

Flower Day Riesling 2022

The Flower Day Riesling is fresh and exuberant in nature. and is dry with an almost playful effervescence. This wine is sleek and crisp with lemony freshness and a pristine we-stone finish. This wine highlights our commitment to ecosystem health and comprehensive viticulture practices. We adhere to unique farming methods that focus not solely on our vineyards but on the totality of our farm, promoting biodiversity in adjacent fields, forests, and meadows, while utilizing cover crops, beneficials, and homeopathic teas and preparations. On the biodynamic calendar there are four kinds of days: root days, flower days, fruit days, and leaf days. Each of these days has certain tasks associated with it; Fruit days are meant for harvesting, leaf days for watering, root days for pruning. On flower days, the vineyard is left alone one rests.

Appellation: Seneca Lake AVA, estate bottled & grown Vineyard: HJW Vineyard, Standing Stone Vineyards

Harvest Dates: 10/3 (Fruit day on the

biodynamic calendar)

Farming Method: Biodynamic (in conversion)

Yield: 3 tons per acre

ABV: 12%

Vinification: Whole cluster pressed, indigenous yeast

fermentation, aged in 100% stainless steel.

Reviews & Ratings

94 points Wine Enthusiast Magazine (2022) 94 points VinePair (2022)



Herbicide-free farming



Hand-Picked & Hand-Sorted



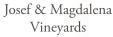
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Our Farming & Winemaking Practices

- As of 2004, we eliminated the use of herbicides.
- Our core soil management techniques include the usage of organic compost and cover crops.
- All estate fruit is hand-harvested and hand-sorted.
- Our fermentations rely on indigenous yeasts.
- We do not use fining or filtering additives.
- Our sulfur usage is below certified organic levels (EU standard).

Hermann J. Wiemer Vine Nursery

Central to the care we take in our production is the HJW Vine Nursery. The nursery is a source of regional expertise and a platform for tailoring our vineyard approach with careful precision. It is a key link between our healthy soils, robust vines, and the excellence that we strive for in every wine.