



WOODWARD CANYON



Woodward Canyon Winery was established in 1981 by Rick Small and his wife, Darcey Fugman-Small. The winery was named for the canyon where Rick's family farmed for multiple generations and where the Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard is now located. Woodward Canyon was the second winery in the Walla Walla Valley, and the Smalls were instrumental in the process of obtaining federal approval of the Walla Walla Valley Appellation in 1984.

2024 WOODWARD CANYON FACTSHEET

Name: The Estate Vineyard is located in Woodward Canyon, approximately 3 ½ miles northwest of the winery off of Woodward Canyon Road.

Winery Location: Washington State's Walla Walla Valley Appellation. Approximately 13 miles west of the city of Walla Walla on Old Highway 12 in the community of Lowden.

Owners: Rick Small, Darcey Fugman-Small, Jordan Small, Sager Small and Kevin Mott.

Winemaker: Kevin Mott.

Founding Date: 1981. 2nd winery in Walla Walla Valley.

Tasting Room: 1870's farmhouse which has been moved twice. Served as the residence for the Superintendent and teacher of the Lowden schoolhouse next door. Acquired and refurbished as the tasting room in 2000. The Reserve House was constructed on the property in 2008 and houses space for private tastings and winemaker dinners. Originally the family farm shops. Additional buildings have been added.

Production Facility: Originally the family farm shops. Additional buildings have been added.

Brands: Woodward Canyon Winery, began producing Woodward Canyon wines in 1981.

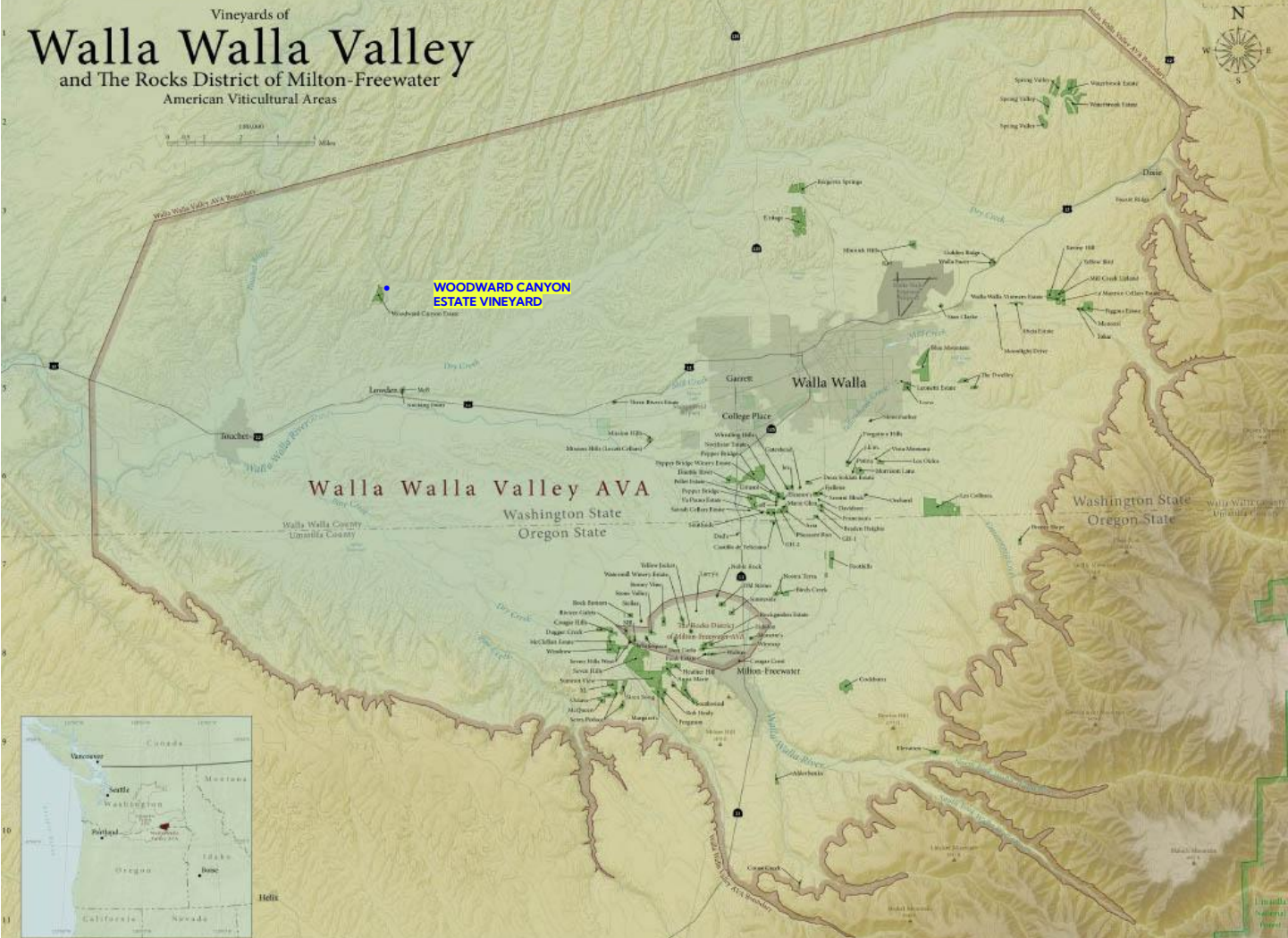
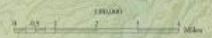
Production: Around 10,000 cases total. 50% - 60% produced from our own acreage.

