PRESQU'ILE

PRESQU'ILE VINEYARD ALICOTÉ 2023



ABOUT

We are excited to release our 2023 vintage Aligoté! Sometimes referred to as the "3rd grape" of Burgundy, this often overlooked varietal has found a home in our sandy soils. This vintage exhibits unique aromatic expressions of green apple, exotic jasmine, quince and slightly herbaceous notes. The lush palate showcases ripe orchid fruit, grapefruit, and a long, beautiful finish. A fine wine to enjoy on its own or paired with a roast chicken or simple cream-based pastas.

VINTAGE NOTES

2023 is looking to be one of the best vintages Santa Barbara County has ever seen. With an unusually cold and wet beginning to the year and a long, mild growing season that extended up to a full month behind our normal harvest timing, the grapes enjoyed extra hang time and the opportunity to develop gradually. This led to grapes with beautifulconcentration, balance, and vibrant acidity.

VARIETY 100% SYRAH
VINEYARD 100% Presqu'ile
HARVEST 10/11/23 & 10/13/23
SOIL Sandy Loam

FARMINC Sustainable, Organic TOTAL ACIDITY 5.9 g/L pH 3.54 ABV 12% FERMENTATION Native Yeast
ELEVAGE 6 months neutral Austrian large format
barrels

LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE SANTA MARIA VALLEY, PRESQU'ILE WINERY PRODUCES COOL-CLIMATE WINES FROM A VARIETY OF ORGANIC AND SUSTAINABLY-FARMED VINEYARD PLOTS THAT SPAN NEARLY 30 HECTARES ACROSS SANTA BARBARA COUNTY. EACH WINE PRODUCED AT PRESQU'ILE IS A DIRECT REFLECTION OF A SPECIFIC VINEYARD SITE'S VARIETY, VINTAGE, AND UNIQUE CLIMATE CONDITIONS. ALL WINES CRAFTED AT PRESQU'ILE ARE VINIFIED WITH A MINIMALIST MENTALITY IN THE CELLAR, WITH THE PURSUIT OF TERROIR-REFLECTION, PURITY, AND DELICIOUS DRINKABILITY PLACED FIRST.

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