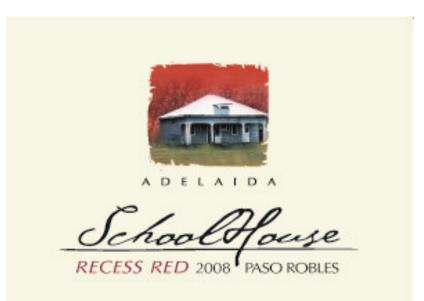
SCHOOLHOUSE RECESS RED 2008 Paso Robles

Syrah 26%, Cabernet Sauvignon 20%, Mourvedre 19%, Grenache 9%, Zinfandel 7%, Touriga Nacional 5%, Pinot Noir 5%, Cinsault 2%, Roussanne 4%

Adelaida's proprietary red table wine pays homage to the one room schoolhouse, a historic symbol of the regions past and the only remnant of the town that is our namesake. This year's blend combines seven varietals (mostly Estate grown grapes) and raises the bar for modestly priced table wine. Wines going into the Schoolhouse blend are sourced exclusively from Westside Paso vineyards and reflect sites that produce moderate intensity fruit more suitable for near term enjoyment. Emphasizing the heft of Syrah and the zesty berry flavor of Cabernet Sauvignon, its final form is shaped by the aromatics of Pinot Noir and Cabernet Franc plus three other grapes. Through many blending trials this eclectic wine was ultimately based on quality and flavor, not expediency.

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VINTAGE DETAILS:

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TECHNICAL DATA: Alcohol: 14.9%