



Welly

CABERNET SAUVIGNON  
NAPA VALLEY

2017

Wells Wilder Casten is the youngest of our family's 6th generation. Her name is derived from the Wellington boot, first commissioned by the Duke of Wellington in 1815. A nod to our farming heritage, wellies are a hallmark of country life, both hardy and elegant. Fittingly, our Welly has a singular love of gumboots and tutus, a teeny starburst in the vineyard and on the street. Like its spirited namesake, our Welly Cabernet Sauvignon is unabashedly expressive and pure. This wine is our tribute to her, and to our family's 140 years of turning dirt into liquid splendor.



LIMITED PRODUCTION

150

CASES PRODUCED

"Deep purple with blue edges, Welly Cabernet Sauvignon's bouquet unfolds with boysenberry, blackberry, orange blossom and black cherry aromas joined with intriguing black tea, vanilla chai, and spicy earth notes. Flavors including cassis, black raspberry and ripe plums cascade across the palate, buoyed by a distinct minerality. It is creamy, rich and intense, lingering like a long, mellow summer day on the farm."

—Philippe Melka, Winemaker

BARREL REGIMEN:  
20 months in French oak; 65% new

VARIETAL:  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon

PARTNERS:  
Robin Daniel Lail,  
Erin Lail, Shannon Lail

WINEMAKER:  
Philippe Melka

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