



FIVE FAMILIES | ONE VISION

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PENMARA

HUNTER VALLEY | ORANGE | AUSTRALIA

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NEWS AND REVIEWS FROM OUR VINEYARDS AND BEYOND...

JAMES HALLIDAY

RATES PENMARA RESERVES



James Halliday, is Australia's most respected wine writer and every year he publishes the definitive guide to Australian Wines.

THE AUSTRALIAN WINE COMPANION 2008

James has been publishing this book since 1986 and it has grown exponentially, just like the Australian wine industry.

He tasted over 7000 wines during the year, submitted to him by the vast majority of Australian wineries. Not every wine gets a mention, which is why we were overjoyed that all of our five Penmara Reserve wines were included and rated.

This is a credit to hard work put in by our Five Family owned vineyards and the ever increasing dedication in the winery by our winemaking team.

THE WINES

2005 PENMARA RESERVE CHARDONNAY *Orange Region*

★★★★☆ RATING 90

Concentrated nectarine, grapefruit and melon fruit supported by subtle oak. A polished wine. Best to 2012



2004 PENMARA RESERVE SHIRAZ *Orange Region*

★★★★ RATING 89

Light to medium bodied, a mix of gently spicy black fruits and sweeter oak, gentle tannins. Best to 2015



2005 PENMARA RESERVE SANGIOVESE *Hunter Valley*

★★★★ RATING 89

Light red; Light to medium bodied, cedary, cherry accented aromas and flavours, easy trattoria style. Best to 2010



2006 PENMARA RESERVE SAUVIGNON BLANC *Orange Region*

★★★★ RATING 88

Clean and soft, medium to full bodied in sauvignon blanc terms, with tropical fruit leading the way; not sweet. Best to 2008



2004 PENMARA RESERVE MCP *Orange Region*

★★★★ RATING 88

Full red-purple; enters the mouth quietly but then the more astringent/savoury aspects of the cabernet franc and petit verdot take over. Merlot / Cabernet Franc / Petit Verdot. Best to 2015



Please keep an eye out for the new updated Reserve packaging which will be released over the coming months. A full report and bottle shots will be included in the next Penned by Penmara.

We invite you to visit our website www.penmarawines.com.au

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