



CHALK HILL

2022

CLARA'S VINEYARD RED

This wine comes from our 15.9-acre Clara's Vineyard located on Chalk Hill Estate. First planted in 2003 this warm, south-facing site features rocky, porous volcanic soils that are ideal for red Bordeaux varieties. To preserve the long-term viability of the ecosystem, all of our vineyards are maintained using low-input, sustainable viticultural practices.

The 2022 Clara's Vineyard Red is a blend of 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Malbec, and 5% Syrah. On the nose, cigar box, jammy blueberry and black currant, and vanilla cream lead to a silky, refined palate. Black tea, dark chocolate, and espresso notes meld together seamlessly. Decant in its youth or allow it to evolve in bottle for the next 10+ years.

HARVEST

Harvest Dates: SEPTEMBER 23RD, 25TH & 26TH

Average Yields: 3.26 TONS/ACRE

Average Brix at Harvest: 25.3°

FERMENTATION / BARREL

100% MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION WITH BI-WEEKLY BÂTONNAGE

Cooperage: FRENCH OAK, 70% NEW

Barrel Aging: 21 MONTHS

WINE

Blend: 85% CABERNET SAUVIGNON, 10% MALBEC, 5% SYRAH

Cases bottled: 178

pH: 3.71 *TA:* 5.82 G/L *Alcohol:* 15.1%

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