Estate Varietals: Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Merlot, Barbera, Sauvignon Blanc, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot, Malbec, Syrah.

Estate Vineyard: Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard: Walla Walla Valley Appellation, 35 acres. The Estate Vineyard is certified as Salmon Safe.

Key Vineyard Sources: Sagemoor Vineyard: White Bluffs Appellation. Weinbau Vineyard: Wahluke Slope Appellation.

Vineyards of Walla Walla Valley and The Rocks District of Milton-Freewater American Viticultural Areas



**WOODWARD CANYON
ESTATE VINEYARD**

Walla Walla Valley AVA
Washington State
Oregon State



2022 Woodward Canyon Washington State Chardonnay



Inspired by the Grand Cru's of Burgundy, chardonnay was the first wine founder, Rick Small, made as a home winemaker. It was also the first varietal planted on the Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard. This wine is a blend of two different blocks from our Estate Vineyard – our southeast-facing “old vines” block planted in 1978 and a newer, north-facing block planted in 2011. Produced and bottled at Woodward Canyon Winery.



2022 WOODWARD CANYON WASHINGTON STATE CHARDONNAY

VINEYARD

Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard

WINEMAKING

Hand harvested Barrel fermented in

100% French Sirugue oak, 20% new

No malolactic fermentation

WINE DATA

Varietal Composition | 100% Chardonnay

Alcohol | 13.8%

Bottling Date | April 2023

Release Date | May 2023

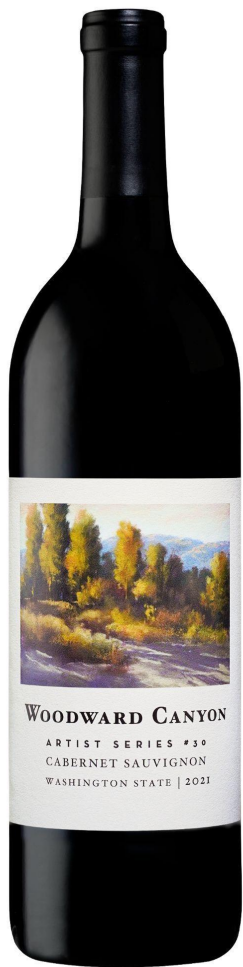
Case Production | 706 cases

ACCLAIM

94, Owen Bargreen

91, Wine Enthusiast

"Walla Walla-based Woodward Canyon's Chardonnay is an iconic version of the variety in Washington." -Seattle Magazine

