Coonawarra Cabernet Shiraz was awarded the Jimmy Watson trophy in 1987. This is arguably Australia's most coveted wine trophy.



the very same region.



### coonawarra.org

# Rymill Coonawarra

Established: 1974

Winery & Cellar Door Address: 110 Clayfield Road, Glenroy, SA, 5277

Opening Hours: 7 days Spring/Summer/Autumn 10am - 5pm Winter 10am - 4.30pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 5001

Email: cellar.door@rvmill.com.au www.rymill.com.au

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rymillwinery

Cellar door, Platters available

Coffee

Child friendly

Dog friendly (outside)

Wheelchair accessible

Rymill Coonawarra was established in 1974 by Peter Rymill - great-grandson of John Riddoch, the founder of Coonawarra. Since then, Rymill Coonawarra has built on this legacy and evolved into a destination described as a 'must visit' by regarded wine critic James Hallidav.

The Rymill vineyards produce a diverse range, sustainably grown from fertile terra rossa soil and crafted inside the stunning winery on site. The multi-story winery offers visitors spectacular views of the vineyard and winery, with a self-guided tour across the viewing platforms.

The cellar door experience is complete with barista coffee available, along with a range of platters showcasing South Australian produce, available to graze while enjoying the surrounds of the picturesque Rymill Estate.





# St Hugo Wines

Established: 1847

Wine Enquiries:

2141 Barossa Valley Way, Rowland Flat, SA 5352

**Telephone:** 1300 162 992 Email: enquiries@sthugo.com

www.sthugo.com

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No cellar door



St Hugo wines were created to honour the legacy of Hugo Gramp, who became Managing Director of G. Gramp and Sons winery in 1920 when he was just 25 years of age.

The home of St Hugo is located in the Barossa Valley where he lived and worked his entire life. Although St Hugo does not have a cellar door in Coonawarra, visitors can see two of the St Hugo vineyards along Riddoch Highway.

In 1980, the first vintage of St Hugo was harvested - a Cabernet Sauvignon of exceptional quality from the Coonawarra region, to be later released in 1983.

In the 30 + years since, St Hugo has established a reputation for excellence. The wines have earned over 1.671 awards at wine shows, including 38 trophies and 273 gold medals, which are testament to our outstanding quality and impeccable style.

St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon is a leading premium Cabernet Sauvignon in Australia. It has been listed on Langton's Classification of Australian wines since 2005, proving it to be one of Australia's most sought after wine labels by wine collectors.



### Whistle Post Estate

Fstablished: 2012

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

15712 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Friday - Sunday 11am - 6pm Open for special events and holiday periods.

All other times by appointment

Mobile: +61 408 708 093 Mobile: +61 404 191 919 Email: info@whistlepost.com.au www.whistlepost.com.au

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Cellar door

Child friendly

Oog friendly

Coffee

Wheelchair accessible

Vegan wines available

From the original home vineyard plantings in 1987 to the purchase and renovation of the cellar door in 2016 and the building of the new winery in 2020. Brian and Jennifer, son Angus and wife Heather along with the now third generation George, the Smibert Family has set the foundation of a great Family tradition.

In 2010 the label, "Whistle Post" evolved from two decades of growing and harvesting premium fruit from selected sections of the vineyards. The family are proud of their wines which consistently display the unique characteristics for which Coonawarra is famous.

Along the border of the two vineyards runs the old Coonawarra-Adelaide railway track.

The "Whistle Post" beside the tracks prompted the passing Trains to sound their warning whistle as they approached the nearby V& A Lane crossing.

Whistle Post Wines are made using only Estate fruit grown from two vineyards in central and southern Coonawarra. Plantings across the vineyards include Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Shiraz, Cabernet Franc, Pinot noir and Chardonnay. Our wines include all of the above varieties plus a Traditional Method Vintage sparkling Pinot/Chardonnay.

Enjoy a tasting at the stunning cellar door, hosted by a member of the Smibert Family. Settle in by the wood fire, stretch out on the deck or on the lawns with vista vineyard views to be enjoyed. Wine by the glass available. Lawn games available.

Whistle Post "from Grower to Glass"



## Wynns Coonawarra Estate

Fstablished: 1897

#### Winery & Cellar Door Address:

77 Memorial Drive, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Daily 10am - 5pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 2225 Fax: +61 8 8736 2228

Email: info@wynnscellardoor.com.au

#### www.wynns.com.au

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@wynnscoonawarraaustralia

Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly, kids table Dog friendly (outside)

Wheelchair accessible

Walking trail

Wynns Coonawarra Estate was founded by Scottish pioneer John Riddoch, who planted vineyards in 1891 recognising the potential of the rich, red Terra Rossa top soil and the long ripening season of Coonawarra's cool southerly climate. He completed the Estate's three-gabled winery in 1896.

