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Gold Award - 55.5 points and over

Silver Award - 51 to 55 points

Bronze Award - 46.5 to 50.5 points

TROPHY WINNERS

Trophies may be awarded as follows:-

Careers Unlimited Trophy

for Best Riesling (Classes 1 & 5)

Won by Wallaroo Wines
2007 Riesling

CL 1:11



Canberra District Vignerons' Association Trophy

for Best Chardonnay (Classes 3, 6, 7 and 14)

Won by Bidgeebong Wines
2006 The Icon Series

CL 7:6

RNCAS Trophy

for Best Dry White Other Varieties
(Classes 2, 3, 6, 8 and 15)

Won by Coolangatta Estate
2001 Semillon

CL 6:4



University House Trophy

for Best Dry White of Show (Open Classes)

Won by Wallaroo Wines
2007 Riesling

CL 1:11



Capital Insurance Brokers Trophy

for Best Shiraz (Classes 4, 10 and 17)

Won by Lerida Estate
2006 Lake George Shiraz

CL 10:12

CAPITAL INSURANCE BROKERS PTY LTD

Acumen Alliance Trophy

for Best Cabernet and/or Merlot
(Classes 4, 11, 12, 18 and 19)

Not Awarded



Acumen Alliance Trophy

for Best Dry Red Other Varieties and Blends
(Classes 4, 9, 13, 16, 20)

Not Awarded



Caffé Della Piazza Trophy

for Best Dry Red of Show (Open Classes)

Won by Lerida Estate
2006 Lake George Shiraz



CL 10:12

Bentleys MRI Trophy

for Best Sparkling of Show (Class 21)

Won by Kosciusko Wines
2005 Pinot Chardonnay



CL 21:1

Wine Selectors Trophy

for Champion Wine of Show (Open Classes)

Won by Lerida Estate
2006 Lake George Shiraz



CL 10:12

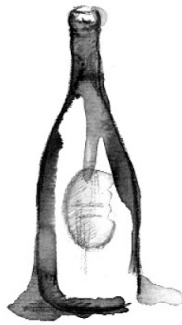
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Most Successful Exhibitor of Show

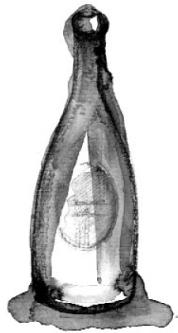
Won by McWilliams Wines Pty Ltd

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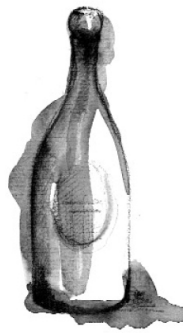
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| 1997 | Canobolas-Smith 1995 Chardonnay | 2003 | Bidgeebong Wines Aust Ltd 2002 Gundagai Shiraz |
| 1998 | Kyeema Estate Shiraz 1996 Shiraz | 2004 | Ravensworth 2003 Shiraz |
| 1999 | Not Awarded | 2005 | Kamberra Wine Company 2004 Shiraz |
| 2000 | Doonkuna Estate 1998 Shiraz | 2006 | Kamberra Wine Company 2005 Meeting Place Shiraz |
| 2001 | Lark Hill Winery 1999 Shiraz | 2007 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Shiraz |
| 2002 | Gallagher Wines 2001 Shiraz | | |



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**OPEN CLASSES
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**2007 Vintage
Minimum Volume 70 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled**

| | | | |
|----------------|--------------------------------|------|--------|
| Class 1 | Dry White - Riesling | | |
| 1 | Helm Wines | | |
| | 2007 Classic Dry Riesling..... | 52.5 | Silver |
| 2 | Yarrh Wines | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 43.5 | |
| 3 | Surveyor's Hill Vineyards | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 41.5 | |
| 4 | Nick O'Leary Wines | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 45.5 | |
| 5 | Pialligo Estate | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 48.0 | Bronze |
| 6 | Brindabella Hills | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 49.0 | Bronze |
| 7 | Mount Majura Vineyard | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 51.0 | Silver |
| 8 | Jeir Creek Wines | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 40.0 | |
| 9 | Four Winds Vineyard | | |
| | 2007 Alinga Riesling | 47.0 | Bronze |
| 10 | Gallagher Wines | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 51.0 | Silver |
| TOP 11 | Wallaroo Wines | | |
| | 2007 Riesling | 55.5 | Gold |

Judges Comments:

Underlying quality of riesling fruit high. Some wines spoiled by yeast mercaptan faults. The last wines showing intensity, line length and mineral / good acid finish.

