

# FAILLA

## HARVEST DATE

August 22<sup>nd</sup> & August 24<sup>th</sup>

VINEYARD

Bohan

**BLEND** 

50% Pinot Noir 50% Chardonnay

рН

3.23

TΑ

6.9

ALC

12.5%

TIRAGE BOTTLED

July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

**DISGORGED** 

January 2021

DOSAGE

2 grams

**PRODUCTION** 

406 cases

RETAIL PRICE

\$85

# 2016 BRUT 2G, SONOMA COAST

An elegant and deeply layered expression of coastal terroir. A fine mousse leads to a rich palate of cream, fresh berries, and brioche. This sparkler shines brightest paired with food.

George Bohan planted the **BOHAN VINEYARD** in the 80's to his own field blend. Sitting at 1400 ft, it is in the Fort Ross-Seaview AVA between the Hirsch Vineyard and our own Estate. We began sourcing from George in 2011 and are always thrilled to have his company on the crush pad.

THE 2016 VINTAGE saw a welcome relief from drought, with a mild spring followed by a warm, but steady growing season. The crop was balanced, healthy and beautifully clean. The wines of 2016 show the elegant, classic savory side of the true Sonoma Coast.

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## HARVEST DATE

September 4<sup>th</sup>

#### CLONE

Hyde and Hudson Wente

## **FERMENTATION**

all native

### На

3.39

TΑ

5.9

ALC

13.1

## AGING

11 months 15% new French oak 20% concrete egg

#### **BOTTLING DATE**

August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### **PRODUCTION**

385 cases

#### RETAIL PRICE

\$50

## 2018 CHARDONNAY, HUDSON, NAPA VALLEY

Grapefruit pith, flint, and sublte tropical notes are carried on a nervy backbone of firm acid and sleek finish.

THE HUDSON VINEYARD, which covers 200 planted acres in southwestern Napa Valley, was planted in the early 1980s by Texas expat Lee Hudson. A warm foil to the cooler Haynes vineyard, Wente clone Chardonnay is planted here on Haire loam soil at the southern tip of the Mayacamas Mountain range, approximately 20 miles north of the San Pablo Bay. Cool and foggy in the morning, fruit ripens evenly thanks to abundant sunshine during the growing season.

**THE 2018 VINTAGE** may turn out to be the vintage of the decade. A long, cool growing season brought us beautifully clean fruit full of vibrancy, energy, and great depth of character. The magic of this vintage found during harvest will continue to beguile us for years to come.

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HARVEST DATE

9/10/2015

**VINEYARD** 

Occidental Ridge

**CLONES** 

115, 667, 777

## **FERMENTATION**

All Native 25% Whole Cluster unfined, unfiltered

рН

3.41

TΑ

6.4

ALC

13.8

AGING

11 months

25% New French Oak

**BOTTLING DATE** 

8/16/2016

**PRODUCTION** 

276 cases

**RETAIL PRICE** 

\$80

# 2015 PINOT NOIR, OCCIDENTAL RIDGE, SONOMA COAST

Brooding and floral, with all the classic opulence of the vineyard, this wine shows a crystalline expression of bright pomegranate, tart cherry and rose hips. Balanced by the structure and density of the vintage, the 2015 expression is as age-worthy and bursting with energy as one could expect from this extraordinary vineyard.

OCCIDENTAL RIDGE VINEYARD Established in 1999 and farmed by Richard Radcliffe, this vineyard lies just outside the town of Occidental at about 800 feet above sea level. This cool-climate vineyard is composed of three separate blocks, each planted to different clones.

THE 2015 VINTAGE As with many vineyards near and on the coast, yields were held down by a cool wintry flowering followed by heat and drought. The wines of the vintage echo this with great concentration, depth, thrilling aromatics and vibrant acidity that will reward those willing to cellar but show great generosity already.

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### HARVEST DATE

September 3<sup>rd</sup>

## **VINEYARD**

Hirsch

#### **CLONES**

Pommard, Mt. Eden

#### **FERMENTATION**

Native, full ML

#### pН

3.63

TA

6.1

ALC

14.1%

#### **AGING**

11 Months

New French Oak (25%) Neutral French Oak (75%)

## **BOTTLING DATE**

August 11<sup>th</sup> 2015

## **PRODUCTION**

677 cases

## **RETAIL PRICE**

\$85

# 2014 Pinot Noir, Hirsch Vineyard, Sonoma Coast (Fort

Ross-Seaview AVA) The wine exudes floral tones and classic coastal notes of citrus and bay on the nose, while the palate displays black cherry, bruised strawberry and a host of savory notes from juniper berry to balsam.

Hirsch Vineyard Words Revered as a true pioneer, Failla has had the pleasure of working with David Hirsch since 2001. In one of the most distinctive sites in the true Sonoma Coast, it is planted along the San Andreas Fault. Far above the fog line and windswept, it resides just 3 miles from the ocean. With each block offering different soils, slopes and expositions – we are able to provide a fascinating and nuanced expression of this remarkable terroir. Considered a true California "Grand Cru."

The 2014 Vintage while certainly the qualitative equal of '12 and '13, has a rather different tone. These wines are brooding, intense, elegant and deeply textural. They are wines of meditation and grace and will provide years of growing, fascinating complexity. An incredible reminder of how precious our relationships are, with our own vineyards and the vineyards we source from.

**Ehren Jordan** is a true vigneron, with decades of combined experience in the cellars and vineyards of the Rhone Valley, Paso Robles, Sonoma County, Napa Valley and beyond. His obsessive hands-on farming practices and his minimalist hands-off winemaking style come through in every bottle, allowing site, variety and vintage to shine through.