

2009 Edition

"Former Houghton winemaker, now university lecturer and consultant, John Griffiths teamed with wife, Jane Micallef, to found Faber Vineyard. They have established shiraz, verdelho (1.5 ha each), brown muscat, chardonnay and petit verdot (0.5 ha each).....

... Possessed of an excellent palate, and with an impeccable winemaking background, the quality of John's wines is guaranteed..."

FABER VINEYARD RICHE SHIRAZ 2007

Full-bodied, with abundant juicy plum and blackberry flavours, but no hint of dead fruit; perfectly balanced tannins and oak; very good value.

94 Points: Publishes on 10 Mar 2008

FABER VINEYARD PETIT VERDOT 2007

More savoury and elegant than one might expect, for there has been no chase for colour or extract as is often the case; French oak has helped lift the aroma and flavour.

90 Points: Published on 10 Mar 2008

FABER VINEYARD DWELLINGUP CHARDONNAY 2007

A vibrant and quite peachy bouquet, and good oak in the background; ripe and juicy on the palate, with balanced persistence on the finish.

88 Points: Published on 25 Jan 2008