



## NEWS RELEASE

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**OVERSEAS WINE PRODUCER OF THE YEAR – 2008 MUNDUS VINI  
INTERNATIONAL WINE AWARDS, GERMANY**

**SHIRAZ TROPHY - 2008 INTERNATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE, VIENNA**

**CHAMPION CABERNET SAUVIGNON TROPHY – LIQUORLAND TOP 100 WINE  
COMPETITION, NZ**

It's been a rewarding several weeks for McLaren Vale's **Shingleback Wine** in the global wine show circuit.

Following on from being named "Overseas Producer of the Year" in the 2007 Mundus Vini competition, in late September it was announced that **Shingleback**, with 4 Gold and 4 Silver medals, has again earned the title, showing the "best non-European results" in the 2008 competition. The Mundus Vini international Wine Awards are the most important wine competition in Germany. This year a record 5,343 wines from 41 countries were judged.

A month later, the preliminary results from the AWC (International Wine Challenge) in Vienna were released. With 5 Gold medal winning wines, Shingleback's co-owner and senior winemaker, John Davey, was invited to present 3 wines to some 3000 invited experts and wine lovers the "Wine Gala Night" held in the Vienna City Hall on October 30<sup>th</sup>.

The **2005 Shingleback McLaren Vale Shiraz** went on to win the Shiraz Trophy at the presentation of awards that night.

Its stablemate, the **2005 Shingleback McLaren Vale Cabernet Sauvignon**, has also enjoyed success, but closer to home, winning the Champion Cabernet Sauvignon Trophy at the Liquorland Top 100 Wine Competition in New Zealand.

Limited stocks of both the 2005 Shingleback Shiraz and Cabernet Sauvignon are still available at a RRP of \$24.95.

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