CHATEAU ST JEAN

2024 OAK HILL SAUVIGNON BLANC

OAK HILL VINEYARD

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

Our roots are in Sonoma County. We have made wines from the region's diverse vineyards for over 50 years, starting in 1973. A fine wine estate with European style, we are proud to produce balanced and elegant wines, a hallmark of Chateau St. Jean. Our single-vineyard and blend expressions celebrate Sonoma County's distinctive, world-class growing region, and the special vineyard sites in which our grapes are grown.

VINEYARDS

Oak Hill vineyard is located in the Chalk Hill sub-appellation in the northeast corner of the Russian River Valley AVA. It has a warmer climate and less fog than typically characterizes the region, with notably hot, dry summers and cool, moist winters.

VINTAGE

The 2024 growing season kicked off with cool spring temperatures. A few summer heat spells nudged the ripening along, while cool nights helped preserve acidity and freshness in the fruit. We picked our first grapes in mid-August and held a fast pace for the duration of harvest, bringing in the last of our fruit in early October.

WINEMAKING

The fruit for this wine is hand-picked and whole-cluster pressed prior to racking and fermentation in stainless steel tanks. This wine does not undergo malolactic fermentation in order to retain its bright flavors and crisp acidity.

TASTING NOTES

Our 2024 Oak Hill Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc is a fresh, clean wine with lemon-lime citrus and white flower on the nose. Crisp acidity coupled with white peach, lime zest, and a distinct minerality make this wine an excellent apéritif., or paired with a variety of light cuisine. We recommend sea bass roasted with fennel and orange slices, topped with gremolata.

2024	APPELLATION	Russian River Valley
	VARIETAL	100% Sauvignon Blanc
	AGING	Stainless steel
	ALCOHOL	14.2%
	T.A.	6.03 g/L
	PH	3.56
	PRODUCTION	400 cases