



WINE:

2021 TOCAI FRIULANO

CLASSIFICATION:

LARKMEAD

PRODUCTION:

91 CASES

VARIETAL COMPOSITION:

100% TOCAI FRIULANO

SOIL PROFILE:

PLEASANTON LOAM (CLAY)

ALCOHOL:

13.9%

FRENCH OAK AGING:

7 MONTHS

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VINTAGE NOTES

Although yields were incredibly low this vintage, we couldn't be more excited to share a wine that marks two firsts at Larkmead. The 2021 Tocai Friulano is the first wine made entirely by our Winemaker, Avery Heelan, starting with its harvest, through fermentation and bottling, and now to the release. In addition, this vintage is the first to be comprised entirely of Tocai Friulano with no other varietals included in the blend - the result is an incredibly elegant and expressive wine.

TASTING NOTES

The extraordinary quality of this harvest naturally resulted in a wine of great purity and intensity with beautiful notes of white blossom, lychee, and golden pears. The bouquet continues to open and evolve in glass with hints of guava and stone fruit, balanced by straw and fresh brioche.

These layers of creamy complexity continue on the palate with a weighty, yet supple body lifted by notes of lime zest and lemon curd; this is a wine that lingers long after it is gone. The 2021 Tocai Friulano is an excellent option for pairing with a summer meal or decadent cheese and charcuterie plate.