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|----------------|---|------|--------|
| Class 2 | Dry White - Sauvignon Blanc & Blends thereof - blend must be given | | |
| 1 | Ravensworth | | |
| | 2007 Sauvignon / Semillon | 41.0 | |
| 2 | McWilliam's Wines | | |
| | 2007 Barwang Tumbarumba Sauvignon | 51.0 | Silver |
| 3 | Gallagher Wines | | |
| | 2007 Sauvignon Blanc | 41.5 | |
| 4 | Barton Estate | | |
| | 2007 Assembly Sauvignon Blanc | 38.0 | |
| 5 | Brindabella Hills | | |
| | 2007 Sauvignon Blanc..... | 51.0 | Silver |

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|---|--|------|--------|
| 6 | Coolangatta Estate 2007 Sauvignon Blanc Verdelho | 45.5 | |
| 7 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd 2007 Tumberumba Sauvignon Blanc | 47.0 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

Flashes of varietal intensity among varied styles. Too many wines with fermentation faults, V.A. and mercaptan.

Class 3 Dry White - Other Varieties & Blends - variety or blend must be given

| | | | |
|----|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Pialligo Estate (1) 2007 Pinot Grigio | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Coolangatta Estate (1) 2007 Semillon | 48.0 | Bronze |
| 3 | Cuttaway Hill Estate 2007 Pinot Gris | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 4 | Lerida Estate 2007 Lake George Pinot Gris | 40.5 | |
| 5 | Bawley Vale Estate (1) 2007 Big Spottie Unwooded Chardonnay | 41.5 | |
| 6 | Gundagai Wines 2007 Track Winding Back Chardonnay | 42.5 | |
| 7 | Pialligo Estate (2) 2007 Chardonnay | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 8 | Grove Estate Wines 2007 Hilltops Semillon | 45.5 | |
| 9 | Coolangatta Estate (2) 2007 Verdelho | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 10 | Four Winds Vineyard 2007 Alinga Chardonnay | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 11 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2007 Pinot Gris | 51.0 | Silver |
| 12 | Bawley Vale Estate (2) 2007 Moonlight Verdelho | 41.0 | |

Judges Comments:

Very varied as expected across the matrix of varieties, and subregions. Glimpses of terroir at work especially in Pinot Gris. But, again, too many fermentation faults.

Class 4 Light Red - current consumption - including Rose - variety or blend must be given

| | | | |
|---|--|------|--|
| 1 | Yarrh Wines 2007 Rose | 42.0 | |
| 2 | Nick O'Leary Wines 2007 Pinot Noir Rose | 44.0 | |

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|---|---|------|--------|
| 3 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2007 Merlot Rose | 51.5 | Silver |
| 4 | Coolangatta Estate 2007 Rose | 49.0 | Bronze |
| 5 | Lerida Estate 2007 Lake George Pinot Rose | 45.0 | |
| 6 | Bawley Vale Estate 2007 Brush Island Rose | 41.0 | |

Judges Comments:

One wine showing the desired balance of fruit/ freshness and texture for the style.

