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WINES

# 2021 Merlot

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Alcohol label %: 14.9

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## **Growing Conditions**

The Texas High Plains had snow in February but the vines survived as this was before bud break. Then there were hail events that missed Paka Vineyards but hit other areas in the Texas High Plains.

## **Harvest**

Harvest took place August 28th, Brix were 26.5 at harvest.

## **Aging**

We the 2021 vintage for 18 months in 36% new oak, and 64% neutral oak

## **Appearance**

Inky and full bodied.

## **Nose**

There is a complex nose of plum, blackberry jam, plum, then cardamom and nutmeg come through.

## **Palate**

Big and bold but smooth finish.