Coonawarra's revival began in 1951 when Melbourne wine merchants Samuel and David Wynn purchased Riddoch's original vineyards and winery. The Wynns recognised the intrinsic qualities of Coonawarra wines their richness and intensity of fruit character - and set out to build an independent identity for the region. They created the famous label that has made John Riddoch's winery one of Australia's best known buildings.

Today, Wynns Coonawarra Estate is the region's largest single vineyard holder on Terra Rossa soil and Coonawarra's pre-eminent wine maker.

With the most premium and longest established vineyards in Coonawarra, Wynns Coonawarra Estate wines are regarded as benchmarks for the district, lauded for their sheer depth and concentration of flavour.

Now in the Gables building, Wynns offers a dedicated conference room for hire with state of the art technology and facilities.

Visitors can also participate in a unique Make Your Own Blend (MYOB) experience, the first of its kind in Coonawarra. Guests can try their hand at making their own wine from Cabernet. Shiraz and Merlot varieties. Sessions are held daily in the MYOB laboratory and bookings are essential. Call or email cellar door to book.

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# Yalumba Menzies Estate Vineyard

Fstablished: 1849

Vineyard Address:

15542 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

**Opening Hours:** By appointment only

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 3603 Email: menzies@yalumba.com

www.yalumba.com

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Cellar door

Accommodation available

Vegan wines available



Established in 1849. Yalumba is Australia's most historic family owned wine company. It remains fiercely independent and extremely progressive through the generational ownership by the Hill-Smith family.

Yalumba's longevity and success is a result of patience, collaboration and progressive thinking. There is foresight to embrace the natural terroir to craft wines with individual character and a sense of purpose, a spirit to reinvest in the land upon which it operates and knowledge to behave as a leader in the industry. It is committed to sharing stories of provenance gathered over more than 168 years of history of family winemaking.

To own a vineyard upon the famous 'terra rossa' soil over limestone is the holy grail of all Cabernet Sauvignon purists. Since 1987, the Hill-Smith family has counted themselves among those fortunate enough to make an estate grown Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon.

It was named after red wine enthusiast and former Prime Minister Sir Robert Menzies. who so generously praised Yalumba's Special Vintage Galway Claret 1961 at an influential gathering in Adelaide in 1966.

The Menzies Estate Vineyard is Yalumba's distinguished Cabernet Sauvignon estate, crafting three exceptional single-site Cabernet Sauvignons in 'The Menzies', 'The Cigar' and 'Sanctum', with the Cabernet component of Yalumba's flagship blend 'The Caley' Cabernet and Shiraz coming from the Menzies Estate Vineyard.

\* Accommodation available at Yalumba Menzies Vineyard Retreat.



### Zema Estate

Established: 1982

Winery & Cellar Door Address:

14944 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm Weekends & Public Holidavs 10am - 4pm

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3219 Email: zemaestate@zema.com.au

www.zema.com.au

@zemaestate

@zemaestate

@zemaestate

Cellar door, Platter/Picnic style foods

Child friendly

Walking trail

Dog friendly grounds, not allowed in cellar door

Zema Estate is a true Coonawarra family winery, forged in Australia but based on the undeniable passions and traditions of its Italian heritage.

Over four decades it has developed a reputation for producing premium quality Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz, with a consistency that defies vintage and seasonal fluctuations.

It has achieved this through attention to detail - hand pruning, careful fruit selection. meticulous viticulture, passionate winemaking, diligent bottle ageing and a deep respect for the place and provenance of Coonawarra.

Zema is proudly independent, deriving its meaning and inspiration from the sense of trust, security and dependability that comes from family and the feeling that everything it does has been influenced by a rich legacy of stories and culture.





# COONAWARRA | Explore - Dine - Stay



### Coonawarra Rail Trail

#### Walk, ride or hit your stride along Coonawarra's newest Tourism Trail!

The Coonawarra Rail Trail, opened in November 2022, stretches 19km from the Penola township through the Coonawarra wine region.

The sealed trail commences in the southwest district of Penola and follows the unused Mount Gambier to Wolseley rail corridor, passing through the vineyards of Coonawarra and patches of fertile farmland to end near Father Woods Park — home to seven sculptures depicting the lives of Father Julian Tenison Woods and Saint Mary of the Cross Mackillop.

