



PLATINUM  
2019  
HAYNES CREEK  
CABERNET FRANC

After more than two decades, Cabernet Franc, a grape principally grown for blending at CedarCreek, is finally stepping out into the spotlight. Grown in our southern Okanagan vineyards, this late-ripening grape maintains balance and preserves elegance. Bright red fruit shines through, and with every sip, you'll understand why this is the variety of the future.

THE VINTAGE

2019 was, up until September, near picture perfect. Warm days, but not too warm, cool nights, but not too cool, set the ripening process on a trajectory of ideal balance. With September came cool weather and some rainfall, but with careful attention to sorting and managing harvest dates, we feel our hard work paid off with wines of ideal balance and intense fruit character. In particular, the lively acidities have produced wines which are lively and fresh.

TASTING NOTES

*Dutch pressed cocoa powder, raspberries, espresso, dried orange peel and fresh boysenberries. Dusty tannins with a juicy finish.*

HARVEST DATE	October 10-16, 2019
BLEND	100% Cabernet Franc
FERMENTATION	100% Organic Yeast in Stainless Steel
AGING	12 months in French oak barriques
CELLARING	Enjoy now or cellar through 2025
ALCOHOL	13.5%