



2023 SAUVIGNON BLANC RYAN'S VINEYARD

THE VINTAGE

The 2023 vintage was one of the longest growing seasons that Napa Valley has experienced in a decade – and one of the finest. After several years of drought, the winter and spring months brought ample rainfall which replenished our vineyards' soils. Cooler spring temperatures delayed budbreak and bloom, but the summer months were consistently warm and temperate without heat spikes. This confluence of excellent growing conditions allowed for slow phenolic development in the berries, retention of acidity, as well as remarkably ripe tannins by harvest time. The wines from this vintage are highly concentrated with incredible plushness and verve.

TASTING NOTES

The 2023 Ryan's Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc is a prime example of the phenomenal vintage. This organically farmed plot of land is situated in the cooler Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley and boasts well-drained soils suitable to the vines. A blend of 61% Sauvignon Musqué and 39% Sauvignon Blanc, the wine is incredibly effusive with aromatics of guava, lychee, and grapefruit. Add into the mix a gorgeous flinty minerality and the bouquet simply sings. The mid-palate is multi-dimensional with richness, flesh, and exquisite acidity.

PAIRINGS

Oysters with classic mignonette, fresh pasta with homemade pesto, and pretty much any dish that features goat cheese.

TECHNICAL INFO

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

61% Sauvignon Musqué
39% Sauvignon Blanc

AVA

Oak Knoll District of Napa
Valley

AGING

7 Months
92% Neutral French Oak
8% New French Oak

BOTTLING DATE

March 4, 2024

ALCOHOL

13.6%

PRODUCTION

617 9-liter cases