



Fidélitas Fall 2022 Releases

September

2019 Fidélitas Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

- Accolades: 95 - Jeb Dunnuck
 - *“Bordeaux-like blackcurrant, chocolate, lead pencil, new leather, and tobacco emerge from the 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Fidelitas Estate Vineyard, a rich, medium to full-bodied, incredibly satisfying Cabernet from this team. With ripe yet building tannins, terrific balance, and a great finish, it's ideal for drinking any time over the coming 15-20 years.”*
- Production: 600 cases
- Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon. Blend of Clone 2 and Clone 6.
- Vineyard: Blocks 1 and Block 3 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 65% 40hL Oak Tank, 19% Roller Barrels, 16% 30hL Oak Tank
- Aging: 84% New French Oak - extended barrel aging: 28 months

2019 Fidélitas Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Clone 169

- Accolades: 94 – Jeb Dunnuck
 - *“Spent 28 months all in new French oak, and it's a clonal selection from the estate vineyard on Red Mountain. More red and black currant fruits as well as spice box, dried flowers, chocolate, and some tobacco notes emerge from this beauty, and it's medium to full-bodied, has classic Red Mountain minerality, building tannins, and a great finish. It's another beautiful, complex, layered wine from this team that does everything right. Give it 2-4 years and enjoy over the following 15-20.”*
- *First vintage of this wine!*
- Production: 185 cases
- Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon Clone 169
- Vineyard: Block 8 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 50% 40hL Oak Tank, 50% Roller Barrels
- Aging: 100% New French Oak - extended barrel aging: 28 months

2019 Fidélitas Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Clone 412

- Accolades: 93 – Jeb Dunnuck
 - *“Has slightly more herbal and darker, earthy notes as well as vanilla, floral, and spicy notes on the palate. As with all the wines here, it's beautifully balanced, has silky tannins, nicely integrated acidity, and a great finish. This darker, complex, floral Cabernet can be drunk any time over the coming 15 years or more.”*
- *First vintage of this wine!*
- Production: 140 cases
- Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon Clone 412
- Vineyard: Block 4 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 100% Roller Barrels
- Aging: 100% New French Oak – extended barrel aging: 28 months



2019 Fidélitas Estate Malbec

- Production: 145 cases
- Varietal: 100% Malbec
- Vineyard: Block 9 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 33% Upright Barrels
- Aging: 33% New French Oak, 17% New American Oak

2019 Fidélitas Estate Merlot

- *First vintage of this wine!*
- Production: 140 cases
- Varietal: 100% Merlot
- Vineyard: Block 6 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 66% 30hL Oak Tank
- Aging: 66% New French Oak, 34% New American Oak

2019 Fidélitas Estate Petit Verdot

- *First vintage of this wine!*
- Production: 145 cases
- Varietal: 100% Petit Verdot
- Vineyard: Block 10 of the Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 83% Roller Barrels, 17% 40hL Oak Tank
- Aging: 17% New French Oak, 33% New American Oak

2019 Fidélitas Estate Red Wine

- Production: 490 cases
- Varietals: 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Petit Verdot, 20% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Franc
- Vineyard: 100% Fidélitas Estate
- Oak Fermentation: 75% 40hL Oak Tank
- Aging: 70% New French Oak, 15% New American Oak



November

2019 Quintessence Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

- Production: 950 cases
- Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon
- Clones: 60% Clone 191, 40% Clone 169 (*made from the same vineyard blocks and clones since 2012*)
- Vineyard: 100% Quintessence Vineyard
- Aging: 70% New French Oak - extended barrel aging: 28 months

2019 Quintessence Vineyard Red Wine

- Production: 390 cases
- Varietals: 31% Petit Verdot, 31% Cabernet Franc, 19% Cabernet Sauvignon, 19% Merlot
- Vineyard: 100% Quintessence Vineyard
- Oak Fermentation: 31% Upright Barrels, 19% 40hL Oak Tank, 13% Roller Barrels
- Aging: 63% New French Oak, 25% New American Oak

2019 Quintessence Vineyard Malbec

- Production: 480 cases
- Varietal: 100% Malbec
- Vineyard: 100% Quintessence Vineyard
- Oak Fermentation: none, all stainless steel – *makes for a more fruit forward style Malbec*
- Aging: 30% New French Oak, 25% New American Oak

2019 Quintessence Vineyard Merlot

- Production: 430 cases
- Varietal: 100% Merlot
- Vineyard: 100% Quintessence Vineyard
- Oak Fermentation: none, all stainless steel- *makes for a more fruit forward style Merlot*
- Aging: 50% New French Oak, 10% New American Oak