



2024 Rose of Merlot

Alcohol label %: 11.9 | pH: 3.35 | Acidity (TA): 5.63 | Residual Sugar (g/L): 5.0

Growing Conditions

Merlot from our Matheson and Swede vineyards is used in the production of this wine. It was an exceptional year where September was dry and hot, normally our wettest month.

Harvest

Hand harvested on October 10th, earlier than normal

Winemaking

Beautifully ripe fruit was rested in the press over night, extracting just the right amount of color before pressing and fermentation.

Aging

Almost no age, we bottled this wine in mid-February

Appearance

Elegant, bright pink

Nose

Fresh strawberries

Palate

Touch of sweetness at first followed by a nice acidic backbone.

Food Pairing

Perfect as an aperitif or with a wonderful, crisp salad from fresh spring lettuce and greens with Leelanau Country Inn French dressing.

