

Trefethen

FAMILY VINEYARDS



2024 DRY RIESLING

Fresh notes of citrus blossom, lime, and honeysuckle lead the nose, while a hint of wet stone adds a cool, grounded edge. The palate is bright and focused, with crisp acidity and layered citrus flavors that carry through to a clean, mineral finish.

91 POINTS | James Suckling

Varietal: 100% Riesling

Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

Estate Vineyard: 100% Main Ranch

Harvest: August 23 - September 6

Residual Sugar: 5.3 grams/L (Dry)

Alcohol: 11.7%



2023 CHARDONNAY

Refreshing aromas of lime zest, melon and apple are layered with notes of honey and pear. On the palate, notes of Meyer lemon give this wine a bright finish.

91 POINTS | James Suckling

Varietal: 100% Chardonnay

Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

Estate Vineyard: 100% Main Ranch

Harvest: September 4 - October 3

Oak: 9 months, 10% new

Barrel Fermentation: 70%

Malolactic Fermentation: 4%

Alcohol: 12.5%



2022 MERLOT

Floral aromas and earthy undertones of graphite, sage and black tea lead to a palate with notes of dark cherry and black peppercorn finishing with hints of clove and star anise.

90 POINTS | James Suckling

Varietal: 100% Merlot

Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

Estate Vineyard: 100% Main Ranch

Harvest: September 10-17

Oak: 18 months, 43% new

Alcohol: 14.3%



2022 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Aromas of California bay leaf, dark plum, and cherry mingle with subtle hints of molasses and clove. On the palate, bright acidity brings energy to notes of raspberry and plum skin, supported by moderate tannins and a lively, balanced finish.

93 POINTS | James Suckling

Varietal: 91% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Petit Verdot

Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

Estate Vineyard: 100% Main Ranch

Harvest: September 8 - October 7

Oak: 18 months, 46% new

Alcohol: 13.8%



2022 DRAGON'S TOOTH

This wine opens with generous aromas of ripe red fruit, blackberry, and a hint of warm spice. On the palate, bright cherry and plum skin lead the way, supported by steady tannins and a subtle richness that builds toward the finish. Notes of cracked pepper and a touch of tobacco add depth, while fresh acidity keeps the wine lively and balanced.

93 POINTS | James Suckling

91 POINTS | Decanter

Varietal: 46% Malbec, 28% Petit Verdot, 26% Cabernet Sauvignon
Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley
Estate Vineyard: 100% Main Ranch
Harvest: September 17 - October 7
Oak: 18 months
Alcohol: 14.2%



2021 HĀLO

An elegant bouquet unfolds with aromas of dried rose petal, cherry, and plum, layered with hints of tobacco, white pepper, and wet stone. Subtle woody tones add depth and complexity. On the palate, the wine shows the hallmark intensity of Hillspring fruit, with a rich mid-palate texture and bright flavors of dried cherry, plum skin, and crushed blueberry that carry through to a long, focused finish.

93 POINTS | James Suckling

Varietal: 98% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Petit Verdot
Appellation: Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley
Estate Vineyard: 100% Hillspring
Harvest: September 23 - October 15
Oak: 30 months, 100% new French
Alcohol: 14.4%



One of Napa Valley’s pioneering wineries, Trefethen Family Vineyards crafts distinguished estate grown wines that express the unique spirit of their land, vines, and people. The dedication of the Trefethen family is manifest in every aspect of the operation, from the soil to the table, including sustainable farming, thoughtful winemaking, and gracious hospitality.

In 1968, when Eugene and Catherine Trefethen purchased farmland just north of the town of Napa, their property—like much of the valley at the time—contained orchards and hayfields in addition to vineyards. Demonstrating an uncanny vision for the future of the valley, they began to plant vineyards across the estate, focusing on the quality varietals that they enjoyed drinking, including a variety that was rather rare at the time: Chardonnay.

In 1973, Eugene and Catherine’s son John Trefethen and his new bride Janet began making wines from the estate, breathing life back into a historic winery on the property. At the Gault Millau Wine Olympics, held in Paris in 1979, the 1976 Trefethen Chardonnay was declared “The Best Chardonnay in the World.” John and Janet built on this early success, finding fans for other Trefethen wines—including Cabernet Sauvignon, Dry Riesling, and Merlot—and their wider efforts played a pivotal role in turning the Napa Valley into the world-class wine and food region it is today.

More recently, John and Janet’s two children—Hailey and Lorenzo Trefethen—became the third generation of the family to steward the estate. Steadfast in their family’s commitment to an ever-deepening knowledge of their legendary Oak Knoll District vineyards, Hailey and Lorenzo help lead a team that thoughtfully refines their winemaking approach, vintage after vintage, building on a legacy of estate grown wines of remarkable quality and integrity.



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