



HOWARD PARK
WINES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA



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The Socceros may be out of the world cup, but **Howard Park Wines** are once again proving that they are producing wines worthy of international acclaim.

Howard Park Wines which is celebrating its 20th Anniversary in 2006 has been awarded two gold medals in the Concours Mondial de Bruxelles Competition in Brussels. The competition received 5,447 entries from around the world, 64 were from Australia. **Howard Park Wines** is the only West Australian Winery to receive a medal. There were 19 medals given to Australian wineries.

The Gold Medals were awarded to the **2002 Howard Park Cabernet Sauvignon**, and **2004 Howard Park Chardonnay**. The Howard Park Cabernet Sauvignon is one of the Howard Park Wines flagship varietals and along with the Howard Park Riesling was the first varietal released in the Howard Park range.

Leading Australian Wine Writer James Halliday has previously described the 2002 Howard Park Cabernet Sauvignon as *"Perfectly ripened cabernet fruit; luscious blackcurrant tempered by just a touch of olive and earth...perfectly integrated."* awarding it 95 points in his 2006 Australian Wine Companion.

Howard Park Wines is becoming renowned for producing the best Great Southern Chardonnay that West Australia has to offer, the Gold Medal for the 2004 Howard Park Chardonnay reaffirms this belief.

Jeff and Amy Burch, owners of **Howard Park Wines** are thrilled with the Gold Medals and had this comment, *"We are very proud of the ongoing achievements of Howard Park Wines. With a swag of accolades already under our belt this is a fitting feat to celebrate our 20th year and continues to reinforce the outstanding performance of West Australian wines on the world stage in a very competitive environment."*

The Concours Mondial de Bruxelles was run from the 20th April 2006 to 23rd April 2006 in Brussels with each wine tasted by a panel of 7 judges. For more information regarding this competition please visit <http://www.concoursmondial.be>.

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