



SHIRAZ SA  
CHALLENGE  
2021

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Shiraz SA herewith extends an invitation to all producers of Shiraz to submit their entries for the 2021 **“Shiraz SA Wine Challenge”**. The competition is presented for the ninth time with the support of Vinventions SA.

Twelve local Shiraz wines, 3 Shiraz blends and 1 Shiraz rosé wine will be selected as winners to further the organisation’s main objective; **“To develop and promote the image of South African wine produced from this noble cultivar.”**

Shiraz SA rig hiermee ’n uitnodiging aan alle produsente van Shiraz om vir die 2021 **“Shiraz SA Wine Challenge”** in te skryf. Die kompetisie word vir die negende keer aangebied met die ondersteuning van Vinventions SA.

Twaalf plaaslike Shiraz-wyne, 3 Shiraz-versnitte en 1 Shiraz-roséwyn sal as wenners aangewys word om sodoende uitvoering te verleen aan die organisasie se hoofdoelstelling; **“Om die beeld van Suid-Afrikaanse wyn wat van hierdie edelvariëteit gemaak is, uit te bou en te bevorder.”**

IMPORTANT DATES | BELANGRIKE DATUMS

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| Closing date for entries   Sluitingsdatum vir inskrywings           | 14 May/Mei 2021 (17:00)                     |
| Closing date for late entries   Sluitingsdatum vir laat inskrywings | 21 May/Mei 2021 (17:00)                     |
| Wine delivery dates   Datums vir wynaflewering                      | 27 or/of 28 May/Mei 2021<br>(09:00 – 16:00) |
| Judging   Beoordeling   | 1 - 4 June/Junie 2021                       |
| Awards Function   Toekenningsfunksie                                | 8 July/Julie 2021                           |



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## RULES & CONDITIONS

**KINDLY ENSURE THAT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS STUDIED CAREFULLY TO AVOID DISQUALIFICATION OR FORFEITURE OF FEES.**

For further information or queries, please contact the office. (See contact details on the front page.)

### 1. ENTRIES

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- 1.1 Closing date for entries:  
**Friday 14 May 2021 (17:00)**
- 1.2 Closing date for late entries:  
**Friday 21 May 2021 (17:00)**
- 1.3 Entry forms (attached) should reach the office by the above-mentioned date via e-mail.  
(See contact details on front page.)
- 1.4 Kindly note: **A separate entry form should be completed for each category** with the category clearly indicated on the form.
- 1.5 Copies of the WSR2A and WSR4A must be included for each wine entered.  
The analysis (if not on the above) should also be included.  
**NB: If the WSR4A is not available right away, it must reach the office on Friday 28 May 2021 to avoid disqualification.**
- 1.6 Kindly also forward the following:
  - Pack shot of wine
  - Short wine description in Word
  - Picture of wine maker

### 2. ENTRY FEES

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- 2.1 Entry fees for members of Shiraz SA:  
**R650 per wine**  
**Kindly note: Membership fees must be fully paid to qualify.**
- 2.2 Entry fees for non-members of Shiraz SA:  
**R1 000 per wine.**
- 2.3 Entry fees for non-members of Shiraz SA wishing to join the association **R1 200 for the first wine, R650 per wine for more. (This fee covers the entry fee and membership fee until 30 June 2022. Please indicate on your entry form.)**
- 2.4 Payment together with proof of payment for entries should be received by **28 May 2021** to avoid disqualification.

## REËLS & VOORWAARDES

**MAAK ASSEBLIEF SEKER DAT U DIE VOLGENDE INLIGTING NOUKEURIG BESTUDEER OM DISKWALIFIKASIE TE VERMY OF GELDE TE VERBEUR.**

Vir verdere inligting of navrae, kontak asb. die kantoor. (Sien kontakbesonderhede op die voorblad.)