Journey along the trail to enjoy picturesque scenery and explore the wineries of Coonawarra by foot, bike, scooter or wheelchair. Stop at the iconic Coonawarra Siding - the original railway platform - built by John Riddoch in 1898, allowing Coonawarra's premium fruits and wines to be transported around the nation and across the seas to Europe and beyond.

#### Suitable for:





Walking

Wheelchairs









Visitor Information Centre

Penola Coonawarra

# Penola Golf Club

The picturesque 18-hole Penola Golf Course is located a short drive from the Penola, just 10km south of the township, off the Riddoch Highway.

Set within natural bushland, the flat lying course is well wooded and features light bunkered grass greens and tight, undulating fairways. The beautifully maintained fairways and well-watered greens make it a delight to play on all year round.

The Penola Golf Club welcomes visitors for social and casual golfing. All golf enthusiasts are invited to participate in competitions or social golfing competitions, held at the club.

Each Saturday, the club hosts several golfing competitions for both men and women players. The club also hosts an exclusive competition for women, held on Wednesdays and competition for men on Thursdays. Players can check out the club's event calendar in order to find details about the golf club's competitions.

The course's clubhouse is a welcoming venue, offering a range of luxurious amenities for all guests. Pop in for a social drink after enjoying a game. Those looking for a special venue for a function or birthday party can check out the catering facilities and the clubhouse hire options.

Penola Golf Club is a par 72 course, therefore players of all skill levels will find this course challenging. Make a day of it, and come along to play on one of South Australia's best country courses!



The Coonawarra Vignerons hosts an all inclusive Golf and Wine Ambrose event each Spring at the Penola Golf Course, coinciding with the annual Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Festival, Teams of 4 are invited to register to enjoy a fully catered day out and to play along side some of Coonawarra's wine industry folk!



Register your team for Friday 29th September, 2023 at coonawarra. org/event/2023-cccgolf-day/



St Mary's Distillery and Garden

#### The Spirits of Penola



#### St Mary's Distillery and Garden

Opening hours: 7 days, 10am to 4pm Address: 563 V&A Lane, Penola

South Australia 5277

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 6070 Email: admin@stmaryswines.com

www.stmarvswines.com





information, souvenirs, local produce, and Address: 27 Arthur Street. Penola, South Australia 5277

Telephone:

+61 8 8737 2855 or 1300 045 373

https://www.wattlerange.sa.gov.au/ tourism/tourism/Towns/penola

Email: penola@wattlerange.sa.gov.au

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The Centre also provides Council related services and information for the

Visitors can immerse in the extensive

events, and attractions.





A family owned and operated boutique distillery based in the Penola area. The home of the award winning St Mary's 'London Dry' Gin and Mulligan's Spiced Rum. Drop in for a tasting, cocktail or a G n T while relaxing in the ever impressive show garden that surrounds the cellar door.



Address: Krongart Road, Penola, South Australia 5277 | Telephone: 08 8737 2484 | 0418 844 936 | Email: penolagolfclub@gmail.com | www.penolagolfclub.com.au

# . Coonawarra Community Club

In the heart of the Coonawarra township stands the 102 year old Coonawarra Soldiers Memorial Hall, which houses "the Club", a meeting place for the everyday. grassroots people of the Coonawarra Wine Region.

Enjoy a beverage as you mix and mingle with the grape growers, the winemakers, the cellar door staff, the viticulturists, the farmers, the store owners, the teachers and their families, and so many more.

As authentic as it gets!

Once a month, we offer Pub-style meals available to order cooked up by Coonawarra Community Club members.

Great steaks, schnitzel and fish and always fabulous desserts.

Bring the family and please bring a salad to share.

#### Coonawarra Community Club

Friday evening drinks: Bar Opens 5.30pm "Tea Night" meals: Last Friday of each Month Bar open at 5.30pm. Meals from 6.30pm.

#### Address:

Corner of Memorial Drive and Helen Street, Coonawarra Hall for Hire: Good size venue with well equipped kitchen

Weddings, birthdays, meetings

Booking Enquiries: +61 438 363 307

or via our Facebook page

The Coonawarra community spirit is as big as its reds See you there! Visitors welcome.









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# Ottelia Restaurant Pipers of Penola

Ottelia, Tasting Room + Restaurant is a celebration of the food and wine of the Limestone Coast. Explore the daily menu showcasing produce from the kitchen garden and wood fired pizzas, all complemented by the Ottelia wine range. Australian Gourmet Traveller top 10 restaurant in South Australia. Awarded the Gourmet Traveller Wine 'Cellar Door with Best Food' in Coonawarra for 2020 and 2021. Book ahead to avoid disappointment.

