Robinson Family

AUTUMN 2022



Hi everyone,

Hope all is well with you and your families. Life in Napa Valley always looks relaxed and leisurely, but the last few months have been jam-packed.

IN THE VINEYARD

Harvest in three words this year? Short and sweet. An ideal growing season of warm days and cool nights ensured everything ripened evenly. Then a heat spike hit the week of Labor Day, meaning fruit reached peak ripeness in short order. Fortunately, with our small production, we were able to comfortably handle bringing each batch of fruit in as it hit optimum ripeness. We started with the picking of our Malbec, Petit Verdot and Merlot on September 8, with the rest of the reds coming in soon after. And Kristof, our winemaker, is very pleased with how the juice is tasting.

IN THE CELLAR

In late August, we bottled our 2020 vintage and all of us are delighted with the finished product. (In 2020, we were fortunate to be able to pick all of our fruit prior to the Glass fire breaking out.) They taste fantastic right now and should be only more beautiful and integrated with a little bottle age here at the cellar before we release them. We're excited for you to try them (but sorry, you'll have to wait until 2024)

AROUND THE RANCH

The Vinegar Room is finished! We have barrels of vinegar fermenting away. Wine club members who attended the Spring event received a complimentary bottle of vinegar in celebration, and it'll be available for purchase later this fall via our NEW website (coming soon)!

IN THE COMMUNITY

Our family has been a longtime supporter of the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, and we were happy to pour at a recent fundraiser for the Alameda Boys and Girls Club.

INCLUDE US ON YOUR NEXT TRIP TO NAPA VALLEY

A private tasting with the owner? We think that's one of the perks of visiting a small family winery like ours! Each tasting here is hosted by a member of our family and we do our best to schedule tastings so they don't overlap. That way, you can enjoy some undivided attention along with our wines.

We hope to see you here soon!

NOVEMBER 2022 CLUB ALLOCATIONS:

SIGNATURE

2018 Cabernet Sauvignon 2013 Zinfandel 2020 Sauvignon Blanc 2011 Great Legs Cabernet Sauvignon

6 BOTTLE

2018 Cabernet Sauvignon 2012 Merlot 2012 Cabernet Franc 2016 Malbec 2009 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon 2018 Petit Verdot

4 BOTTLE

2018 Cabernet Sauvignon 2017 Merlot 2016 Cabernet Franc 2018 Malbec



TRY OUR LIMITED-EDITION (ONLY 137 CASES!) 2018 RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON. INKY IN COLOR, WITH AN INTRIGUING NOSE OF CEDAR, VIOLET, SAGE AND VANILLA SURF WAX. ON THE PALATE, BOYSENBERRY AND BLACK FIG JAM ARE LACED WITH NOTES OF SANDALWOOD, FRANKINCENSE AND MYRRH, AND THE WINE FINISHES WITH A HONEYED SWEETNESS. \$125 (club member 10% discount available).





SHOW YOUR TRUE COLORS

Here's how we kept cool all summer and through harvest: our RFV tumblers, now in new colors. These hold and keep cold 12 ounces, perfect for your favorite chilled beverage.

And to look good while we keep our cool, we've added new options for our RFV hats, including dark solids, lighter pastel colors and a new stars-and-stripes version that's been flying out of the tasting room. Check out the store on our website to see all the styles and colors.

To order either, give us a call or email Carrie and we'll ship those out to you.

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