



CABERNET SAUVIGNON

HORSE HEAVEN HILLS
2018

LIMITED RELEASE UP TO **1412**
TOTAL CASES



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TA: 0.54 g/100 mL

PH: 3.8

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

BLEND:

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

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VINTAGE NOTES

- 2018 was another stellar growing season and vintage in Washington.
- Warm spring temperatures were followed by mild conditions throughout the growing season allowing for extended hang time and flavor development.
- Warm fall days allowed for full ripeness and color, while cool Washington nights helped maintain crisp natural acidity.

VINEYARD NOTES

- 100% of the Cabernet Sauvignon fruit was sourced from Horse Heaven Hills AVA.
- The team sourced grapes from Dead Canyon Vineyard, Zephyr Ridge, Mercer Canyon and McKinley Springs to create this wine.

WINEMAKING NOTES

- Grapes were destemmed and sorted using cutting edge technology to gently handle fruit and remove any green material.
- Gentle pumpovers were used to extract optimal flavor and color and minimize harsh tannins.
- Aged in 23% New American Oak, 3% New French Oak, 60% Neutral French and 14% Neutral American Oak.

TASTING NOTES

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