



## **EPICURE UNCORKED**

THE MELBOURNE AGE Tuesday 16th August 2005

## **BATTLE OF BOSWORTH SHIRAZ 2002**

'Typical of the excellent 2002 McLaren Vale reds, this generously built Shiraz has a ripe core of syrupy, blackberry-like fruit. Chocolate and mineral-earthy notes add dimension, and sweet oak is used as subtle seasoning. The palate is smooth and plush, long and complete with grainy ripe tannins behind it.

Ageing? Drink over 8 years Food Ideas: Roast Beef; baked vegetable lasagne

Rating:



(A superb example a near perfect wine of great character, worthy of the big occasion and the best company)'

Ralph Kyte-Powell