

Lail Vineyards

BLUEPRINT SAUVIGNON BLANC VINTAGE 2023, NAPA VALLEY

ACCOLADES

94 Points

“A good vintage for one of Napa’s classic whites. Absolutely taut but flavorful, unfolding layers of new oak, minerals, chalk, citrus and green-apple nuances with each sip. Outstanding and beautiful as a restrained but agile, linear wine.”

—Jim Gordon, *JamesSuckling.com*

94 Points

“This vintage delivers all the richness expected of New World Sauvignon Blanc, with guava and apricot, accented by hints of vanilla, lemony citrus, white flowers, and orange oil. The palate offers excellent depth and density, layered with spiced ginger and stone fruit. The finish is long and lingering. Harvest stretched over three weeks, with the first pick in August and the last in September 2023. Acid profiles are bright, with a pH around 3.2 and TA typically finishing between 6.8 and 7.0 g/L. First produced in 2007, Blueprint is sourced from Rewa Vineyard in Coombsville, Gamble Ranch, and Reidel Vineyard on Atlas Peak. Each vineyard block is pressed to three-ton lots, settled overnight in individual tanks, and vinified with customized oak and fermentation programs designed to promote esters and thiols, according to winemaker Maayan Koschitzky.”

—Jonathan Cristaldi, *Decanter Magazine*

93 Points

“Aromatic, stylish and energetic, with fresh ginger, jasmine and beeswax notes, plus a lemon tart accent. Hints of Himalayan sea salt, crisp apple and dried apricot are framed on a supple, creamy frame, while a vibrant thread of acidity weaves in and out.”

—MaryAnn Worobiec, *Wine Spectator Magazine*

93 Points

“The 2023 Blueprint Sauvignon Blanc is 100% Sauvignon Blanc. It prances out of the glass with showy notes of chamomile, lemongrass, and lime leaves, leading to a core of green apples and pineapple. The medium to full-bodied palate delivers a silky texture and racy line to counter the intense citrus and tropical fruit flavors, finishing long and chalky. Yum!”

—Lisa Perrotti-Brown, M.W., *The Wine Palate*



PARTNERS | Robin Daniel Lail, Erin Lail, Shannon Lail

VARIETAL | 100% Sauvignon Blanc

VINEYARDS | Atlas Peak / Coombsville / Yountville

BARREL REGIMEN | Fermented in French and Austrian oak barrels; 30% new.
Aged 7 months in same barrels

WINEMAKERS | Philippe Melka & Maayan Koschitzky

PRODUCTION | 1008 cases

BLUEPRINT STORY

In February 2019, Robin Lail was made the U.S. Representative to the Porto Protocol, a global initiative asking companies to demonstrate their leadership on climate action and share best practices. Our Blueprint wines celebrate these pioneers and architects of innovation for putting the health of our planet ahead of quarterly reports and the bottom line. At Lail Vineyards we invite you to do the same. Make a commitment. Inspire your neighbor.