

# ABEJA



## 2014 Columbia Valley Cabernet Sauvignon

**Winemaker's Tasting Notes** - This flagship wine offers dense blackberry and ripe black cherry aromas that give way to shaved semi-sweet chocolate, blueberry pie and vanilla bean on the palate. Hints of cinnamon, sage and graham cracker circle back around to a lengthy finish loading with cassis, plum and boysenberry.

### Varietal Composition

94% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc

### Vineyard Sources

Sagemoor Farms: Bacchus, Dionysus & Weinbau; Kiona Heart of the Hill; Ciel du Cheval; Scootney Flats; Destiny Ridge; Gunselman Bench

### Appellation

Columbia Valley

### Harvest Date

September 24, 2014 – October 20, 2014

### Oak Composition

100% French – medium toast  
75% new, 25% one - & two-year-old

### Chemistry

Alc. 14.8%, pH 3.76, TA 0.54g/100ml

**Barrel Aging:** 22 months

**Bottling Date:** August 18, 2016

**Release Date:** May 4, 2017

**Cases Produced:** 2501

**Winemaker:** Daniel Wampfler & Amy Alvarez-Wampfler

**93 Points – Vinous** *“Ripe aromas of currant, black cherry, licorice, fresh herbs and dark chocolate, lifted by a floral element. Plush and seamless but laid-back, conveying a restrained sweetness to its creamy flavors of currant, mocha and licorice. This wine didn't display quite the sweetness, horizontality or length of the 2015 Merlot on first pour but it expanded beautifully with 48 hours in the recorked bottle without losing its spring. A very suave Cabernet with excellent aging potential.”*