

Round Pond Estate, owned and operated by the MacDonnell family, is a highly sought-after and respected ultra-premium Cabernet Sauvignon producer specializing in the creation of pure, expressive wines, artisan foods, and unforgettable experiences–all from the heart of Napa Valley.

ACCOLADES

2019 VINTAGE: 93+ PTS JEB DUNNUCK, 93 PTS WINE SPECTATOR, 93 PTS WINE ENTHUSIAST 2018 VINTAGE: 96 PTS TASTING PANEL, 95 PTS JEB DUNNUCK, 95 PTS + EDITORS CHOICE WINE ENTHUSIAST, 92 PTS VINOUS

2017 VINTAGE: 97 PTS TASTING PANEL, 92 PTS VINOUS, 92 PTS JAMES SUCKLING

ABOUT LOUIS BOVET

Bovet is Co-Founder Jan MacDonnell's maiden name, and with this wine we are honoring her grandfather Louis. His passion for home winemaking and for creating a self-sustaining estate for himself and his children inspire us every day at Round Pond Estate. The icon on the label depicts the old wooden stamp that he used on the label of his homemade wine and the three bands on the capsule depict the three generations of family currently living on the property.

WINEMAKING NOTES

The Louis Bovet Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon embodies a sharp focus on aspects of Rutherford terroir. This wine is composed from vineyard blocks which grow in gravelly and sandy soils in our Rutherford vineyard's eastern edge. These vines grow small, intensely concentrated grapes which translate to dark fruited, structured wines. This wine is age worthy and deserving of a place of honor in your cellar and on your table.

TASTING NOTES

This striking Cabernet opens with concentrated aromatics featuring black cherry notes, allspice, cocoa nibs and a hint of coffee. Mouthwatering flavors of blackberry, plum and mulberry lead to a touch of black pepper spice and dried herbs on the finish. Firm tannins envelop the palate and are beautifully balanced by the acidity, leading to a long, satisfying finish.

VINTAGE & VITICULTURE

The 2021 vintage was marked by a second season of drought. The temperatures remained relatively mild, however the dry conditions resulted in smaller, more concentrated grapes with lighter yields and one of the earliest harvest windows to date. Our Cabernet Sauvignon and other red varieties are planted on loose, alluvial soils derived from the volcanic Vaca Mountains and our "California sprawl" trellis systems provide excellent vine balance and diverse sun exposures.

WINEMAKERS: John Wilson & Jeff Plant CONSULTING WINEMAKER: Thomas Rivers Brown VARIETALS: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon AGING: 20 months in 70% new French oak RELEASE DATE: July 2023 SRP: \$128.00 HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS: Vegan Friendly, Gluten Free, Sustainably Farmed