2006 & Earlier Vintages
Minimum Volume 40 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled

Class 5 Dry White - Riesling

| | | | |
|---|---|------|--------|
| 1 | Ironbark Vineyard 2006 Riesling | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Lambert Vineyards 2006 Riesling | 44.5 | |
| 3 | Barton Estate 2004 Riesling | 51.0 | Silver |
| 4 | Helm Wines (1) 2006 Classic Dry Riesling | 45.5 | |
| 5 | Long Rail Gully Wines 2006 Riesling | 42.0 | |
| 6 | Helm Wines (2) 2006 Premium Riesling | 47.0 | Bronze |
| 7 | Four Winds Vineyard 2006 Alinga Riesling | 45.5 | |
| 8 | Wallaroo Wines 2005 Riesling | 47.0 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

A disappointing class given the history of this variety in this region. Again, too many wines with fermentation faults.

Class 6 Dry White - Other Varieties and Blends
Unwooded - variety or blend must be given

| | | | |
|---|---|------|--------|
| 1 | Coolangatta Estate (6) 2000 Semillon | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Jeir Creek Wines 2006 Sauvignon Blanc | 44.5 | |
| 3 | Shaw Vineyard Estate 2006 Semillon | 48.5 | Bronze |

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|-------|---|------|--------|
| TOP 4 | Coolangatta Estate (5) 2001 Semillon | 55.5 | Gold |
| 5 | Yarrowluma Estates 2006 Sauvignon Blanc | 45.5 | |
| 6 | Not received | | |
| 7 | Coolangatta Estate (4) 2002 Semillon | 42.0 | |
| 8 | Grumblebone Estate Vineyard 2006 Chardonnay | 48.5 | Bronze |
| 9 | Coolangatta Estate (1) 2006 Semillon | 45.0 | |
| 10 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Unwooded Chardonnay | 42.5 | |
| 11 | Coolangatta Estate (3) 2003 Semillon | 47.0 | Bronze |
| 12 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia 2006 Tumbarumba Sauvignon Blanc | 41.5 | |
| 13 | Coolangatta Estate (2) 2005 Semillon | 49.5 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

Semillons showing more style and longevity than the other varieties.

2006 Vintage**Minimum Volume 70 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled****Class 7 Dry White - Chardonnay - Wooded**

| | | | |
|-------|---|------|--------|
| 1 | Kosciusko Wines 2006 Chardonnay | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Cuttaway Hill Estate 2006 Chardonnay | 49.5 | Bronze |
| 3 | Brindabella Hills 2006 Chardonnay Viognier | 44.5 | |
| 4 | Lambert Vineyards 2006 Chardonnay | 43.5 | |
| 5 | McWilliam's Wines (2) 2006 Barwang Hilltops/Tumbarumba Chardonnay..... | 46.5 | Bronze |
| TOP 6 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia 2006 The Icon Series Chardonnay | 55.5 | Gold |
| 7 | Bawley Vale Estate 2006 Gantry Chardonnay | 38.0 | |
| 8 | McWilliam's Wines (1) 2006 Barwang Tumbarumba Chardonnay..... | 52.5 | Silver |
| 9 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Chardonnay..... | 46.5 | Bronze |

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| 10 | Yarrowlumla Estates 2006 Chardonnay | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 11 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd 2006 Tumbarumba Chardonnay | 49.0 | Bronze |
| 12 | Pankhurst Wines 2006 Chardonnay | 44.5 | |
| 13 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2006 Chardonnay | 48.0 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

An even class of wines and more difficult to judge because of it. Prominent acid is a consistent feature of the wines, which could be toned down a little.

Class 8 Dry White - Other Varieties and Blends - Wooded - variety or blend must be given

| | | | |
|---|---|------|--------|
| 1 | Cuttaway Hill Estate 2006 Semillon & Sauvignon Blanc | 51.0 | Silver |
| 2 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd 2006 Hilltops Semillon | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 3 | Tallagandra Hill 2006 Viognier | 53.5 | Silver |
| 4 | Lambert Vineyards 2006 Pinot Gris | 46.5 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

An excellent viognier obviously grown in the right terroir, but just a little too alcoholic and phenolic.

