

Dry Creek
VINEYARD

SEAQUELLE

A BORDEAUX-STYLE
PROPRIETARY BLEND



THE EVOLUTION OF A FIVE-DECADE TRADITION OF BORDEAUX-STYLE BLENDING

SeaQuelle is a refined and expressive Meritage that places Merlot center stage, crafted in the spirit of the great Right Bank blends of Bordeaux, France. The Garonne River flows through the Right Bank of the Bordeaux region, and this area is known for its softer, Merlot-based wines. As the newest addition to our Bordeaux-inspired portfolio, SeaQuelle embodies the next generation of vision at Dry Creek Vineyard, building on a five-decade tradition of Bordeaux-style blending. Crafted with all five noble red Bordeaux varieties, and sourced from meticulously farmed hillside vineyards throughout Dry Creek Valley, SeaQuelle is a wine of balance, finesse, and depth. It is a supple, elegant counterpart to our Cabernet Sauvignon-based blend, The Mariner.

Family Owned and Sustainably Farmed Since 1972



INTRODUCING SEAQUELLE MERITAGE



- Crafted in the style of Bordeaux's Right Bank blends, with Merlot as the dominant variety
- Made from fruit grown in hillside vineyards with gravelly soils, emphasizing structure and balance
- A blend of all five noble red Bordeaux varietals: Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec and Petit Verdot
- SeaQuelle joins The Mariner as a complementary expression of our commitment to world-class Meritage wines
- Embodies our "no compromises" philosophy when it comes to wine quality

"SeaQuelle sums up over five decades of working with Bordeaux varieties, and Merlot specifically, here in Dry Creek Valley. I think it's one of our most exciting wines to date."

KIM STARE WALLACE, PRESIDENT
& SECOND-GENERATION OWNER



2021 SEAQUELLE, *Dry Creek Valley*

BLEND: 63% Merlot, 18% Cabernet Franc, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Malbec, 4% Petit Verdot

AGING: 17 months in French & Hungarian oak (31% new)

BRIX AT HARVEST: 25.2

HARVEST DATES: September 8 – October 9, 2021

VINE AGE: 9–29 years

SOILS: Gravelly hillside vineyards

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

PH: 3.53

TA: 6.3 g/L



DRY CREEK VINEYARD

Founded in 1972 by David S. Stare, Dry Creek Vineyard was the first new winery established in Dry Creek Valley following Prohibition. Dave's vision to start a winery modeled after a Loire Valley chateau reintroduced the world to the wines of northern Sonoma County. Today, his daughter Kim Stare Wallace continues to build on these established traditions while innovating for the future. With the second generation firmly at the helm, the stewardship and future of Dry Creek Vineyard has never been brighter.

