

# 2019 ROSÉ

**THE SHORT VERSION:** 100% Blaufränkisch Light cherry and blueberry

#### THE LONG VERSION:

Made from 100% Michigan-grown Blaufränkisch from 2 different counties, this is our contribution to the world of dry Rosé. One vineyard, Eden Hill Vines, is a southern vineyard in Benzie County. Here we isolated a block specifically for Rosé. In this block we planted a clone known to have ripe plum berries with lots of juicy acidity.

The second site is Hawk Ridge of Old Mission Peninsula. This is a young site that has a sheltered view of West Bay and produces a small amount of perfectly matured fruit for Rosé. We release the juice from the skins very quickly to capture a pretty hue of pink and still manage to find the layers of complexity within the berry for a delicate style dry Rosé.

#### WINE GEEK TECHNO SPEAK:

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 0 g/L PH: 3.17 TITRATABLE ACIDITY: 7.8 g/L ALCOHOL: 12.1% CASES PRODUCED: 290 SOILS: Sandy loam FERMENTED IN: Stainless steel AGING WINDOW: Ready to drink now

### THE VINEYARD:

**Eden Hill Vines** 

APPELLATION: Benzie County VARIETIES PLANTED: Chardonnay, Blaufränkisch ACREAGE: 5 GROWN BY: Michael and Nancy Call

#### Hawk Ridge Vineyard

APPELLATION: Old Mission Peninsula VARIETIES PLANTED: Blaufränkisch ACREAGE: 1.2 GROWN BY: John and Laura Keenan

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