Class 9 Pinot Noir

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|---|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Pinot Noir | 51.0 | Silver |
| 2 | Taemas 2006 Reserve Pinot Noir | 40.0 | |
| 3 | Pankhurst Wines 2006 Pinot Noir | 43.0 | |
| 4 | Lambert Vineyards 2006 Pinot Noir | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 5 | Kosciusko Wines 2006 Pinot Noir | 43.5 | |
| 6 | Cuttaway Hill Estate 2006 Pinot Noir | 49.5 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

Two wines showing correct pinot varietal fruit character and demonstrating there is a future for the variety in the region.

Class 10 Shiraz

| | | | |
|--------|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Taemas (2) 2006 Shiraz | 42.5 | |
| 2 | McWilliam's Wines 2006 Barwang Hilltops Shiraz..... | 47.5 | Bronze |
| 3 | Grove Estate Wines 2006 Cellar Block Reserve Shiraz Viognier..... | 49.0 | Bronze |
| 4 | Nick O'Leary Wines 2006 Shiraz | 55.5 | Gold |
| 5 | Ravensworth 2006 Shiraz Viognier..... | 51.0 | Silver |
| 6 | Bawley Vale Estate 2006 Shiraz | 41.0 | |
| 7 | McKellar Ridge Wines 2006 Shiraz Viognier..... | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 8 | Barton Estate 2006 Georgia Shiraz | 45.0 | |
| 9 | Gundagai Wines 2006 Track Winding Back Shiraz..... | 48.5 | Bronze |
| 10 | Kyeema Wines 2006 Shiraz | 42.5 | |
| 11 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2006 Shiraz | 49.5 | Bronze |
| TOP 12 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Shiraz Viognier | 56.0 | Gold |
| 13 | Gallagher Wines 2006 Shiraz | 44.0 | |
| 14 | Taemas (1) 2006 Limited Release Shiraz / Viognier..... | 46.5 | Bronze |

Judges Comments:

*Truly different Australian shiraz demonstrating the region's match to the variety.
Complex wines with exotic fruit and good line length and structure.*

Class 11 Merlot

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|---|--------------------------------------|------|--------|
| 1 | Kyeema Wines 2006 Merlot | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Gallagher Wines 2006 Merlot | 45.0 | |
| 3 | Yarrowlumla Estates 2006 Merlot | 42.5 | |
| 4 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2006 Merlot | 46.0 | |

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| Class 12 | Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Sauvignon Blends | | |
| 1 | Bawley Vale Estate 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon | 42.0 | |
| 2 | Coolangatta Estate 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon | 43.0 | |
| 3 | Grove Estate Wines 2006 The Partners Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 48.0 | Bronze |
| 4 | Pankhurst Wines 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon | 46.0 | |
| 5 | McKellar Ridge Wines 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon Cabernet Franc | 44.5 | |
| Class 13 | Dry Red - Other Varieties and Blends - variety or blend must be given | | |
| 1 | Ravensworth 2006 Sangiovese | 51.5 | Silver |
| 2 | Tallagandra Hill 2006 Cabernet Franc..... | 51.0 | Silver |
| 3 | Grove Estate Wines 2006 Reserve Nebbiolo | 43.5 | |
| 4 | Coolangatta Estate (1) 2006 Chambourcin | 43.0 | |
| 5 | Bawley Vale Estate 2006 No Toes Red | 41.5 | |
| 6 | Pialligo Estate 2006 Sangiovese | 44.0 | |
| 7 | Withdrawn | | |
| 8 | Coolangatta Estate (2) 2006 Merlot Tannat | 44.5 | |

Judges Comments:

Two excellent examples of this variety demonstrating the region is a potential terroir for both.

