

PRIEST RANCH

# 2024 SAUVIGNON BLANC

## APPELLATION & VINEYARDS

The historic Priest Ranch is now part of the Somerston Estate, a significant property totaling 1,682 acres with 244 acres planted to hillside vineyards. The wines of Priest Ranch are blends from multiple blocks that showcase the diversity and complexity of the combined property. The 2023 vintage of our Priest Ranch Sauvignon Block has fruit from blocks 71, 72, 80, 123, and 124.

## WINEMAKING

Our Sauvignon Blanc was fermented for 7 months in 100% stainless steel drums with native yeast at a controlled 60° F. When primary fermentation was complete, the wine was then sulfured to prevent Malolactic fermentation. The wine was then aged on the lees and stirred twice a week before being bottled in March.

## HARVEST NOTES

The 2024 Napa Valley harvest was dynamic and rich in flavor, blending boldness with elegance. Heavy winter rains set the vines up for success,

providing natural canopy protection during an unusually hot summer. It was a textbook yet compact season, requiring teamwork and flexibility.

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## TASTING NOTES

Our 2024 Sauvignon Blanc reflects the dynamic nature of the vintage, offering a bright, clear appearance and an expressive bouquet of citrus blossom, green apple, and ripe passion fruit. The palate is vibrant and fresh, with zesty acidity balancing a rich, rounded body. Notes of Meyer lemon, grapefruit, and fresh herbs intertwine with subtle mineral undertones, leading to a long, clean, and refreshing finish.

APPELLATION *Napa Valley*

VARIETAL *100% Sauvignon Blanc*

AGING *Stainless Steel Drums*

RELEASE DATE *April 2025*

PRODUCTION *2,00 cases*



