



2015 Red Mountain Grenache

Production 40 cases

Blend 100% Grenache sourced exclusively from Ciel du Cheval Vineyard

Vineyard Ciel du Cheval Vineyard located in the Red Mountain Appellation was the first vineyard planted on Red Mountain in 1972. Owner Jim Holmes farms the vineyard on this revered site and credits the success of Ciel du Cheval, to “dirt and climate, climate and dirt.”

Alcohol 14.1%

Cooperage Aged in 100% neutral 3rd fill premier French oak

Winemaking

Crushed gently and dropped by gravity into 1.5ton bins, cold soaked 48-72 hours, then inoculated with yeast RP15, hand punched for 9-12 days until ready for pressing directly to barrel where the wine finished both primary and secondary fermentations.

Tasting Notes

The Tamarack Cellars 2015 Grenache has enticing aromas of cooking bacon wrapped dates stuffed with goat cheese and blackberry pie that give way to a dry, lush wine with dried cherries, extra dark cocoa powder and hints of sesame cracker finishing with sweet spicy tannins.