



## Eltham & District Winemakers Guild

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### Grape Availability Listing for 2018

Buyers are reminded that grape quality is a critical factor in both good winemaking and final wine quality, and the Guild suggests that intending buyers carefully review available information on fruit selection.

<b>Nick Cugura</b>	<b>Big Hill Vineyard</b>	<b>Mobile 0417334206</b>
<b>Email :</b> <a href="mailto:nick@ezsys.com.au">nick@ezsys.com.au</a>		
<b>Region:</b> Bendigo		
We have shiraz, merlot and cabernet almost ready to be picked. If you are interested, the cost is \$500 per tonne and your members would need to pick the grapes.		

<b>Danny &amp; Vikki Shine</b>	<b>Phone:</b> 03 5127 8298 & 0417342166
<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:dshine@wideband.net.au">dshine@wideband.net.au</a>	
<b>Region :</b> Gippsland Region (Foster; & Blackwood Ridge Vineyard, Moe South)	
<b>Fruit:</b> Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Shiraz, Merlot, Riesling, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon, Pinot Noir	
<b>Notes:</b> Contact Graham for pricing. Picked prices; Pick up from South Moe. Early contact will assist in growing to buyer requirements based on baumes, pH, TA. Harvests from early April. Low cropping.	

<b>Gary Trist</b> (EDWG member)	<b>Phone:</b> 03 9710 1605 / 0425 737 839
<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:gary@buttermanstrack.com.au">gary@buttermanstrack.com.au</a>	
<b>Region:</b> Yarra Valley Region (Queenstown Vineyard, St Andrews)	
<b>Fruit:</b> Shiraz (PT23), Sangiovese (MAT 1, MAT 2)	
<b>Notes:</b> Cropping density less than 2 tonne per acre, copper and sulphur sprays only. Sangiovese vines are 10 years old. Shiraz vines are 16 and 23 years old. Quantities are limited this year so get in early. Contact Gary for pricing. Will sell at picked or you-pick prices. Pick up from vineyard.	

<b>Brian Spencer</b> (EDWG member) Cornella Ridge Estate	<b>Phone:</b> 0400 274 482
<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:brianspencer@shirazrepublic.com.au">brianspencer@shirazrepublic.com.au</a>	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.shirazrepublic.com.au">www.shirazrepublic.com.au</a>
<b>Region:</b> Cornella (Heathcote) Red Cambrian soils	
<b>Fruit:</b> : Shiraz. Hand-picked by grower, packed into waxed carton boxes, \$2.00/kg plus delivery. See website for delivery costs to your suburb. You pick option \$1.70/kg boxes supplied	
<b>Notes:</b> Order form is on website. It looks like being a better season than last year, with a drier warmer spring and summer. We're expecting picking to start early March, but it can be earlier, subject to the weather. Keep an eye on our blog and Facebook for an update on harvest. We will start posting Baume's as soon the grapes finish verasion	

<b>Hugh Jones</b> Humis Wineyard	<b>Phone :</b> 0419588044
<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:hugh.jones@gmail.com">hugh.jones@gmail.com</a>	<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.humisvineyard.com">www.humisvineyard.com</a>
<b>Region:</b> Our vineyard is in the Heathcote Region (just down the road from Cornella and Chalmers Vineyards.	



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**Fruit:** We produce Shiraz (11 acres), Carmenere (10 acres) and Grenache (2 acres) Our vines are between 5 and 3 three years old so they are coming up to full production. We have planted the vines in an east/west orientation and for the region quite dense at 2800 vines per Ha using 2.5m row spacings.

**Notes:** This year we will machine harvest using the latest Braud harvest (very good sample) but for the sake of a smaller order (or alternative demands with baume, ph etc) we would happily assist with hand picking, supplying buckets, trailer, tractor and myself. We'll be working on \$1.80 per kg/buyer picks.

**Grape suppliers** who can offer different, valuable features to the current listing here may apply to [cheers@amateurwine.org.au](mailto:cheers@amateurwine.org.au)

**Iain Cowan** Swipers Gully Wines **Phone:** 03 9437 1421 / 0409 133 399

**Email:** [icowan@swipersgully.com.au](mailto:icowan@swipersgully.com.au)

**Region:** Yarra Valley , 25 Eltham-Yarra Glenn Road, Kangaroo Ground)

**Fruit:** Pinot, Shiraz, Merlot, Chardonnay, Verduzzo

**Notes:** Contact Iain for pricing: Commercial prices per tonne basis picked. Pick up from vineyard. No minimum quantity. Early contact will assist in growing to buyer requirements

**Murray Lyons** Whispering Hills Vineyard **Phone:** 03 5964 2822 / 0418 303 205

**Email:** [sales@whisperinghills.com.au](mailto:sales@whisperinghills.com.au)

**Region:** Yarra Valley Region , Seville

**Fruit:** Riesling and Cabernet Sauvignon

**Notes:** Also buys fruit in from other vineyards available Cabernet Sauvignon \$2.40 per kg picked. Riesling \$2.00 per kg picked. Less \$0.40 per kg if you pick. Harvests at pre-stated baumes and pH levels; Low cropping; Cabernet usually harvested in April

**Peter Raeburn** Coliban Glen Vineyard **Phone:** 03 5439 3208 / 0409 204 277

**Email:** [praeburn@aanet.com.au](mailto:praeburn@aanet.com.au)

**Region:** Heathcote

**Fruit:** Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz

**Notes:** Commercial prices per tonne basis picked. Pick up from vineyard. No minimum quantity Harvest at pre-stated baumes usually in March. pH & TA data available. Cropping density less than 2 kg/vine

