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OUTSTANDING RESULT FOR 2007 MCPHERSON CABERNET SAUVIGNON

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One of Australia's leading producers and exporters, McPherson Wines is delighted to announce an outstanding result for their 2007 McPherson Cabernet Sauvignon.

Receiving **90 POINTS and 4½ GLASSES** in the definitive *James Halliday's 2009 Wine Companion*, the wine was also voted as one of the **Ten Best Value Reds \$10 - \$15**. James, one of Australia's leading wine critics, vigneron, judges and authorities on wine, had this to say about the 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon:

"Great value, strong varietal characters, and cedar to balance out the cassis; well made. Exceptional value."

Made from consistent South Eastern Australian fruit and high quality Central Victorian fruit, which adds another dimension of flavour and sophistication, this wine is inky in colour with an attractive, perfumed nose of ripe blackberries and cassis.

The fruit was picked and crushed during the cool of night, and cold macerated prior to fermentation, adding to the deep colour and varietal characters. Whilst still fermenting, the wine was transferred onto medium toast French oak where it spent a number of months, adding a further depth of character and complexity.

The palate is powerful yet elegant with good balance between the fruit, spicy French oak and fine grained tannins. With a long, flavoursome finish this wine may be enjoyed with grilled and roasted meats or rich, tomato based dishes.

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