

# ROTH

ESTATE



## WINEMAKER'S NOTES

### 2018 ROTH ESTATE RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY SAUVIGNON BLANC

OUR 2018 RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY SAUVIGNON BLANC IS A SOPHISTICATED AND AUTHENTIC EXPRESSION OF OUR ESTATE FRUIT. THIS WINE HAS LOADS OF TROPICAL FRUIT NOTES WITH CANTALOUPE, GRAPEFRUIT AND CITRUS ZEST THAT BALANCE BEAUTIFULLY WITH A CRISP MINERALITY. PARTIALLY BARREL FERMENTED IN NEUTRAL FRENCH OAK, THE WINE OFFERS A RICH MOUTH-FEEL AND A BROAD PALATE. A LONG AND JUICY FINISH BRINGS IT FULL CIRCLE FOR AN EXCELLENT REPRESENTATION OF RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY SAUVIGNON BLANC TO BE ENJOYED OUTSIDE ON THE PATIO WITH GRILLED VEGETABLES OR AN ASSORTMENT OF SOFT CHEESE.



## WINERY BACKGROUND

**BOLD. UNAPOLOGETIC.** Roth Estate is a bold expression of luxury Bordeaux varietals from Sonoma County's best AVAs. The winery was founded to honor the bold character and relentless spirit that brought the founder's family to America. In 2001, Roth began producing Cabernet Sauvignon blends from exceptional hillside locations in the Alexander Valley and established a following to warrant its own winery, caves and tasting room in Healdsburg. Today, Roth is recognized for its history of high acclaim and strong commitment to producing bold, powerful Bordeaux wines with the truest and best expressions of the land.

## VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

This Sauvignon Blanc is 100% estate fruit from the Russian River Valley of Sonoma County. The 2018 growing season was one of the most consistent in recent memory. Mild spring weather led to prime fruit set and ideal growing conditions to set the stage for producing a complex and bright Sauvignon Blanc. The grapes were harvested August 30th, 2018 and then fermented in stainless steel tanks and neutral oak to retain aromatics.

## COMPOSITION & ANALYSIS

*100% Sauvignon Blanc*

*Titrateable Acidity: 0.61 g/L*

*pH: 3.26*

*Alcohol by Volume: 14.6%*