



RUSSIAN RIVER VINEYARDS

2018 Syrah Owl's Watch Vineyard

Description:

This beautiful Syrah shows off smokey aromas of leather and earth, followed by hints of chocolate, ripe plum, and sweet vanilla. Sip this wine and you will experience strong flavors of white pepper and crushed herbs which finish with cleanliness and elegance. The 2018 Owl's Watch Syrah is remarkably soft with very balanced tannins. It is a must-try wine and a perfect accompaniment to bold-flavored foods such as grilled meat, vegetables, wild game & beef stew.

Appellation:

Russian River Valley, Sebastopol Hills Neighborhood

Unique Qualities of Vineyard/Location:

This 0.8 acre vineyard is located in the backyard of the grower experiences a cool coastal influence. The vines are dry farmed which means they are never watered. This encourages deeper root penetration and competitions for resources, which result in richer, more concentrated fruit.

Fermentation Details:

Low fermentation about 8-10 days. Once primary fermentation is complete secondary fermentation or malolactic fermentation is completed in the barrel taking 3-5 months.

Farming Technique & Maintenance:

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Harvest Date:	11/2/19
Cold soak:	7-10 Days
Aging Process:	20 months
Secondary Fermentation:	Yes
Bottling Date:	7/13/21
Case production:	110
Oak program:	French Oak
New oak %:	35%

