



MURRAY STREET VINEYARDS

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James Halliday Australian Wine Companion, 2008 Edition - MURRAY STREET VINEYARDS – 5 STARS

2005 'Greenock' Estate Shiraz - 95 Points

Excellent hue; greater elegance on the bouquet, more vibrancy of sweet fruits in the red, rather than black, spectrum; minimal tannins and excellent oak balance.

2005 'Gomersal' Estate Shiraz – 94 Points

The colour is deep, but with an even better hue than the Barossa Valley Shiraz; intense and highly focused blackberry, mocha, chocolate and licorice flavours carry the alcohol with ease: flow through to a long finish.

2005 'The Barossa' (Shiraz, Grenache, Cinsaut, Mataro) – 93 Points

Superb colour; the percentages of the varieties are not stated, but Shiraz plays the major role; a luscious, sweet array of red and black fruits, with no dead fruit or excess alcohol issue. Well priced.

2004 'Benno' Shiraz Mataro – 92 Points

Rich, ripe and luscious, the later picking and higher alcohol appealing to many; for me, just misses the mark. Do remember, however, that the alcohol number can mislead as much as inform (witness the Gomersal Shiraz).

2005 Shiraz – 91 Points

Deep, dense colour; a plush, rich velvety tapestry of dark fruit flavours on the palate.

2008 Sydney International Wine Competition

TOP 100 BLUE-GOLD AWARD – 2004 'Benno' Shiraz Mataro

www.top100wines.com

2007 New Zealand International Wine Show

Gold – 2005 'The Barossa'

Gold – 2004 Cabernets

Silver - 2005 'Gomersal' Estate Shiraz

www.nziws.co.nz

2007 Decanter World Wine Awards

Silver - 2005 'Gomersal' Estate Shiraz

Bronze - 2005 'Greenock' Estate Shiraz

www.decanter.com/worldwineawards/2007/results.php

2007 International Wine Challenge

Silver - 2005 'Gomersal' Estate Shiraz

Silver - 2005 Shiraz

Bronze – 2004 'Benno' Shiraz Mataro

Bronze - 2005 'Greenock' Estate Shiraz

Bronze - 2005 'The Barossa'

www.internationalwinechallenge.com

2007 Wine Style Asia Awards

Platinum Gold – 2005 'Gomersal' Estate Shiraz

Silver – 2005 'Greenock' Estate Shiraz

Silver - 2005 Shiraz

www.wineforasia.com

2007 Critics Challenge International Wine Competition

Critics Gold – 2003 'Benno' Mataro Shiraz

Critics Silver - 2004 Cabernets

Critics Silver - 2004 'The Barossa'

Critics Silver - 2004 Grenache

www.criticschallenge.com