2005 and Earlier Vintages
Minimum Volume 40 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled

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| Class 14 | Dry White - Chardonnay - Wooded | | |
| 1 | McWilliam's Wines (2) 2004 Barwang Tumbarumba Chardonnay | 48.0 | Bronze |
| 2 | Coolangatta Estate 2005 Alexander Berry Chardonnay | 46.0 | |
| 3 | McWilliam's Wines (1) 2005 Barwang Tumbarumba Chardonnay..... | 52.0 | Silver |
| 4 | Lambert Vineyards 2005 Chardonnay | 44.5 | |

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| 5 | Wimbaliri 2005 Chardonnay | 41.0 | |
| 6 | Mount Majura Vineyard 2005 Chardonnay | 49.5 | Bronze |
| 7 | Gallagher Wines 2004 Chardonnay | 51.5 | Silver |
| 8 | Wily Trout Wines 2005 Chardonnay | 43.5 | |
| 9 | Little Bridge Wines 2003 Chardonnay | 42.5 | |

Judges Comments:

Perserverance with chardonnay will pay off in this region. Best examples just lacking complexity and a little lean.

Class 15 Dry White – Other varieties and blends – Wooded – variety or blend must be given

No entries

Class 16 Pinot Noir

| | | | |
|---|---|------|--------|
| 1 | Long Rail Gully Wines 2005 Pinot Noir | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Taemas 2005 Pinot Noir | 45.0 | |
| 3 | Lerida Estate 2005 Lake George Pinot Noir | 43.0 | |
| 4 | Wimbaliri 2005 Pinot Noir | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 5 | Wily Trout Wines 2005 Pinot Noir | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 6 | Jeir Creek Wines 2004 Pinot Noir | 40.5 | |
| 7 | Yarrh Wines 2005 Pinot Noir | 42.0 | |
| 8 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd 2005 Tumberumba Pinot Noir | 43.5 | |
| 9 | Lambert Vineyards 2004 Reserve Pinot Noir | 43.0 | |

Judges Comments:

No wine in this class indicates pinot from this region will age gracefully.

Class 17 Shiraz

| | | | | |
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| | 1 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd (1) 2004 Hilltops Shiraz..... | 51.0 | Silver |
| | 2 | Lerida Estate (1) 2005 Lake George Shiraz..... | 52.0 | Silver |
| | 3 | Lambert Vineyards (1) 2005 Shiraz | 46.5 | Bronze |
| | 4 | Withdrawn | | |
| | 5 | Wimbaliri 2005 Gravel Block Shiraz..... | 48.5 | Bronze |
| | 6 | Lerida Estate (2) 2005 Canberra District Shiraz | 44.0 | |
| | 7 | Kyeema Wines (1) 2005 Shiraz | 43.5 | |
| | 8 | McWilliam's Wines (1) 2003 Barwang Hilltops Shiraz | 43.0 | |
| | 9 | Jeir Creek Wines 2004 Shiraz | 41.0 | |
| | 10 | Four Winds Vineyard 2005 Alinga Shiraz..... | 48.0 | Bronze |
| TOP | 11 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd (2) 2005 Hilltops Shiraz..... | 56.0 | Gold |
| | 12 | Long Rail Gully Wines 2005 Shiraz | 47.5 | Bronze |
| | 13 | Gallagher Wines 2005 Shiraz | 45.0 | |
| | 14 | Kyeema Wines (2) 2004 Shiraz | 46.5 | Bronze |
| | 15 | Yarrh Wines 2005 Shiraz | 46.5 | Bronze |
| | 16 | Dionysus Winery 2005 Shiraz | 43.0 | |
| | 17 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia (2) 2005 The Icon Series Shiraz..... | 47.0 | Bronze |
| | 18 | Pialligo Estate 2005 Shiraz | 49.0 | Bronze |
| | 19 | Lambert Vineyards (3) 2004 Shiraz | 55.5 | Gold |
| | 20 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia (1) 2004 The Icon Series Shiraz | 41.0 | |
| | 21 | Wily Trout Wines 2005 Shiraz | 48.0 | Bronze |
| | 22 | Lambert Vineyards (4) 2004 Reserve Shiraz..... | 53.5 | Silver |

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| 23 | Gallop Creek Wines 2004 Shiraz | 43.0 | |
| 24 | Little Bridge Wines 2005 Shiraz | 45.5 | |
| 25 | Barton Estate 2004 Shiraz | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 26 | Lambert Vineyards (2) 2005 Reserve Shiraz | 55.5 | Gold |
| 27 | McWilliam's Wines (2) 2004 Barwang Shiraz | 51.5 | Silver |
| 28 | McWilliam's Wines (3) 2005 Barwang Shiraz | 55.5 | Gold |
| 29 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia (3) 2005 Tumberumba Shiraz Viognier | 43.5 | |

Judges Comments:

Just a great class of wines with the terroir pedigree of the region threaded through it. Very difficult to judge because of the strength of the regional styles. One of Australia's best Shiraz regions.

