

VINTAGE NOTES

During a challenging year like 2020, it was purely a pleasure to focus on farming and winemaking- an escape from the chaos of the world. Generally we had a nice, slightly warmer year than average and our vineyards flourished. Bloom was on time but we did have smaller than normal fruit set and that showed in the cellar as our yields were smaller and less wine was made compared to the previous vintage. We had a beautiful harvest with threats of wildfires on the West Coast that we prepared for and researched extensively. Despite the threat, the vintage was absolutely stunning and the resulting wines some of the best we have ever made. Intense color, bright aromatics, and beautiful tannins. We began harvest on September 22nd with Malbec from our estate Bob Healy, and finished on October 22nd with Cabernet Sauvignon from McQueen.

APPELLATION

Walla Walla Valley

VINEYARD SOURCES

Estate McQueen Estate LeFore

BLEND PROFILE

89% Cabernet Sauvignon 6% Merlot 3% Malbec 2% Petit Verdot

BARREL/AGING PROGRAM

22 months in 87% in new French oak barrels, Italian concrete, and neutral French oak barrels

PRODUCTION

Bottling Date: August 2022 Release Date: Spring 2023

Alcohol: 14.4%

Cases Produced: 2,968



JEB DUNNUCK
97 PTS



96 PTS