

KETTLE VALLEY WINERY

(NARAMATA BENCH, SOUTHERN OKANAGAN VALLEY, BRITISH COLUMBIA)

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Kettle Valley Winery is a small farm-based winery located on the Naramata Bench, Okanagan, BC. Their focus is quality and by staying a small family owned and operated winery they believe that their passion will show through in their wines. Naramata is easily the premier growing region in British Columbia, with its moderate temperatures, abundant sunshine, and cooling breezes. The rolling hills and variable soil types result in growing sites with unique microclimates that can be matched to the right varieties by an experienced grape grower. No matter what style of wine you like, you will find it in Naramata. Drawing its name from the Kettle Valley Railway, which traveled through the Naramata area on the east side of Okanagan Lake, the winery opened to the public in 1996. Kettle Valley Winery is known for its dark, intense, and well-structured red wines, including Pinot Noir, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, and blends such as "Old Main Red". Chardonnay has been the main white wine produced, but in recent years Pinot Gris, Gewurztraminer, Semillon, and Sauvignon Blanc have also proved popular. They are all flavourful and aromatic, with a rich mouth feel.

The winemakers are Bob Ferguson & Tim Watts

Pinot Gris 2020

CSPC# 620450

12x375ml

13.0% alc./vol.

Grape Variety

100% Pinot Gris

Vineyards

The grapes for this wine come from the following vineyards: Gill in Osoyoos, Pereira and Secord in the Similkameen Valley, and the Cossentine vineyard in Penticton

Harvest

The grapes for this wine were handpicked between September 14 and October 12, 2020, at approximately 24.1 brix.

Vinification/ Maturation

The grapes were crushed and left on the skins to cold soak for three days prior to being pressed off. A portion of this wine has been barrel fermented before being blended with wine that was fermented in stainless steel tanks.

Tasting Notes

That's right! It's a lovely pink! It's also flavourful, aromatic, and full-bodied with good structure, a rich mouthfeel and a spicy finish. One of the most classic BC Pinot Gris, and the one that started the trend for a pretty copper hue. This beauty of a Pinot Gris shows classic red and green apples, pear, citrus, and tropical notes.

Serve with

Drink this when you eat any white fish or salmon. Other pairing suggestions include Avocado and Papaya Salad; Balsamic Grilled Radicchio with Shaved Pecorino; Basic Basil Pesto; and Zucchini and Red Onion Frittata alla Pisa.



Semillon Sauvignon Blanc 2016

CSPC# 790176

12x375ml

13.0% alc./vol.

Grape Variety

50% Semillon, 50% Sauvignon Blanc

Vineyards

The grapes for this wine come from the King Drive and Barber vineyards in Naramata.

Harvest

The grapes were handpicked on September 29, 2016, at approximately 23.6 brix.

Vinification/ Maturation

A portion of this wine was barrel fermented in older French oak. This is a complex blend; the Sémillon was in oak, the Sauvignon Blanc was made in stainless steel

Tasting Notes

The finished wine combines the zesty finish of the Sauvignon Blanc with the rich, full body texture and flavours of the Semillon. This blend is fruit forward with notes of fresh tropical fruit, minerals, honey, melon and a rich full mouthfeel.

Serve with

Serve with scallops, lobster, salmon, or trout. Also great with chicken or prawns in a rich creamy sauce; seafood risotto; or chicken satay.



Chardonnay 2019

CSPC# 595496

12x375ml

13.5% alc./vol.

Grape Variety

100% Chardonnay

Vineyards

The grapes for this wine come from the Similkameen Valley and the Okanagan Valley and were hand-picked at approximately 23.9 brix.

Harvest

The chardonnay was harvested between October 16 to October 22, 2019.

Winemaking

This wine was partially fermented in older French oak.

Tasting Notes

This Chardonnay shows rich tropical fruit flavours of pineapple and ripe stone fruit on the palate. Crisp acidity, medium body, and hints of vanilla. This wine has not gone through malolactic fermentation. 890 cases made.



Caboose – formerly Starboard NV (Non Vintage)

CSPC# 142794

12x375ml

19.0% alc./vol.

Grape Variety

Malbec, Petit Verdot

Vineyards

The grapes for this fortified wine come primarily from our King Drive vineyard located in Naramata.

Harvest

The grapes, Malbec, and Petit Verdot, were hand-picked at approximately 24 brix.

Maturation

The wine was barrel aged French oak.

Tasting Notes

This is Kettle Valley's take on Port, made with Petit Verdot and Malbec. It is a rich wine, tasting like a plum pudding, with a long, elegant finish. A very good wine.



Old Main Red 2020

CSPC# 163022

12x375ml

14.0% alc./vol.

Grape Variety

Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Malbec

Vineyards

This wine is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, and Merlot, grown primarily in our "Old Main" vineyard with 5% Petit Verdot and Malbec grown in our King Drive vineyard, both located in Naramata

Harvest

The Old Main Red was harvested between October 21 and October 28, 2019. The grapes were hand-picked at approximately 24.5 brix.

Winemaking

Full malolactic fermentation and was aged in French oak for 21 months before being bottled.

Tasting Notes

This is a Bordeaux style wine, a big, earthy red, a complex wine with aromas of black currant, hints of vanilla and flavours of currants, blackberries, plums, and figs finishing with soft silky tannins on the palate. 216 cases of 750ml bottles.

Serve with

Great with a Roast leg of lamb; a hearty steak; beef stroganoff; duck confit; fried chicken; or pork ragout.



Pinot Noir Reserve 2020

CSPC# 43638

12x375ml

13.5% alc./vol.

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Grape Variety

100% Pinot Noir

Vineyards

This wine is a blend of select barrels of Pinot Noir grown primarily in the Brar vineyard in Kaleden and the Hayman vineyard in Naramata and is a blend of best barrels post fermentation.

Harvest

The grapes were hand-picked between October 12 and October 21, 2020, at approx. 23.3 brix.

Winemaking

Full malolactic fermentation and was aged in French oak for 20 months before being bottled.

Tasting Notes

Bright dark red colour, medium body wine. An intriguing nose full of plum, black cherry, and raspberry fruit leather. Bright acidity, silky tannins, bold flavours, with hints of vanilla.

Serve with

Moroccan lamb and scalloped potatoes; Parmesan & Rosemary crackers (as the Parmesan perfectly complements the black cherries, spices, and sage in the wine).

