

Faber Vineyard

Faber Vineyard was established in 1997 by well-known winemaker John Griffiths. The dream is to grow regionally distinctive grapes and craft wines that are rich and flavoursome.

2012 Petit Verdot

Swan Valley and Peel Region

Handpicked fruit from Faber Vineyard on the 23 February with a small proportion from Orondo Farm in Dwellingup picked on the 19 March. Very simple winemaking lets the fruit “speak for itself”.

Fermented on skins in 1 tonne open fermenters with careful maceration followed by maturation in old barrels.

The wine has a fragrant, spicy varietal characters. It is elegant and medium bodied.

“Bright purple-crimson; part from Swan Valley, part from Dwellingup (Peel), a petit verdot that goes close to achieving outright elegance, its blackcurrant/blackberry fruit laced with fine tannins; best of all is its moderate alcohol, inviting the second glass.”

94 points, 13.5% Alc, Drink until 2025

James Halliday—Australian Wine Companion 2014

