

BENCH775®

RED & WHITE WINE CLUB

2020 Riesling Brut

The 2020 Riesling Brut was produced from fruit on our “This is It” vineyard along Naramata Road. We decided to try a brut from this vineyard as an experiment to see if the fruit is optimal for sparkling or table wine. However, we will not know for sure until the 2020 Riesling kabinett style has been bottled. This German Sekt-inspired wine is off dry with floral, apple, pear, peach and citrus notes. Wonderful with pork schnitzel, tempura, prosciutto and arugula pizza, spicy pakoras, spicy Pho, and Thai fish cakes.

2021 Glow Rosé

Gold - 2022 All Canadian Wine Championships

The 2021 Glow was produced from 70% Zweigelt from our Stone Slop vineyard in Keremeos and 30% Pinot Noir from our “This Is It” vineyard along Naramata Road. This wine shows aromas of strawberry, rhubarb and cherry candy, with plum, cherry and strawberry carrying through to a dry, lingering finish. Pair with seafood, tacos al pastor, dim sum, thai food, or a charcuterie board with soft cheese.

2018 Cabernet Franc

Bronze - 2022 WineAlign National Wine Awards of Canada

The 2018 Cabernet Franc was sourced from our vineyards in Osoyoos. Traditionally, Cabernet Franc is one of the last grapes to come off the vine, and the 2018 vintage was no different. Left till late October, the fruit was hand picked then de-stemmed, crushed and put into small lots so the extraction of color, tannin and flavour could be done gently. This wine gives floral aromatics of violets and white flowers, with fruit notes of raspberry, plums and blueberries and herbal notes of capsicum. The palate is framed with plum, raspberry and a cedar-like velvety tannin finish. Enjoy with grilled meats or roasted duck.

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