Class 18 Merlot

| | | | |
|----|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Pialligo Estate 2005 Merlot | 49.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Long Rail Gully Wines 2005 Merlot | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 3 | Lerida Estate (1) 2005 Lake George Merlot | 45.0 | |
| 4 | Lambert Vineyards (2) 2004 Merlot | 42.5 | |
| 5 | Cuttaway Hill Estate 2005 Merlot | 40.0 | |
| 6 | Kyeema Wines (1) 2005 Merlot | 44.5 | |
| 7 | Lambert Vineyards (1) 2005 Merlot | 41.5 | |
| 8 | Barton Estate 2004 Merlot | 42.5 | |
| 9 | Lerida Estate (2) 2004 Lake George Merlot | 43.5 | |
| 10 | Kyeema Wines (2) 2004 Merlot | 48.0 | Bronze |

| Class 19 Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Sauvignon Blends | | |
|--|--|-------------|
| 1 | Shaw Vineyard Estate (1) 2004 Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 51.0 Silver |
| 2 | Yarrh Wines (2) 2003 Cabernet Sauvignon | 42.0 |
| 3 | Shaw Vineyard Estate (3) 2004 Cabernet Shiraz..... | 52.0 Silver |
| 4 | Pankhurst Wines 2004 Dorothy May Cabernet Merlot..... | 46.5 Bronze |
| 5 | Wimbaliri 2004 Cabernet Merlot | 45.0 |
| 6 | Lambert Vineyards 2004 Cabernet Merlot..... | 51.0 Silver |
| 7 | Wallaroo Wines 2004 Cabernet Sauvignon | 42.0 |
| 8 | Jeir Creek Wines 2004 Cabernet Merlot | 43.0 |
| 9 | Kyeema Wines 2004 Cabernet Merlot | 45.5 |
| 10 | McWilliam's Wines (2) 2004 Barwang Hilltops Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 49.0 Bronze |
| 11 | Chalkers Crossing Pty Ltd 2005 Hilltops Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 47.5 Bronze |
| 12 | Dionysus Winery 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon | 42.5 |
| 13 | Yarrh Wines (1) 2004 Cabernet Sauvignon | 43.0 |
| 14 | Helm Wines (1) 2003 Premium Cabernet Sauvignon | 41.5 |
| 15 | Shaw Vineyard Estate (2) 2004 Cabernet Merlot | 45.5 |
| 16 | McWilliam's Wines (1) 2005 Barwang Hilltops Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 54.0 Silver |
| 17 | Yarrh Wines (3) 2004 Cabernet Shiraz | 44.5 |
| 18 | Surveyor's Hill Vineyards 2004 Cabernet Franc Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot | 42.5 |
| 19 | Little Bridge Wines 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 51.0 Silver |
| 20 | Barton Estate 2004 Synergy Cabernets Merlot | 42.5 |
| 21 | Withdrawn | |
| 22 | McWilliam's Wines (3) 2003 Barwang Hilltops Cabernet Sauvignon | 45.5 |

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| 23 | Helm Wines (2) 2003 Cabernet Sauvignon | 44.0 | |
| Class 20 Dry Red - Other Varieties and Blends - variety or blend must be given | | | |
| 1 | Withdrawn | | |
| 2 | Surveyor's Hill Vineyards (2) 2005 Touriga Shiraz | 44.0 | |
| 3 | Bidgeebong Wines Australia 2004 Tempranillo | 47.0 | Bronze |
| 4 | Withdrawn | | |
| 5 | Withdrawn | | |
| 6 | Surveyor's Hill Vineyards (1) 2005 Cabernet Franc | 47.5 | Bronze |

