



Pursue Your Passion[©]

Our Wines + Your Moments = Great Memories[©]

2018 Reserve Plummer Vineyard Cabernet Franc

The Vintage

The 2018 harvest was one of the best some growers have seen in years! This vintage was easier than the past several without the threat of heat spikes, rain, or other detrimental weather conditions. The critical July through October period was consistently warm to hot, with 7% more degree days than average, producing lush, balanced and complex wines.

The Clone

Our Reserve Cabernet Franc is crafted from Clone 4 (also known as French clone 332) that was imported to Foundation Plant Services from the Chambre d'Agriculture de la Gironde, France. Recognized for its low yields, intense dark fruit flavors and increased richness and mouthfeel; when paired with the vineyard's soil, sun exposure and microclimate we felt it was the ideal choice for our Reserve.

The Winemaking Process

Blend:	100% Cabernet Franc	
Harvest:	October 18, 2018	
pH:	3.82	Brix: 27.0
TA:	0.64g/ml	Alcohol: 14.4%
Bottled:	June 29, 2020	
Aged in 40% new French oak.		

Tasting Notes

100% Cabernet Franc is enough to make anyone excited, but our limited production 2018 Reserve Plummer Vineyard Cab Franc will make you stand up and scream, "WOW!" Aromas of black cherry, milk chocolate, cola, and leather will caress you like a gentle hug. Be prepared for the giant bear hug when plum, cedar, lavender and graphite flavors explode on your palate. The silky tannins and prominent acidity will remind you of your fondest embrace which you never wanted to end. Unfortunately, your continued sipping will empty the glass before you know it! (but luckily, there is always more!)

