



Mezzanine REVIEWS

# WINE THE OF WEEK

## Good Living

### Moorooduc Estate Shiraz 2004



Richard McIntyre, a surgeon-cum-winemaker whose family owns this outstanding Mornington Peninsula winery, is justly noted for chardonnay and pinot noir. However, this great shiraz popped out of left field.

It is very northern Rhone in style with crushed black peppercorns and mixed spices. It's deliciously smooth, fine-boned and intense, with properly ripe but unmistakably cool-grown flavours. It was not shaded when served at dinner with a Clape Cornas. Best drunk now to five or six years-plus.

14 Percent alcohol . Screw capped.

**FOOD:** Grilled lamb chops with vegetables, mash and mushrooms ;port Leveque and red square; white mould cheese such as Brie de Meaux.

95/100

Huon Hooke

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