

Alexandria Nicole JET BLACK SYRAH

2016 • 93 POINTS • WINE SPECTATOR

\$28 / 750ML. SRP

TASTING NOTES

Our 2016 Jet Black Syrah is hand-picked from some of our most cherished blocks. Whole berry fermented, this wine showcases a wide array of fruit, earthy notes and smoked meat, backed with a velvety richness that makes this estate-grown Syrah something to be enjoyed for years to come. The elegance on the palate is highlighted by plum, blackberry and ripe blueberry which complement oaky nuances and a plush tannin profile. The wine finishes with a cleansing acidity, making it both an ideal stand-alone sipper and food-friendly wine.

VINTAGE

2016 continued the trend of warm growing seasons in Washington marked by an early start. Bud break and bloom were significantly advanced from historical dates, with bloom occurring in some areas as early as the third week of May, a good two-plus weeks ahead of average. By the end of May, 2016 was easily on pace to surpass 2015 as the warmest vintage on record.

SOURCE: Destiny Ridge Vineyard

APPELLATION: Horse Heaven Hills

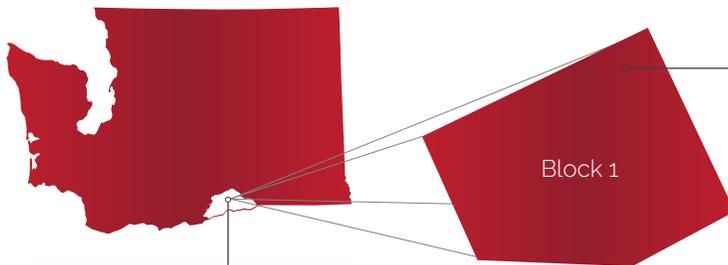
AGING: Aged 18 months in 40% new French oak and 60% 2-year-old French oak

PRODUCTION: 943 cases

WINEMAKING TEAM: Jarrod L. Boyle, Matt Dodson & Ryan Strom

ALCOHOL: 14.4%

100%
Syrah



HORSE HEAVEN HILLS AVA

Located in South Central Washington

SOIL

wind-blown sand
Missoula flood sediment
hill slope rubble

AWARDS

2016 • **93 POINTS** • Wine Spectator
2016 • **91 POINTS** • Wine & Spirits
2016 • **DOUBLE GOLD** • Seattle Wine Awards
2014 • **91 POINTS** • Wine Spectator
2013 • **92 POINTS, BEST BUY** • Wine & Spirits
2013 • **GOLD** • Seattle Wine Awards
2013 • **GOLD, BEST OF CLASS** • Seattle Wine & Food Experience
2013 • **92 POINTS, GOLD** • BTI World Wine Championships
2013 • **OUTSTANDING** • Wine Press Northwest