### 1. INSKRYWINGS

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- 1.1 Sluitingsdatum vir inskrywings:  
**Vrydag 14 Mei 2021 (17:00)**
- 1.2 Sluitingsdatum vir laat inskrywings:  
**Vrydag 21 Mei 2021 (17:00)**
- 1.3 Inskrywingsvorme (aangeheg) moet die kantoor voor bogenoemde datum en tyd per e-pos bereik.  
(Sien voorblad vir kontakbesonderhede.)
- 1.4 Let wel: **'n Aparte inskrywingsvorm moet vir elke kategorie voltooi word** met die kategorie duidelik op die vorm aangedui.
- 1.5 Afskrifte van die WSR2A en WSR4A moet elke wyn wat ingeskryf word, vergesel.  
Die analise (indien nie op bg.) moet ook ingesluit word.  
**NB: Indien die WSR4A nie dadelik beskikbaar is nie, moet dit die kantoor bereik op Vrydag 28 Mei 2021 om diskwalifikasie te vermy.**
- 1.6 Sluit asb. ook die volgende in:
  - "Pack shot" van wyn
  - Kort wynbeskrywing in Word
  - Foto van wynmaker

### 2. INSKRYWINGSFOOIE

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- 2.1 Inskrywingsfooi vir lede van Shiraz SA:  
**R650 per wyn**  
**Let Wel: Lidmaatskapfooi moet ten volle betaald wees om te kwalifiseer.**
- 2.2 Inskrywingsfooi vir nie-lede van Shiraz SA:  
**R1 000 per wyn.**
- 2.3 Inskrywingsfooi vir nie-lede van Shiraz SA wat by die assosiasie wil aansluit **R1 200 vir eerste wyn, R650 per wyn vir meer. (Hierdie fooi dek inskrywing asook lidmaatskap tot 30 Junie 2022. Dui asseblief aan op inskrywingsvorm.)**
- 2.4 Betaling, tesame met betalingsbewys vir inskrywings, moet teen **28 Mei 2021** ontvang word om diskwalifikasie te vermy.

- 2.5 An additional fee of **R300** per wine will be charged for late entries for both members and non-members.
- 2.6 Invoices will be issued for each payment received.
- 2.7 Entry fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- 2.8 Entry fees are payable to Shiraz SA.  
*Banking details:*  
NAME: Shiraz SA  
BANK: Nedbank  
BRANCH CODE: 198765  
ACCOUNT NO.: 201 027 3400 (Savings)

### **3. REQUIREMENTS TO PARTICIPATE**

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- 3.1 Producers must have the following quantity in stock:
- **A minimum of 300 bottles**  
50 cases (6 x 750 ml) or  
25 cases (12 x 750 ml)

**NB: This stock must be available at the time of judging and until the awards ceremony.**

- 3.2 The organisers reserve the right to physically conduct inspections to verify stock and may demand proof that stock is indeed available for sale.

### **4. WINES FOR JUDGING**

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- 4.1 There is no restriction on the number of wines a producer may enter.
- 4.2 Any vintage may be entered.
- 4.3 Wines entered must be bottled, labelled and finally certified.
- 4.4 If a wine is marketed under different labels, it may only be entered once, i.e. under one of those labels.

### **5. CATEGORIES**

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- 5.1 **Shiraz:**  
Must be certified by the Wine & Spirits Board as **Shiraz** (i.e., 85% minimum Shiraz).
- 5.2 **Shiraz Blends:**  
May be a blend of Shiraz with any other cultivar(s) provided that:
- The percentage Shiraz does not represent less than 30%
  - Should it be less than 30%, Shiraz should be the dominant component.

- 2.5 'n Bykomende fooi van **R300** per wyn sal gehef word vir laat inskrywings vir beide lede en nie-lede.
- 2.6 Fature sal uitgereik word vir elke betaling wat ontvang word.
- 2.7 Inskrywingsfooie sal onder geen omstandighede terugbetaal word nie.
- 2.8 Inskrywingsfooie is betaalbaar aan Shiraz SA.  
*Bankbesonderhede:*  
NAAM: Shiraz SA  
BANK: Nedbank  
TAKKODE: 198765  
REKENING-NR.. 201 027 3400 (Spaar)

### **3. VEREISTES VIR DEELNAME**

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- 3.1 Produsente moet oor die volgende voorraad beskik:
- **'n Minimum van 300 bottels**  
50 kiste (6 x 750ml) of  
25 kiste (12 x 750 ml)

**NB: Hierdie voorraad moet beskikbaar wees ten tyde van die beoordeling en tot en met die toekenningsfunksie.**

- 3.2 Die organiseerders behou die reg voor om voorrade d.m.v. fisiese inspeksies te kontroleer en kan dokumentêre bewys vereis dat voorraad op hande wel te koop is.

### **4. WYN VIR BEOORDELING**

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- 4.1 Daar is geen beperking op die aantal wyne wat 'n produseerder mag inskryf nie.
- 4.2 Enige oesjare mag ingeskryf word.
- 4.3 Wyne wat ingeskryf word moet gebottleer, geëtiketteer en finaal gesertifiseer wees.
- 4.4 Indien 'n wyn onder verskillende etikette bemerk word, mag dit slegs onder een van die etikette ingeskryf word.

