



McKenzie-Mueller

VINEYARDS AND WINERY

2019 Cabernet Franc

Vineyard: Robert Mueller Vineyard; Los Carneros & Oak Knoll

Appellation: Napa Valley

Winemaker: Robert A. Mueller

Harvest Date: Hand harvested on September 22nd and October 10th, 2019

Bottling Date: August 25th, 2022

Production: 287 Cases

Blend: 75% Cabernet Franc, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol: 15.1%

Filtration: None

Cooperage: 100% French Oak; new, used, and neutral

100% Estate Grown, Produced, and Bottled

Notes from Harvest:

The beginning of the 2019 growing season provided abundant rainfall as well as late soil moisture. The long, warm summer saw very few extreme heat events, and the mild finish to the season helped to preserve freshness in the fruit with abundant hang time.

Tasting Notes:

Our 2019 Cabernet Franc shows aromas of black cherry, strawberry, red chili pepper, damp earth, and a hint of cedar. On the palate, it's fruit-forward with ripe flavors of strawberry and cherry and has an undercurrent of peppery earthiness that follows.

Suggested Food Pairings:

Arugula and Goat Cheese Salad ~ Steak Frites ~ Lasagna

