Topper's Mountain

WINE OF NEW ENGLAND, AUSTRALIA

2011 Topper's Mountain Bricolage Rouge

Our flagship red blend varies each vintage to bring you the best single estate blended red wine we can. This vintage its an exciting blend of Nebbiolo, Shiraz, Tempranillo & Tannat. Rose petals, raspberry, tar & savoury spice aromas with a long, fleshy & yet silky tannin finish. 2011 was a coolish & damp vintage.

Alcohol:	13.4%
Standard Drinks:	7.9
Preservatives:	Contains sulphites
Allergens:	Using traditional winemaking practices, egg white has been used as a fining agent to enhance wine structure. Traces may remain.
Cellar:	2022
Food Match:	Pan fried duck breast covered in saffron & elderberry sauce with brocollini and parsnips.
RRP:	$38
Production:	Very limited/2020 bottles produced
Accolades	2013 NSW Wine Awards—Silver medal, NSW Top Wine.
	2014 Hong Kong Int'l Wine & Spirits Comp—2 Silver medals tasted with & without food.
	2014 Int'l Wine & Spirits Comp, London—Bronze medal

Topper's Mountain, New England

Topper's Mountain vineyard is a high-altitude, cool climate vineyard near Armidale in the GI of "New England, Australia" on the western edge of the New England Tablelands at an altitude of 900m . The vineyard is situated on beautiful, deep, red volcanic soils on the watershed high above the valleys of the Gwydir & MacIntyre Rivers.

Toppers Mountain are the leading exponent of rare & non-mainstream varieties in New England & Australia such as Gewurztraminer, Tempranillo, Touriga, Pinotage, Nebbiolo, Barbera, Petit Manseng, Tannat & Tinta Cao with some Sauvignon Blanc, Pinot Noir & Chardonnay thrown in for good measure!

2011 saw the first release of the Topper's Mountain wild ferment Viognier, barrel ferment Petit Manseng & Vintage Touriga (vintage port). Our Red Earth Child, Nebbiolo, Tannat & Pinotage Viognier are already receiving critical acclaim from the likes of James Halliday, Simon Hughes, Nick Ryan & Tony Harper.

"Topper's Mountain" is owned by Mark & Stephanie Kirkby & their three daughters.

Vigneron: Mark Kirkby   Winemaker: Mike Hayes