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UNOAKED CHARDONNAY

2018 NIAGARA PENINSULA VQA

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OVERVIEW

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Our 2018 vintage proved to be an exceptional year for Chardonnay, as ripeness and flavour came with outstanding acidity. The Niagara Peninsula VQA designation is due to a small portion of the fruit being sourced from Niagara-on-the-Lake. Whole cluster pressing and careful yeast selection were followed by cool fermentation to boost the aromatics. Lees was retained with the wine during ageing to build texture.

RECOGNITION

SILVER MEDAL - All Canadian Wine Championships 2020 92 POINTS - Rick VanSickle 92 POINTS - Michael Godel

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TASTING NOTES

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Our Winemaker Adam Pearce worked creatively to layer a combination of aromatics in unsurpassed complexity and freshness. With aromas of crisp apple and ripe citrus fruit, the wine demonstrates the character of the oldest Chardonnay vineyard in Canada, exclusively for Two Sisters from Lenko Vineyards. On the palate, this Chardonnay is highlighted with the Escarpment's famous limestone minerality that effortlessly frames the sensation of fruit sweetness. Extended lees contact including some stirring or bâtonnage, provides a creamy, mouth-pleasing experience. Hints of ginger and cinnamon round out the expression.

A most unique unoaked Chardonnay, it will evolve in detail and complexity for 3 to 5 years.

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SPECIFICATIONS

APPELLATION: Niagara Peninsula VQA BRIX AT HARVEST: Average 20.5 TITRATABLE ACID: 7.5 g/L ALCOHOL: 13.0%

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MARGO ROSÉ

2020 NIAGARA RIVER VQA



TASTING NOTES

Juicy cherries and strawberries, with hints of lemon zest and minerality

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Red currants, pink grapefruit, and rhubarb, as well as peach and cherry blossoms

FOOD PAIRINGS

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Pasta Primavera, roasted chicken, smoked salmon

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Margo is made using only Estategrown fruit, specifically farmed with the intent for rosé production, then gently hand-harvested and pressed.

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SILVER MEDAL - All Canadian Wine Championships 2020

92 POINTS - Rick VanSickle

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SPECIFICATIONS

APPELLATION: Niagara River VQA HARVEST: September 25th, 2020 COOPERAGE: 100% Stainless Steel AVERAGE BRIX: 21.7 TITRATABLE ACID: 7 g/L PH: 3.3 ALCOHOL: 12.5%



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2017 NIAGARA RIVER VOA

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Eleventh Post is Two Sisters' vineyard blend of the three red grapes grown on the Estate. The 2017 vintage was a tale of two different seasons. The summer was cool and wet, but the fall was warm, sunny and long, ideal for ripening! For 2017, Eleventh Post is 48% Merlot, 39% Cabernet Sauvignon and 13% Cabernet Franc. Eleventh Post is an expressive combination of these three varieties, demonstrating the exceptional character that careful blending can create.

RECOGNITION 92 POINTS - Michael Godel, Wine Align

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TASTING NOTES

The 2017 Eleventh Post has a dense and deep colour, indicative of the ripeness and flavour concentration of the opulent fruit. The pronounced nose is complex and layered with inviting aromas of intense ripe dark fruits, distinct earthy notes, dried herbs and spices. Aromatics of black cherries and currants, plums, tobacco, leather, forest floor and chocolate are evident. The palate echoes the nose, as the pronounced flavours integrate perfectly with round tannins and balancing acidity. A long, complicated finish completes the tasting experience, as this elegant wine continues to show its nuances as it lingers on the palate.

SPECIFICATIONS

APPELLATION: Niagara River VQA HARVEST: October 21 to November 16, 2017 AGEING: 32 months in oak Barriques BARREL PROGRAM: 90% French oak, 10% American oak, 15% new barrels O Y E TITRATABLE ACID: 5.7 g/L **PH: 3.70 ALCOHOL:** 14.5%

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