**Kim Chalmers** Chalmers Wines **Phone:** 0400 261 932

**Email:** [kim@chalmerswine.com.au](mailto:kim@chalmerswine.com.au)

**Website:**

[www.chalmerswine.com.au](http://www.chalmerswine.com.au)

**Region:** Merbein and Heathcote

**Fruit:** From the *Heathcote* vineyard they have various volumes of the below varieties available; Moscato, Giallo, Nero d'Avola, Shiraz, Malbec, Lagrein, Lambrusco, Maestri



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From the *Merbein* vineyard we have these volumes of the below varieties available; Prosecco (700kg), Arneis (600kg), Pinot Bianco (350kg), Fiano (9t), Vermentino (4t) Pricing is listed on the order forms - available from [cheers@amateurwine.org.au](mailto:cheers@amateurwine.org.au)

**Notes:** \$1,000 per tonne (handpicked). Only available from farm gate, you supply clean, certified 1 tonne picking bin Highest quality grapes from a commercial grower. Use Chalmers order form available from Bart May be best suited to a winemaking syndicate

### Con Kyriazis

**Phone:**

**Email:** [conkyriazis@internode.on.net](mailto:conkyriazis@internode.on.net)

**Region:** Melba Hwy opposite Balgownie just north of Yarra Glen

**Fruit:** CHA GRI PIN CAB SHZ.

**Notes:** Please wait for advice about removing grapes from this region.

### Alwyn Banovac

**Phone:** 0412 546 314

**Email:** [a.b@bigpond.net.au](mailto:a.b@bigpond.net.au)

**Region:** Tallarook

**Fruit:** Cabernet Sauvignon

**Notes:** Available end of March – Early April \$2 per kilo picked  
Baume as at 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 11.5 , Picking on the 14<sup>th</sup> March

### Morgan Vineyards

**Phone:** 0422 396 356 (Simon)

**Email:** [morganvineyards@gmail.com](mailto:morganvineyards@gmail.com)

**Region:** Yarra Valley

**Fruit:** Merlot & Cabernet and maybe Pinot Noir

**Notes:** Unfortunately we do not have any fruit available for this year sorry

### Helmut Doener Mt Slide Vineyard

**Phone:** 0409 933 786

**Email:** [hdoener@bigpond.net.au](mailto:hdoener@bigpond.net.au)

**Address :** 2918 Healesville-Kinglake Rd. Kinglake 3763

**Region:** Kinglake Ranges

**Fruit:** Cool climate Pinot Noir

**Notes:** Small, low cropping vineyard with 4 different clones. Estimated amount available ~ 700 kg @ \$ 2.00/kg - u-pick. Estimated harvest around mid April 2017, updates will be available on that and on pH and sugar levels as the saison progresses.

Pinot Noir made from this vineyard scored 18,0 points(silver) @ in the professional class @ the 2016 Guild wine show

### Montrose Vineyard

Sam

**Phone :** 0411 420 378

**Email:** none provided

**Address:** 55 Moore Ave, Montrose Vic 3765

**Region:**

**Fruit:** Pinot Noir & Cabernet

**Notes:** We supply quality pinot noir & cabernet grapes (from \$2/kg) to local wine makers, You can visit our vineyard (by appointment only) and pick the grapes that you prefer.



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<b>Rising Hill</b>	Maris Feldgen	mobile: 0466 376 441
Email: <a href="mailto:mfeldgen@bigpond.com">mfeldgen@bigpond.com</a>		
Region: St Andrews		
Fruit: yes		
Notes: Grapes available for purchase in 2018: Merlot- approx. 100-150kg \$1.80/kg Shiraz – any volume \$2.00 /kg Sauvignon Blanc – any volume \$1.80/kg Semillon –any volume - \$1.90/kg		

<b>Wandin Hills Vineyard</b>	Marc Bartsch	Phone: 0418 102 587
Email: <a href="mailto:planaustralia@optusnet.com.au">planaustralia@optusnet.com.au</a>		
Region: Yarra Valley , 89 Beenak Road WANDIN VIC 3139		
Fruit: Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot		
Vintage 2018 is looking to be exceptional. The Merlot is once again reserved for Dominique Portet. The Cabernet Sauvignon is also part sold. We have only a few ton available to our regular and loyal buyers at the Guild. If you would like to pre-select a row, which means that that for the next few months you will own a vineyard in the yarra valley this is also possible. You can leave it to me, and after over thirty years of growing grapes and making wine, I can promise that they will be well looked after. The price per kg is to be confirmed, but this year a percentage of the sale will go to the homeless.		

**Grape buyers, please note carefully:** In providing this list for the use by members and non-members alike, the EDWG accepts no responsibility whatsoever for the accuracy of the information below sourced from the listed grape suppliers, and cannot accept any responsibility whatsoever for the suitability of the grapes in making wine, other beverage or other use. Like most transactions, grape buyers should beware of the many traps, especially those associated with buying perishable products. EDWG warns that laws must be obeyed – for example, grapes cannot be moved out of Phylloxera infested zones without a permit, and this includes part of the Yarra Valley and some other grape regions (refer to Department of Primary Industry web site or contact DPI for further information on this; tel 03 9210 9390).