SCARLETT PETIT VERDOT

2023 | RUTHERFORD, CA

Varietal Content

100% Petit Verdot

The 2023 Petit Verdot is a bold yet beautifully composed expression of the variety, marrying its signature depth and structure with remarkable polish. Inky purple in the glass, it opens with layers of ripe blackberry, black plum and blueberry, accented by violet, graphite and warm baking spice. The palate is generous and concentrated, with dark fruit framed by firm, finely textured tannins and a long, savory finish. Powerful without being heavy, this is a wine with both presence and poise—enjoy after a generous decant now or cellar for 5–8 years as its structure continues to soften and evolve

— Mike Smith, Winemaker

Harvest Information

Harvest Date: 10/14/2023 **Initial Brix:** 27.7 **Vineyard:** McGah Family Vineyards 'Alsace'

Processing Information

Process: 5 - day cold soak and then fermented for 16 days. Put into barrels after combining the press juice along with the free run without settling. Malolactic fermentation was done naturally and after completion the wine is racked to tank and then back into clean barrels. Aged 20 months in 65% new oak consisting of Taransaud, Marcel Cadet, Francoise Freres, & Remond.

Barrel Aging: 20 months **Bottled:** August 26, 2025 **Production:** 240 cases

Residual Sugar: 0.4 G/L **Alcohol: 15.5%** **pH:** 4.12 **Total Acidity:** 5.0 G/L

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