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TERTINI WINES

TERTINI WINS GOLD AT SYDNEY ROYAL

Southern Highlands wine producer, **Tertini Wines**, has broken the big producer dominance of the Sydney Royal Wine Show with a Gold Medal for their 2005 Riesling.

In the process of being awarded a Gold Medal, the 2005 **Tertini** Riesling outscored wines from some of Australia's biggest wine producers and best-known wine regions including the two most famous Riesling regions in Australia; the Clare Valley and Eden Valley.

Tertini Wines Sales Manager, Robert Kay, said "Over the last 12 months **Tertini Wines** has won gold medals at every level of competition in Australia, from regional to national and capital city".

"While this is obviously good news for **Tertini Wines**, the results are also a clear endorsement for the Southern Highlands as an emerging cool climate region and for the vineyard management and winemaking expertise now resident in the region." , he said.

The upcoming Southern Highlands Regional Wine Show will provide locals and tourists alike with the opportunity to taste award-winning wines from all over the region during a public tasting at Craigieburn on Friday 26 February from 5pm – 7pm. Entry is just \$10 per person.

"Varieties like Riesling, Pinot Gris, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Pinot Noir and several others are ideally suited to our cool climate, producing elegant wines that are being recognised with awards at national and international wine shows", explained Mr. Kay. The small range of **Tertini Wines**, for example, has now won 128 medals and trophies at regional, national and international wine shows since their first vintage in 2005.

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