Any Vintage**Minimum Volume 40 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled**

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| Class 21 Bottle Fermented Sparkling - White Pink or Red | | | |
| TOP 1 | Kosciusko Wines 2005 Pinot Chardonnay..... | 55.5 | Gold |
| 2 | Gallagher Wines (2) 2004 Sparkling Shiraz | 43.0 | |
| 3 | Coolangatta Estate 2003 CJB Sparkling Chardonnay | 43.0 | |
| 4 | Wallaroo Wines 2006 Sparkling Riesling | 44.5 | |
| 5 | Cuttaway Hill Estate (2) 2004 Laurence Sparkling Cabernet Sauvignon..... | 48.0 | Bronze |
| 6 | Pankhurst Wines 2004 Adela Cabernet Sauvignon Sparkling | 43.0 | |
| 7 | Jeir Creek Wines 2004 Sparkling Shiraz | 42.5 | |
| 8 | Cuttaway Hill Estate (1) 2005 Laurence Sparkling Chardonnay Pinot Noir | 44.5 | |
| 9 | Gallagher Wines (1) 2005 Blanc De Blancs | 51.5 | Silver |

Judges Comments:

A couple of excellent Australian sparkling wines with the gold medal having lovely fruit finesse and balance.

Class 22 Sweet White Table Wine

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|---|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Lerida Estate 2006 Lake George Late Harvest Pinot Gris | 46.0 | |
| 2 | Helm Wines 2007 Half Dry Riesling | 45.0 | |
| 3 | Surveyor's Hill Vineyards 2004 Autumn Gold Sauvignon Blanc Semillon | 46.0 | |
| 4 | Jeir Creek Wines 2005 Botrytis Semillon Sauvignon Blanc..... | 51.0 | Silver |

**SPECIAL CLASSES
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**Museum Wines – 2002 and Older
Minimum Volume 2 dozen, 750ml or equivalent bottled**

Class 23 Dry White

| | | | |
|-------|--|------|--------|
| 1 | Coolangatta Estate (1) 2000 Alexander Berry Chardonnay..... | 49.5 | Bronze |
| 2 | Pankhurst Wines 2002 Chardonnay | 44.0 | |
| 3 | McWilliam's Wines 1996 Barwang Chardonnay..... | 46.5 | Bronze |
| 4 | Coolangatta Estate (2) 1998 Semillon | 51.5 | Silver |
| TOP 5 | Wallaroo Wines 2002 Riesling | 55.5 | Gold |

Judges Comments:

Some excellent aged white wines.

Class 24 Dry Red

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|-------|--|------|--------|
| 1 | McWilliam's Wines (4) 1997 Barwang Cabernet Sauvignon | 45.0 | |
| TOP 2 | McWilliam's Wines (3) 1997 Barwang Shiraz..... | 55.5 | Gold |
| 3 | Gallop Creek Wines 2002 Shiraz | 40.5 | |
| 4 | McWilliam's Wines (2) 2002 Barwang Cabernet Sauvignon | 44.5 | |
| 5 | McWilliam's Wines (1) 2002 Barwang Shiraz..... | 52.0 | Silver |

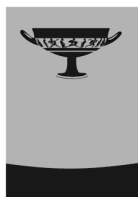
Judges Comments:

Shiraz outshines cabernet in Canberra region and surrounding districts.

EXHIBITORS

| | |
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| Barton Estate 2307 Barton Highway MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 2582 | 2, 5, 10, 17, 18, 19 |
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| Cuttaway Hill Estate Old Hume Highway MITTAGONG NSW 2575 | 3, 7, 8, 9, 18, 21 |
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| Long Rail Gully Wines PO Box 3141 MURRUMBATEMAN NSW 2582 | 5, 16, 17, 18 |
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| Mount Majura Vineyard RMB 314 Majura Road MAJURA ACT 2609 | 1, 3, 4, 7, 10, 11, 14 |
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