



**GREAT RESULTS AT BRISBANE WINE SHOW:  
11 TROPHIES, 29 GOLD MEDALS... NOT A BAD NIGHT OUT!**

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The Foster's Wine Business has enjoyed remarkable results at the first wine show of the season – the 2010 Brisbane Wine Show – winning 11 trophies and 29 gold medals, including three trophies for the 2005 Leo Buring Leonay Watervale Riesling, which won Best Mature White Wine, Best Aged Riesling and the Best Wine of Show.<sup>1</sup>

Foster's Chief Winemaker Chris Hatcher immediately texted the winemaking team with the news:

Great results at Brisbane, 11 Trophies and 29 Golds.  
Not a bad night out! Hatch

The Foster's Chardonnay portfolio continued its winning form from 2009, with the 2009 Wolf Blass White Label Adelaide Hills Chardonnay winning a trophy for Best Dry White<sup>2</sup>, while the 2007 Penfolds Bin A Adelaide Hills Chardonnay won a trophy for Best Chardonnay.<sup>3</sup>

Other trophy winners in the Foster's wine portfolio were for Best Shiraz<sup>4</sup> for the 2008 Wolf Blass Platinum Label Barossa Shiraz, Best Pinot Noir<sup>5</sup> for the 2009 Tollana Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir and Best Red<sup>6</sup> for the 2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge Shiraz Cabernet. The 2008 Pepperjack Barossa Shiraz Viognier won Best Dry Red Wine in commercial classes.<sup>7</sup>

The trophies for the 2008 reds out of the Barossa are of particular interest, proving that fruit picked before the March heatwave has provided an exceptional Barossa vintage.

Regarding the three trophies for the 2005 Leo Buring Leonay Watervale Riesling, Leo Buring winemaker Peter Munro says the wine has an exceptional future ahead of it.

“We made a conscious decision to hold this wine back in order to release it as a mature release and it's really starting to hit its straps,” Peter said.

“The wine has the texture, acidity, fruit and structure to age gracefully for twenty years and it's under screw-cap which certainly provides comfort for Riesling lovers who want to see how this wine evolves,” Peter said.

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<sup>1</sup> The Bilinda Pty Ltd Trophy for the best Mature White Wine, two years and older in classes 25 to 28  
The Brisbane Club Trophy for the Best Aged Riesling 2 Years and Over in Classes 25 & 46  
The Courier-Mail Trophy for the Champion Wine selected from all Trophy winning wines, excluding current vintage whites, one year old reds and fortified wine

<sup>2</sup> The Dinner At Eight Club Trophy for the Best Dry White Wine in Classes 9 to 14

<sup>3</sup> The A O Fleming Trophy for Best Chardonnay of the Show in classes 11, 26 & 47

<sup>4</sup> The Brisbane Club Trophy for the Best Dry Red Shiraz Wine in Mature Class 32

<sup>5</sup> The Wine Emporium Trophy for the Best Pinot Noir of the show in classes 17, 31 & 55

<sup>6</sup> The Alan Cook MBE Trophy for the Best Red Table Wine in Mature Classes 30 to 38

<sup>7</sup> The Ian Thornquest Trophy for the Best Dry Red Wine in commercial classes 54 to 62

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On the Chardonnay front, The 2007 Penfolds Reserve Bin A Adelaide Hills Chardonnay trophy win adds to its recent success including three trophies at the 2009 Royal Hobart Wine Show, two trophies at the 2009 Adelaide Hills Wine Show and one trophy at the 2009 Royal Melbourne Wine Show.

Wolf Blass's recent Chardonnay success includes winning three trophies at the 2009 Royal Adelaide Wine Show for the 2007 White Label Chardonnay.

