# STONEHORSE

## 2018 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The Stonehorse, a symbol of power, strength, elegance and grace, just like this Cabernet Sauvignon from an assemblage of estate vineyards in the Clare Valley ranging in age from 16 to 46 years in age.

### VINTAGE

2018 was a great vintage in the Clare Valley with favourable conditions during flowering resulting in excellent fruit set. The good weather conditions continued throughout the growing season which resulted in an exceptional vintage overall, with intense colours and flavours in the wines, particularly the reds.

#### WINEMAKING

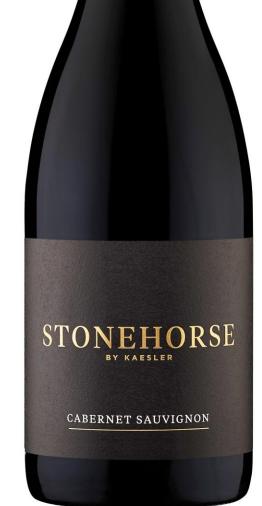
Stonehorse Cabernet Sauvignon is always a true taste of the vintage. Sourced from our estate vineyards in the Polish Hill sub region of the Clare Valley. The fruit is machine harvested in the early mornings at optimal ripeness, then crushed and destemmed. Fermentation takes place for around 7 – 10 days and then pressed to tank and allowed to rest. Half of the wine is matured in 3- and 4-year-old French barriques.

### APPEARANCE: Dark crimson in colour

**BOUQUET**: A lifted, bright bouquet of plums and mint chocolate fill the glass

**PALATE**: A mouth filling, full bodied wine with rich peppermint chocolate and black currant flavours with hints of mocha from the French oak, finishing with integrated, grippy tannins

**FOOD MATCH**: Cabernet pairs well with lamb and other red meat dishes or rich tomato and mushrooms-based cuisine



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Variety:Cabernet SauvignonRegion:Clare ValleySoil Type:Loam over clay

Oak Origin: France Oak Size: Barrique Alc/Vol: 14.5%

RS:	0.66
pH:	3.59
TA:	6.1