Opening Hours: The kitchen is open Thursday - Monday 10am to 4pm.

#### **Tasting Room Opening Hours:** Thursday - Tuesday 10am - 4pm. Closed Wednesday.

**Telephone:** +61 8 8736 3170 www.ottelia.com.au







Centrally located in the historic township of Penola, Pipers a la carte restaurant showcases the best of the region's produce to compliment their extensive wine list, which offers great local Coonawarra wines and a fine selection of interstate and international bottles.

So whether you are unwinding after a busy day, closing a business deal, looking to indulge or have cause to celebrate, visit Pipers of Penola.

#### Opening hours:

Dinner: Wednesday - Saturday from 6pm Breakfast Sunday 8.30 - 11.30am Closed: Monday and Tuesday

#### Pipers of Penola

Address: 58 Riddoch Street, Penola SA **Telephone:** +61 8 8737 3999 Email: pipers@pipersofpenola.com.au

www.pipersofpenola.com.au

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### Must @ Coonawarra

# MUST @ Coonawarra

#### Indulge. Relax. Enjoy.

Award Winning Ecofriendly Boutique Motel.

Luxury Spa Apartments, Luxury Studio Apartments, Luxury Spa Suite.

9 Self-contained apartments accommodating 1 - 26 guests in luxurious comfort, set in Australian native gardens.

On the doorstep of Coonawarra's vineyard strip and close to all Penola and Coonawarra dining experiences.

- Your home away from home
- Sustainability initiatives and allergen-free
- Ideal for groups with our outdoor BBQ area

#### Must @ Coonawarra

Address: 126 Church Street, Penola Telephone: +61 8 8737 3444 Email: info@mustatcoonawarra.com.au www.mustatcoonawarra.com.au

Preview your apartment via a Virtual Tour on our website.









### Coonawarra Place

#### The place to stay and taste.

- 38 spacious, high ceiling and comfortable units in a central location.
- Different room types suitable to all sorts of travellers
- Self-served hot breakfast
- En route Coonawarra Walking Trail to visit 7 wonderful wineries without driving
- 1 minute drive to Coonawarra and 6 minutes' drive to Penola township
- Free BBQ and bonfire pit to enjoy your night
- Great for holiday makers or business travellers
- Under new management with more to offer (opening a dedicated Coonawarra cellar door)

#### Coonawarra Place

Address: 15014 Riddoch Hwy, Coonawarra South Australia Telephone: +61 476 646 406

Email: booking@coonawarraplace.com.au www.coonawarraplace.com.au



# Coonawarra Place The Place To Stay and Taste

15014 Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra, South Australia

### Hollick House

Hollick House is in the heart of Coonawarra's renowned wine region, providing a modern and comfortable getaway from which to explore the region. Hollick House is located at Hollick Estates' winery, amongst the vineyards so, depending on the time of year, guests will be able to enjoy and observe the activities of the winery, including grape harvest and pruning, giving guests a real sense of being part of the wine making process. Accommodates up to 8 people. Please note: Not suitable for children under 15 years of age.

Their in-house restaurant, 'Upstairs', offers a delight of flavours including authentic modern Australian cuisine and Hollick Estates' wines.

#### **Hollick House**

Address: 11 Racecourse Road,

Penola, South Australia

Telephone: +61 8 8737 2318

Email: accommodation@hollick.com





# Upstairs Restaurant at Hollick

Upstairs is a stylish, warm and inviting Upstairs Restaurant is destination dining located at Hollick Estates in the famed Coonawarra; contemporary modern Australian cuisine with seasonal changes, focused on the highest quality ingredients that are sourced supporting local producers; complimented with an extensive range of Hollick Estates Wine. Diners will enjoy views into the barrel store with live-action and functioning winery and winemaking, 365 days of the year: coupled with panoramic uninterrupted views over the Hollick Estates Coonawarra vineyard - an ever evolving backdrop and landscape.

#### Opening Hours (subject to change): Lunch and dinner. Bookings essential at www.hollick.com.

#### Upstairs

Address: 11 Racecourse Road,

Penola, South Australia

**Telephone:** +61 8 8737 2752 **Email:** upstairs@hollick.com







### **Punters Retreat**



This architecturally designed, award winning building was created to highlight the picturesque location and provide sweeping views of the breathtaking vineyard studded landscape.

Both outdoor and indoor dining are options at the Retreat. Whilst the indoor dining area offers seclusion and sumptuousness, the outdoor area provides guests with a courtyard paved with river-washed pebbles and vines providing a sensual and seductive canopy.



Each bedroom offers panoramic views over the vines, sun-drenched timber floors, wall-to-wall glass and private entrances.

