



# NOTRE VUE

ESTATE WINERY & VINEYARDS

2019

ESTATE RED BLEND

CHALK HILL

ESTATE GROWN, BOTTLED, AND PRODUCED



Estate Red is meant to be the flagship Bordeaux-style wine for the property. A blend of all five "sisters" of Bordeaux, this wine is a result of the creative blending process of the winemaking team. No one variety is dominant but all varieties are in harmony. This particular blend has 36% Malbec, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, 16% Petit Verdot, 8% Cabernet Franc & 8% Merlot. Future vintages of this blend will have very little boundaries for the percentages of each variety and will stay committed to the creative process of making each vintage distinctive and unique.

**-WINEMAKER ALEX HOLMAN**

<b>VITICULTURIST</b> Patrick Hamilton	<b>APPELLATION</b> Chalk Hill
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**VARIETAL**  
36% Malbec | 32% Cabernet Sauvignon  
16% Petit Verdot | 8% Cabernet Franc  
8% Merlot

<b>ALCOHOL</b> 14.4%	<b>RESIDUAL SUGAR</b> 0.5 g/L
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<b>TITRATABLE ACIDITY</b> 5.96 g/L	<b>pH</b> 3.66
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**CASES PRODUCED**  
295

### VINEYARD

Sonoma County is blessed with an abundance of volcanic soils that drain quickly and produce small, intensely flavored berries without aggressive canopies (leaves). Afternoon temperatures are moderated by the cooling Pacific breezes from the west. Our hilltop vineyards have great sun exposure during the day but night time temperatures drop significantly to give a large temperature range which leads to long growing periods and optimum phenolic development.

### TASTING NOTES

A decadent Bordeaux style red blend to perfectly pair with a romantic night in with loved ones. Delectable perfumes of Luxardo cherries swirl in the glass with pirouettes of rich chocolate, cedar and nutmeg. These notes are complimented on the palate with expressions of black currents, dark chocolate, and black tea within firm dry tannins.