

# VINO FINO

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## KNAPPSTEIN THE MAYOR'S VINEYARD SHIRAZ 2019



Original price was: \$53.99. ~~\$47.99~~ Current price is: \$47.99.

Product Code:	6656	Closure:	Screw Cap
Country:	Australia	Unit:	Each
Region:	South Australia	Volume:	750ml
Sub Region:	Clare Valley	Alcohol:	14.5%
Style:	Red	Grape:	100% Shiraz
Variety:	Syrah / Shiraz		



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### TASTING NOTES

#### Gold Medal - London Wine Competition 2022

#### Winery notes (2019 Vintage)

"Situated at just over 500m in altitude, the vines of The Mayors Vineyard, in the North East of the Clare Valley provide the fruit for this single vineyard wine. The 52 year old vines were hand harvested and individual blocks kept separate through vinification.

Fermented in open fermenters and had plunged to assist preserving flavour and gentle extraction of tannins adding texture. Individual block ferments were kept separate and left on skins until the perfect extraction levels were achieved. The individual parcels were then basket pressed and transferred to selected French oak for 14 months. Careful blending of individual barrels occurred 2 months before bottling. This wine is only made in years when quality is exceptional, with only a limited quantity of bottles released.

Aromas of blue berry, perfume and spice concentrate the nose, with elegant floral undertones providing lift. The palate is long

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and full of flavour, with a tight tannin profile and framework for the fruit to extend. Excellent tension and precise use of oak will see this wine age amongst the best in its class."

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**98/100 Winestate Magazine - Worlds Greatest Shiraz/Syrah XVI Wine Show, August 2021** (2019 Vintage)

"Another strong class with the 19's offering more consistency and the older wines mixed. The best was Knappstein 2019 The Mayors Vineyards Clare Valley Shiraz. Great to see this famous name being revived to its former glory."

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**5 Stars & 96/100 Sam Kim, Wine Orbit, March 2021** (2019 Vintage)

"This is terrific; the perfumed bouquet shows black/blueberry, floral, vanilla, cedar and fragrant spice aromas, leading to a powerful palate displaying outstanding concentration and depth. It's plush and velvety with layers of delicious flavours. At its best: 2023 to 2039."

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**95/100 Campbell Mattinson, The Wine Front, June 2021** (2019 Vintage)

"From a Clare Valley vineyard planted in 1969. Fruit-filled and fruit-forward. Luscious plum, blackberry, coffee-cream and mint flavours. Bold of body and of intent. There's a reasonable kick of tannin here too, lending it shape, but the fruit sweeps straight on through it. Full marks for volume."

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## CONTACT VINO FINO

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## OPEN HOURS

10am to 6pm - Monday to Friday  
10am to 5pm - Saturday  
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## VISIT VINO FINO

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