### **5. KATEGORIË**

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- 5.1 **Shiraz:**  
Dit moet gesertifiseer wees deur die Wyn- & Spiritusraad as **Shiraz** (m.a.w. 85% minimum Shiraz).
- 5.2 **Shiraz-versnitte:**  
Mag 'n versnit van enige kultivar(s) wees op voorwaarde dat:
- Die persentasie Shiraz nie minder as 30% is nie
  - Indien dit minder as 30% is, Shiraz die oorwegende komponent uitmaak

5.3 **Shiraz Rosé:**  
May be 100% Shiraz or a blend.  
In the case of a blend the percentage Shiraz should not be less than 15%.

5.4 **Kindly note:**  
Wine/s may be entered in only **one** of the above-mentioned categories.

## 6. DELIVERY OF WINES

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6.1 **Six (6)** bottles (750 ml each) must be delivered between **09:00** and **16:00** on **Thursday 27 or Friday 28 May 2021** to:  
**Visitor's Centre, Nederburg, Sonstraal Road, Paarl (Map included)**  
Contact: Serena Hesebeck – 079 808 8993

**Please adhere to these times.**

6.2 Each case should be clearly marked:  
Name of producer  
Shiraz Challenge 2021  
Category entered for  
Name & vintage of wine (Form enclosed)

6.3 A delivery note, completed in duplicate, must accompany your delivery. (A signed copy will be returned to you to acknowledge receipt of your wine.)

6.4 If you make use of a courier for delivery, **please supply them with directions to Nederburg.**

6.5 Kindly note: It is not necessary to send original entry forms with your delivery.

## 7. COMMITMENTS FOR PRODUCERS OF FINALIST WINES

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7.1 Producers of wines that progress to the **25** Shiraz finalists will supply Shiraz SA with **6 x 750 ml labelled bottles** for the tasting and lunch at the Awards Function, as well as for marketing and promotion purposes.

7.2 Producers of the **6** Shiraz blend and Shiraz Rosé finalists will supply Shiraz SA with **6 x 750 ml labelled bottles** for the Awards Function, as well as for marketing and promotion purposes.

7.3 Producers will be informed in terms of the time, date and place for delivery of the above wines.

7.4 Producers failing to deliver stock as set out in this catalogue, will be disqualified from the competition and any awards will be forfeited.

5.3 **Shiraz Rosé:**  
Mag 100% Shiraz of 'n versnit wees.  
In die geval van 'n versnit mag die persentasie Shiraz nie minder as 15% wees nie.

5.4 **Let wel:**  
Wyn/e mag slegs in **een** van bg. kategorië ingeskryf word.

## 6. AFLEWERING VAN WYNE

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6.1 **Ses (6)** bottels (750 ml elk) moet afgelewer word tussen **09:00** en **16:00** op **Donderdag 27 of Vrydag 28 Mei 2021:**  
**Besoekersentrum, Nederburg, Sonstraalpad, Paarl (Kaart ingesluit)**  
Kontak: Serena Hesebeck – 079 808 8993

**Hou asseblief by hierdie tye.**

6.2 Elke kis moet duidelik gemerk word:  
Naam van produsent  
Shiraz Challenge 2021  
Kategorie waarvoor ingeskryf word  
Naam en oesjaar van wyn (Vorm ingesl)

6.3 'n Aflewingsnota, in duplikaat voltooi, moet u aflewering vergesel. ('n Getekende kopie sal aan u terugbesorg word as erkenning van ontvangs van u wyn.)

6.4 Indien u van 'n koerier vir aflewering gebruik maak, **voorsien hulle asb. van aanwysings na Nederburg.**

6.5 Let wel: Dit is nie nodig om oorspronklike inskrywingsvorme saam met u aflewering te stuur nie.

## 7. VERPLIGTINGE VIR PRODUSENTE VAN FINALISWYNE

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7.1 Produsente wat as die **25** Shiraz-finaliste aangewys word, moet Shiraz SA voorsien van **6 x 750 ml geëtiketteerde bottels** vir die proe en ete by die Toekenningsfunksie, asook vir bemarking- en promosiedoeleindes.

7.2 Produsente van die **6** finalis Shiraz-versnitte en Shiraz Rosé-finaliste moet Shiraz SA voorsien van **6 x 750 ml geëtiketteerde bottels** vir die Toekenningsfunksie, asook vir bemarking- en promosiedoeleindes.