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<i>WINE</i>	<i>RRP</i>	<i>RELEASE DATE</i>
Leo Buring Leonay Watervale Riesling 2005	\$39.99	TBC – F11
Penfolds Reserve Bin A Adelaide Hills Chardonnay 2007	\$89.99	Available now
Wolf Blas White Label Adelaide Hills Chardonnay 2009	\$42.99	TBC
Wolf Blass Platinum Label Barossa Shiraz 2008	\$169.99	Sept 2011
Pepperjack Barossa Shiraz Viognier 2008	\$26.99	Available now

***2010 Royal Brisbane Wine Show – Foster's trophy & gold medal winners:***

2005	Leo Buring Leonay Watervale Riesling	3 Trophies & Gold
2008	Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge	Trophy & Gold
2007	Penfolds Reserve Bin A Chardonnay	Trophy & Gold
2009	Tollana Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir	Trophy & Gold
2008	Pepperjack Shiraz Viognier	Trophy & Gold
2009	Wolf Blass White Label Chardonnay	Trophy & Gold
2008	Wolf Blass Platinum Label Shiraz	Trophy & Gold
2009	Annie's Lane Riesling	Gold
2009	Annie's Lane Copper Trail Cabernet Sauvignon	Gold
2009	Annie's Lane Copper Trail SGM	Gold
2006	Annie's Lane Copper Trail Shiraz	Gold
2008	Annie's Lane Copper Trail Shiraz	Gold
2006	Coldstream Hills Sparkling Chardonnay Pinot Noir	Gold
2008	Coldstream Hills Pinot Noir	Gold
NV	Greg Norman Sparkling	Gold
2007	Heemskerk Chardonnay Pinot Noir	Gold
2008	Heemskerk Chardonnay Pinot Noir	Gold
2009	Ingoldby Shiraz	Gold
2009	Jamiesons Run Chardonnay	Gold
2009	Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge	Gold
2008	Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red	Gold
2009	Penfolds Reserve Bin A Chardonnay	Gold
NV	Penfolds Great Grandfather	Gold
2008	Rosemount Show Reserve Coonawarra Cab. Sauv.	Gold
2008	St Huberts Pinot Noir	Gold
2008	Tollana Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir	Gold
2009	Wynns V & A Shiraz	Gold
2008	Wynns Michael Shiraz	Gold
NV	Yellowglen Perle NV	Gold

***Official classes and trophy names overleaf***

# 2010 Royal Queensland Wine Show

## Foster's Group

### TROPHY DETAILS



THE DINNER AT EIGHT CLUB TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Dry White Wine in Classes 9 to 14

#### **WON BY**

2009 Wolf Blass White Label Chardonnay

Class 11 Cat No 29

### TROPHY DETAILS



THE BILINDA PTY LTD TROPHY

for the best Gold Medal winning Mature White Wine, two years and older in classes 25 to 28

#### **WON BY**

2005 Leo Buring Leonay Maturation Release Riesling

Class 25 Cat No 13

### TROPHY DETAILS



THE A O FLEMING TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Chardonnay of the Show in classes 11, 26 & 47

#### **WON BY**

2007 Penfolds Reserve Bin A Chardonnay

Class 26 Cat No 1

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE BRISBANE CLUB TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Aged Riesling 2 Years and Over in Classes 25 & 46

### **WON BY**

2005 Leo Buring Leonay Maturation Release Riesling

Class 25 Cat No 13

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE IAN THORNQUEST TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Dry Red Wine in commercial classes 54 to 62

### **WON BY**

2008 Pepperjack Shiraz Viognier

Class 58 Cat No 2

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE WINE EMPORIUM TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Pinot Noir of the show in classes 17, 31 & 55

### **WON BY**

2009 Tollana Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir 2009

Class 17 Cat No 7

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE BRISBANE CLUB TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Dry Red Shiraz Wine in Mature Class 32

### **WON BY**

2008 Wolf Blass Platinum Shiraz

Class 32 Cat No 158

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE ALAN COOK MBE TROPHY

for the Best Gold Medal winning Red Table Wine in Mature Classes 30 to 38

### **WON BY**

2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge

Class 35 Cat No 8

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE DAN O'CONNOR TROPHY

awarded to the Exhibitor securing the highest number of points in Wine and Brandy Classes

### **WON BY**

Foster's Group Ltd

## TROPHY DETAILS



THE RNA MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR TROPHY

for the Most Successful Exhibitor in the commercial classes 46 to 67

### **WON BY**

Foster's Group Ltd

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THE COURIER-MAIL TROPHY

for the Champion Wine selected from all Trophy winning wines, excluding current vintage whites, one year old reds and fortified wines

### **WON BY**

2005 Leo Buring Leonay Maturation Release Riesling

Class 25 Cat No 13