



## **Chateau Margene**

### **2020 Beau Melange**

We have been blessed with a great location here in Creston and have been producing our flagship Bordeaux blend, Beau Melange since 2002. The most compelling wines are born in a specific vineyard and are the result of years of planning, tending to the vines and cultivating when perfectly ripe.

The 2022 growing season was a challenging one with unusually high temperatures for an extended time, some rain and later than normal harvest dates. Our mantra through it all was "patience" with our last pick on October 11th. We are very happy with the wines in barrel and look forward to nurturing this vintage through to bottling.

### **2019 WINES REVIEWED**

The reviews were from Wine Enthusiast Magazine, Tasting Panel Magazine and SOMM Journal in late August. Verdicts in: we received (1) 98 point, (1) 96 point, (2) 95 points, (2) 94 points and (2) 93 points. We were anxious to see what both the critics and sommeliers thought and how our wines compare when up against some of the best in the world. SOMM Journal Magazine has also included us in an article on boutique Paso Robles CAB producers that came out in their November 2022 issue.

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## Tasting Notes

\$170 / WC \$136

### Creston District, Paso Robles

100% Estate fruit creates the 19th vintage of this stellar blend, the winery's flagship cuvée, combining 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Cabernet Franc, and 25% Merlot. Spending 23 months in 100% French oak, the mouthfeel is a paradigm of dusty tannins and cashmere carpet of plum and mocha. The remarkable muster of violets, cherry pie, and sweet earth is generous, vibrant, balanced and well structured. As always with this wine, patience is highly rewarded. Will peak in 2035. .

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## Spring 2023 Wine Release Weekend

April 15th & 16th

11:00 am or 2:00 pm

Come celebrate with us! Great wines, live music and small bites being provided. Two members and two guests are complimentary for Beau Melange members. Our Spring 2023 wine club offerings will be poured, so come taste the newest offerings. Reservations are required!!

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*Sorry, no one under 21 and no dogs allowed this weekend.*