



National Vintage Report to be released on July 17

The Winemakers' Federation of Australia will be releasing the annual Vintage Report at the upcoming SA Winegrape Growers Summit.

Last year's Vintage Report highlighted the need for structural adjustment to grow demand for wine and to recapture share and margin. See a summary of the Federation's recovery plan here.

"I look forward to releasing the 2015 Vintage Report at the Summit as this latest information aims to help inform business decision-making going forward," Mr Evans said.

Data for this year's Vintage Report was collected through the new national Wine Sector Survey administered by Wine Australia.

The Wine Sector Survey 2015 combined the annual data collected by the Federation's Vintage Survey, Wine Australia's Price Dispersion Survey, the South Australian Crush Survey and the Murray-Darling / Swan Hill Wine Grape Crush Report.

Wine Grape Council of South Australia Chairman Simon Berry said the summit would be held at Adelaide Oval on **Friday, 17 July**.

"Having the Winemakers Federation of Australia involved in our meeting will add value to our goal of providing SA winegrape growers with current market information to assist them in running their vineyard businesses," Mr Berry said.

Other summit speakers include Marc Soccio from Rabobank, Professor Kym Anderson (AO) from the University of Adelaide, and well-known business commentator Michael Pascoe, as well as Brett McKinnon from Pernod-Ricard Winemakers and Stephen Strachan from Gaetjens-Langley.

Tickets cost \$190 (\$125 for SA grapegrowers) and can be booked online at www.wgcsa.com.au or call 08 8351 4378.

Media Note: Mr Evans will be releasing the 2015 Vintage Report at approximately 10am on Friday, July 17, in the William Magarey Room, Riverbank Stand at the Adelaide Oval. Copies of the report will be available onsite.

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