Please note: Not suitable for children under 16 years. 2 night minimum stay.

#### **Punters Retreat**

Address: V&A Lane, Coonawarra

South Australia, 5263

**Telephone:** +61 408 816 312

Email: lucille@puntersvineyardretreat.com.au www.puntersvineyardretreat.com.au









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# Yalumba Menzies Vineyard Retreat

Established in 1849, Yalumba is Australia's most historic family owned wine company. It remains fiercely independent and extremely progressive through the generational ownership by the Hill-Smith family.

Yalumba's longevity and success is a result of patience, collaboration and progressive thinking. There is foresight to embrace the natural terroir to craft wines with individual character and a sense of purpose, a spirit to reinvest in the land upon which it operates and knowledge to behave as a leader in the industry. It is committed to sharing stories of provenance gathered over more than 168 years of history of family winemaking.

The Yalumba Menzies Vineyard Retreat is a fantastic getaway in the heart of the Coonawarra.

With panoramic views of the surrounding native revegetation area and Yalumba Menzies vineyard, this B&B stay is ideally situated only minutes away from Penola township, restaurants and other tourism attractions of the Limestone Coast region.

No guests under the age of 15 and no pets policy.



#### The Menzies Retreat

Address: Riddoch Highway, Coonawarra SA 5263

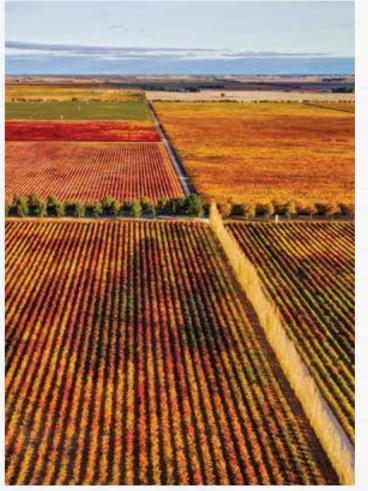
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# General Information

A visit to Coonawarra is enhanced by the abundance of fresh regional produce and quality dining experiences. There are a range of accommodation options from cosy bed and breakfasts, stunning award winning retreats and four star motels.

#### **NEARBY ATTRACTIONS**

Nearby attractions include Penola's art galleries, Mary MacKillop Interpretive Centre, the World Heritage Naracoorte Caves, spectacular coastline, quaint seaside towns such as Robe and Beachport, the stunning Blue Lake, sinkholes and Cave Gardens in Mount Gambier.

#### KEEP OUR VINES SAFE

South Australia has some of the oldest vines in the world and is proudly declared phylloxera-free state. The phylloxera disease is a significant threat to the health of Coonawarra's vineyards. Visitors are asked to follow the steps listed below to keep our vines safe:

- If visiting from Interstate, clean your shoes and clothing and ensure that they
  are free of soil and plant material, before entering South Australia.
- Stay on roadways, when visiting vineyards and avoid parking your vehicle that they are free of soil and plant material, before entering South Australia.
- Do not to enter vineyards without permission and observe signage around vineyards at all times.

For more information about vineyard biosecurity visit www.vinehealth.com.au

Spring	Summer	Autumn	Winter
23°C	30°C	21°C	14°C
7°C	12°C	9°C	5°C
50mm	25mm	50mm	78mm
	23°C 7°C	23°C 30°C 7°C 12°C	23°C 30°C 21°C 7°C 12°C 9°C

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We're home to some of Australia's most enticing wine regions, with world-renowned reds and boutique whites. So, come and unearth a new favourite.



# COONAWARRA

Proud of our rich history, we continue to evolve.

Today, Coonawarra is a vibrant, passionate and innovative regional community.

We genuinely hope you enjoy your Coonawarra experience.

#### Coonawarra Vignerons

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#### RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF ALCOHOL

Coonawarra members are responsible servers, and encourage the safe and legal consumption of alcohol. Please drive, cycle and ride safely. They encourage designated drivers, but should you require transportation, plan ahead and book a regional transport option.





# COONAWARRA Annual Events

JANUARY 36° South Coonawarra Vignerons Cup

**FEBRUARY** Coonawarra Classic Pétanque Tournament

**MARCH** Coonawarra Vintage Launch

**APRIL** Coonawarra After Dark Vintage Celebrations

MAY Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival

**JULY** Coonawarra Cellar Dwellers

**AUGUST** Coonawarra Cellar Door in the City - Wine Tasting Roadshow

**SEPTEMBER** Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Golf Day

**OCTOBER** Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Wine Festival

**NOVEMBER** Coonawarra Running Festival



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