



## 2021 Syrah

Floral aromas of violet and white pepper are delicately balanced with the blackberry, plum, and dark cherry notes. The palate offers velvety, integrated tannins and has an additional subtle vanilla note.

## VINTAGE

It was a hot summer that was punctuated by a heat dome which settled on the Okanagan Valley from the end of June through early July. The combination of high heat and low rainfall contributed to another year of lower than anticipated yield but excellent quality fruit. Despite the heat during the days, we benefited from our usual cooler evening temperatures which kept the acidity bright and the resulting wines incredibly balanced.

## WINEMAKING

Our Syrah was handpicked from our two estate Syrah blocks starting on October 25, 2021: J block which is planted with clone 100, and M block, which is planted with 99. This wine was aged for 18 months in 30% new oak. Of that new oak, 80% was French and 20% was American. The remaining 70% was aged in second-fill French oak. BLEND 100% SYRAH FORMATS 750 ML ALC % VOLUME 15.6% PH 4.01 TA G/L 6.6 RS G/L 2.5 CSPC + 130989

2020 - 93 Points, Decanter World Wine Awards

2019 - Gold Medal, WineAlign NWAC 2022

2018 - 93 Points, John Schreiner

**2017 - Top 10 Syrah** - WineAlign's Guide to Canada's Best Wines 2020

**2016 - Gold Medal,** NWAC 2019

**2016 – Silver Medal,** Decanter World Wine Awards

2016 – 93 Points, John Schreiner

**2015 - Gold Medal,** British Columbia Lieutenant Governors Awards

**2014 – Gold Medal,** InterVin International Wine Awards 2018/2019

