

# J A I N E

## 2019 SAUVIGNON BLANC COLUMBIA VALLEY

*Jaine inspires us to celebrate life's beautiful moments in the company of others. Capturing the essence of a single vineyard, each bottle of refreshingly crisp white and rosé wine is hand-harvested from sustainable sites and crafted with minimal intervention.*



*Intense aromas of gooseberry, lime, citrus blossoms, chalky minerals and lychee. Swirling adds dehydrated citrus peel, under ripe white peach with fresh herbs. The palate is glassy in texture, with vibrant acidity.*

### IN THE VINEYARD

100% Sauvignon Blanc. Crafted exclusively from one small vineyard parcel in the Columbia Valley – Bacchus, a leading source of old vine Washington fruit with a commanding view to the west overlooking the mighty Columbia River and the Rattlesnake Mountains. This higher elevation vineyard gives way to varied soils, allowing both the east and west sides of the canopy to fall out to the sides of the cordon which adds complexity to the wine. Bacchus further features drip irrigation, allowing use of the Regulated Deficit Irrigation (RDI); with RDI and soil moisture monitoring, the site can be constantly fine-tuned to improve the quality of the fruit. The vineyard is fully sustainable, using organic farming methods whenever possible.

### WINEMAKING

Being an older vineyard, combined with youthful picking, allowed for more development of this wine at an earlier stage. Hand-harvested early in the morning of August 22nd, 2019 resulted in the grapes maintaining their aromatic freshness and bright acidity. Hand-sorted and whole-cluster pressed, this wine was fermented entirely in a vast array of white wine specific equipment – including presses, crush pad and nearly 50 small stainless steel tanks to choose from which are gentler in managing the grapes. Racked off of the gross lees early to maximize aromatic potential and lightly fined and sterile filtered to maintain perfume and clarity. Over the course of 8 months, this wine was individually evaluated over 40 times by our winemaking team, and finally bottled on August 3, 2020.

### VINEYARD

*Bacchus Vineyard*

### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

*100% Sauvignon Blanc*

### ALCOHOL

*12.7%*

### R/S

*0.0%*

### CASES PRODUCED

*455*

### FERMENTATION + AGING

*Fermented in 100% stainless steel and aged for 8 months in stainless steel tanks.*

### RETAIL

*\$24*