7.3 Produsente sal ingelig word in terme van die tyd, datum en plek van aflewering van bovermelde wyne.

7.4 Produsente wat versuim om voorraad te lewer soos in hierdie katalogus uiteengesit, sal gediskwalifiseer word en enige toekennings verbeur.

## 8. WINNERS

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- 8.1 Producers of the winning 12 Shiraz wines will supply Shiraz SA with an additional **12 bottles** that will be utilised for the Shiraz Technical Workshop and any marketing opportunities that may arise.
- 8.2 Producers of the three winning Shiraz Blends and one Shiraz Rosé will supply Shiraz SA with an additional 6 bottles, that will be utilised for marketing and promotion purposes.
- 8.3 A producer of a winning wine will receive an engraved trophy, as well as a framed certificate.
- 8.4 A producer of a winning wine will receive 2 000 bottle stickers free of charge. Thereafter stickers can be purchased from **Shiraz SA**.

## 9. GENERAL

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- 9.1 Upon signing the entry form(s) for this competition, permission is granted that Shiraz SA may make available to Stellenbosch University all information (sensory and other), as well as scores, for the purpose of statistical analyses.
- 9.2 All information will be treated as highly confidential.
- 9.3 The results of the Shiraz SA Wine Challenge will be final and binding and no *ex post facto* deliberation or correspondence will be entered into after the results have been announced.
- 9.4 The Management Committee of Shiraz SA, sponsors, Stellenbosch University and the organisers of this competition shall not be responsible in any way for fruitless expenditure, loss or damage of whatever nature which may occur as a result of a participant's entry.
- 9.5 Where two consecutive bottles of wine are found to be corked or revealing any unacceptable wine characteristics, the entry will be disqualified.
- 9.6 A participant may obtain his/her results after the Awards Function by sending an e-mail to [info@shirazsa.co.za](mailto:info@shirazsa.co.za).
- 9.7 Producers will be contacted in terms of any additional promotional opportunities that may occur.

## 8. WENNERS

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- 8.1 Produsente van die 12 Shiraz-wyne moet Shiraz SA voorsien van 'n bykomende **12 bottels** vir gebruik by die Shiraz Tegnieuse Werkswinkel en enige ander bemarkings-geleentheid wat mag voorkom.
- 8.2 Produsente van die drie Shiraz-versnitwyne en een Shiraz Rosé-wyn moet Shiraz SA voorsien van 'n bykomende 6 bottels, wat vir bemarking- en promosiedoeleindes aangewend sal word.
- 8.3 'n Produsent van 'n wenwyn sal 'n gegraveerde trofee, asook 'n geraamde sertifikaat ontvang.
- 8.4 'n Produsent van 'n wenwyn sal 2 000 gratis bottelplakkers ontvang. Bykomende plakkers kan van **Shiraz SA** aangekoop word.

## 9. ALGEMEEN

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- 9.1 Produsente wat deelneem aan hierdie kompetisie, verleen met die ondertekening van die inskrywingsvorm, toestemming dat Shiraz SA alle inligting (sensories en ander), asook puntetellings, aan Universiteit Stellenbosch vir statistiese ontledings beskikbaar mag stel.
- 9.2 Alle inligting sal streng vertroulik hanteer word.
- 9.3 Die uitslag van die Shiraz SA Wine Challenge is finaal en bindend en geen *ex post facto* beredenerings of korrespondensie sal gevoer word nadat die uitslag bekend gemaak is nie.
- 9.4 Die Bestuur van Shiraz SA, borge, Stellenbosch Universiteit en die organiseerders van hierdie kompetisie sal op geen wyse aanspreeklik wees vir enige vrugtelose uitgawes, verlies of skade wat mag voortspruit uit 'n deelnemer se deelname aan hierdie kompetisie nie.
- 9.5 Wanneer twee agtereenvolgende bottels van 'n inskrywing met 'n kurkfout of enige onaanvaarbare wyneienskappe geïdentifiseer word, sal die inskrywing gediskwalifiseer word.
- 9.6 'n Produsent kan sy/haar uitslae aanvra na afloop van die Toekenningsfunksie deur 'n e-pos na [info@shirazsa.co.za](mailto:info@shirazsa.co.za) te stuur.
- 9.7 Produsente sal gekontak word met betrekking tot enige bykomende promosiegeleentheid wat mag voorkom.