



WAKEFIELD

THE PIONEER SHIRAZ 2014

Clare Valley, Australia

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POINTS

Wine Spectator
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DECEMBER 2018

Thick and dense, but there's some polish to the tannins, with black walnut, vanilla, mocha and cassis flavors at the core. Generous and velvety on the spicy, espresso-laced finish. Drink now through 2034. — M.W.

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 **WINEENTHUSIAST**
MAGAZINE

SEPTEMBER 2020

...Dense and chocolatey, like a Black Forest cake, ...reveals lighter, more tangy red-fruit and licorice notes. There's plenty of wood-spice and cola character from the oak influence, too. The palate is held firmly in place by powerful, woody tannins but the fruit is rich enough to hold its own. Big, polished... this should continue to cellar until 2029. — C.P.