

# TE·ARO ESTATE

BAROSSA VALLEY



## 'Barefooter' MERLOT 2006

### Notes

Enjoy plum aromas and a luscious palate balanced with chocolate, coffee and a hint of cinnamon from the French Oak.

### Vintage Information

Acres	5 acres
Tonnage	4 ton/acre
Harvested	23rd March 2006
Oak regime	American & French Oak hogsheads
Time in Oak	14 months
Bottled	28th May 2007
Production	320 cases
Alc/Vol	14.8%

### Vineyard Information

Row Orientation	East - west
Region	Williamstown home block
Vine age	16 years
Pruning methodology	2 bud spur - double wire, permanent arm & hand pruned. 38 - 40 buds per vine
Soil	Grey brown loam over nutty clay
Elevation	288 metres above sea level
Rainfall	858mls (avg. 680mls)

### Awards

- '08 Winewise Small Vigneron Awards - Bronze Medal
- '08 Cowra Wine Show - Bronze Medal

### Character

On one occasion a brave and daring Trevor fulfilled a dream by skilfully skiing barefoot around his own dam. While there was more mud than water on take off, we still admire and have a laugh at this daring feat. Don't try this at home!



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