

REWA

2018 KHANDA CABERNET SAUVIGNON

In this inaugural vintage of Khanda Cabernet Sauvignon, winemaker Celia Welch blends discrete lots of our extraordinary Cabemet Sauvignon with Cabemet Franc and Malbec, new varietals planted at Rewa Vineyards and now in their fourth leaf.

The resulting wine is unmistakenly Cabernet Sauvignon with high-toned red fruits of Bing cherry, red plum, and red currant. It is nuanced by the Malbec's fresh violet and rose aromas, as well as the subtle character of dark chocolate and cedar. The tannins are approachable and present.

This wine was crafted from the Rewa Estate in Coombsville, Napa Valley. The fruit was harvested by block and fermented separately, pressed, transferred to French oak barrels, and kept as individual lots for approximately ten months. The wine was then blended and returned to barrels for an additional year of aging in French oak. The wine was bottled without fining or filtration on July 17, 2020.

Winemaker: Celia Welch Viticulturist; Mike Wolf