



TA: 0.55 g/100mL

PH: 3.87

ALCOHOL: 14.8%

BLEND: 89% Petit Verdot, 8% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Syrah

CASE PRODUCTION:  
429

## COLUMBIA VALLEY

### 2019 Limited Release Petit Verdot

#### VINTAGE NOTES

- Winter temperatures were average preceding the 2019 growing season resulting in little to no vine damage and bud break occurred normally.
- Warm spring temperatures created excellent conditions for canopy growth and early fruit development.
- Summertime temperatures were mild followed by cooler fall temperatures which were ideal for maintaining acidity and developing beautiful fruit flavors and aromas.

#### VINEYARD NOTES

- 51% of the fruit was sourced from our Cold Creek Vineyard. The low yielding old vines produce small clusters, resulting in intense flavors.
- 46% of the fruit was sourced from our Canoe Ridge Estate Vineyard, which lies along the Columbia River in Washington's Horse Heaven Hills AVA.
- 3% Syrah from Archie Den Hoed vineyard rounded out the blend.

#### WINEMAKING NOTES

- Grapes were sorted with a new grape receiving system and MOG (materials other than grapes) separation system that gets fruit to the fermenters.
- Ripe grapes were destemmed and inoculated with a variety of yeasts for maximum complexity.
- Aged for 18 months in 28% new French oak and 5% new American oak, 67% neutral French oak.

#### RECOMMENDED FOOD PAIRINGS

- Enjoy this Petit Verdot with grilled red meats and smoked cheeses.

#### TASTING NOTES

"This grape is typically blended with other Bordeaux style varietals and contributes structure, dark color and weight to a wine. On its own, the purity of fruit presents hints of tangy blackberry with herbal notes of anise and black tea." – Holly Wells, Winemaker