

PHANTOM CREEK  
ESTATES



2016

## Cuvée

### PHANTOM CREEK VINEYARD

38% CABERNET SAUVIGNON  
26% PETIT VERDOT  
15% MALBEC  
8% SYRAH  
8% CABERNET FRANC  
5% MERLOT

*The Phantom Creek Vineyard Cuvée is our best expression of this acclaimed vineyard. In 2016, this Cuvée is a Cabernet Sauvignon dominant blend that captures the power and opulence of our namesake vineyard.*

### *Phantom Creek Vineyard*

Established by pioneering viticulturist Richard Cleave, Phantom Creek Vineyard is located on the lower terrace of the Black Sage Bench just above the warm valley floor.

ESTABLISHED

1996

ACRES

7.0

SOIL

Osoyoos Sandy Loam

ELEVATION

315-330m

### *Cuvée N°21*

2016 had a long, gradual growing season with an exceptionally warm spring resulting in the earliest budbreak on record. However, moderate temperatures into the summer allowed us to retain acidity while achieving optimal ripeness.

VINTAGE

2016

HARVEST DATE

September 26-October 15

MATURATION

18 months in French oak

BOTTLING DATE

June 25, 2018

PRODUCTION

13 barrels

RESIDUAL SUGAR

0.37 g/L

ALCOHOL

14.5%

TOTAL ACIDITY

5.33 g/L

pH

3.90

PRICE: \$100  
AVAILABILITY: WINERY DIRECT  
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