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Beginnings: Established by winemaker Martin Shaw and Master of Wine Michael Hill Smith in 1989.

Winemakers: Adam Wadewitz and Martin Shaw.

Vision: To make exciting, refined wines exclusively from the Adelaide Hills that reflect our sites and climate.

Vineyards: Shaw + Smith own three vineyards in the Adelaide Hills, at Balhannah, Lenswood and Piccadilly. The vineyards are planted to varieties that perform particularly well in the region, namely Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, and Shiraz.

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2021 LENSWOOD VINEYARD PINOT NOIR

Style: A Pinot Noir of delicacy and fragrance, with fresh acid, and subtle layers of flavour and texture.

Already open and expressive on the nose, with red fruit and spice. Bursting with flavour on the palate, with cherry, strawberry, and raspberry, toasted spices, and flowing through to firm but very fine tannins on the finish. Remarkable intensity for a wine so light on its feet.

Season: The growing season for the 2021 vintage was terrific. Soaking winter rains gave us good soil moisture, and that flowed into healthy crops. The summer was mild, slow ripening, giving lots of flavour.

Vinification: Hand-picked and hand-sorted, then long slow ferments in wood and stainless steel vats, followed by 10 months in 500 litre puncheon, 30% new.

Cellar: Will reward careful cellaring for up to 15 years.

LENSWOOD VINEYARD

Altitude: 500m

Planted: 1999

Soils: Loam over clay and shale

Aspect: South-facing

Clone: 114

Density: 2390 vines/ha