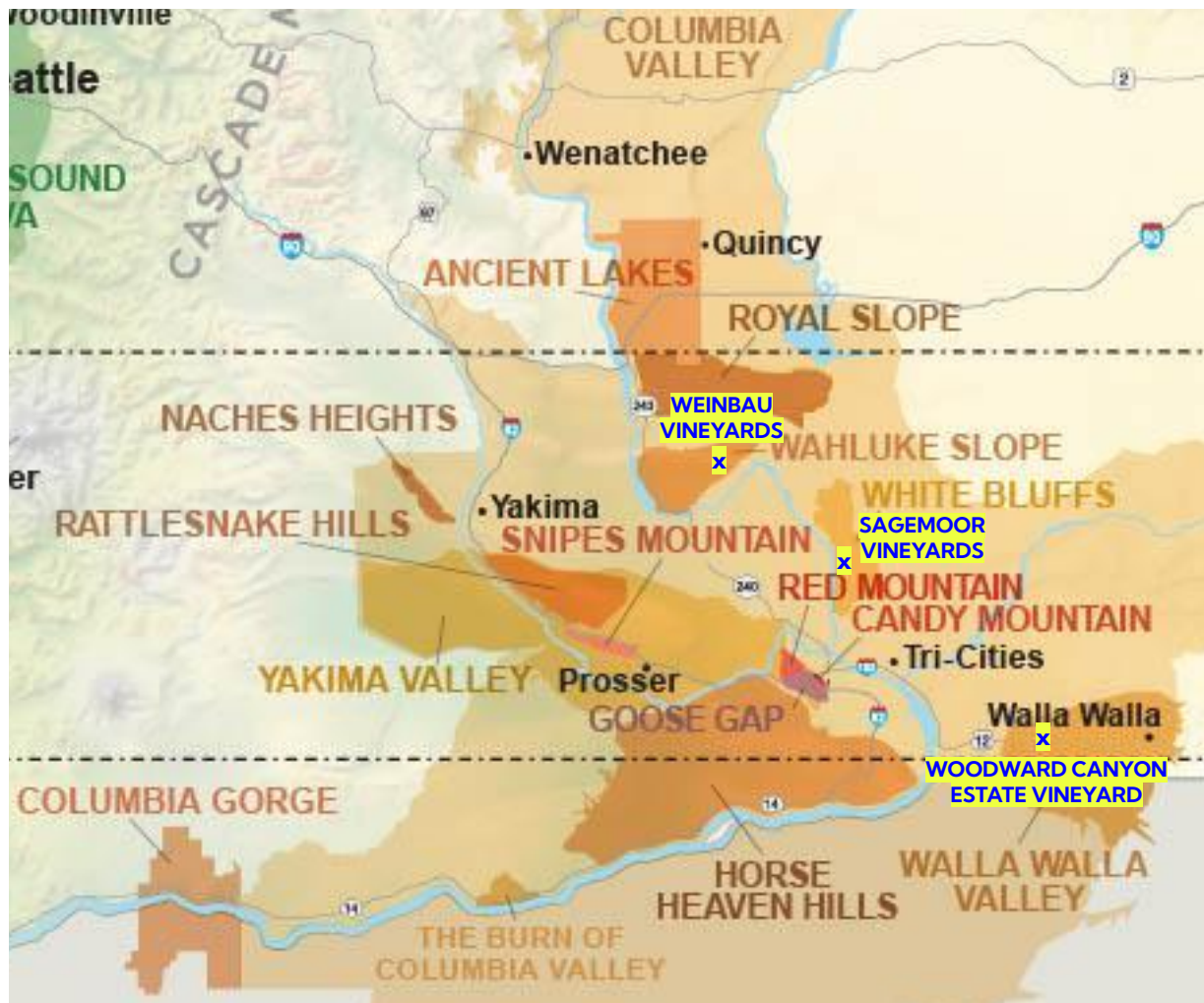


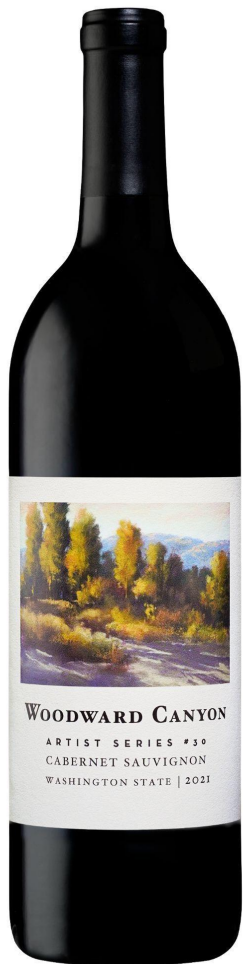
2021 Artist Series Washington State Cabernet

Our Woodward Canyon Artist Series began with the intent to showcase the finest cabernet sauvignon in Washington State and has since become our flagship wine. The vineyards used in the Artist Series are among the oldest and most highly regarded in the state, typical vine age is around 35 years old. The label changes every year with work from a different West Coast artist.

“Since its debut back in 1992, Woodward Canyon’s Artist Series Cabernet has been a Washington State benchmark. It’s hard to believe such a legendary bottling is still so affordable.” David Lynch, Sommelier & Editorial Director, SommSelect







2021 Artist Series Washington State Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARDS

Weinbau Vineyard

Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard

Sagemoor Vineyard

WINEMAKING

Hand harvested and sorted 48 hour cold soak

Fermented in stainless steel open top fermenters

39% new French and Hungarian oak, 20 months

Spontaneous malolactic fermentation

WINE DATA

Varietals | 87% Cabernet Sauvignon, 7% Petit Verdot, 5% Merlot 1% Cabernet Franc

Alcohol | 14.7%

Bottling Date | May 2022

Release Date | November 2023

MSRP | \$65

Case Production | 2,528 cases

ACCLAIM

93, Owen Bargreen

92, Wine Enthusiast

92, James Suckling

91, Vinous

Sagemoor Vineyard

Founded in 1968 through the vision of Alec Bayless, Sagemoor Vineyards was a pioneering effort that helped establish the Washington State wine industry. Its early vineyards are among the oldest large-scale plantings of vinifera grapes in the State. Rick began using Sagemoor fruit in his home winemaking days and we continue to use it today. A significant number of 1972 plantings are still producing our highly acclaimed Old Vines Cabernet Sauvignon sourced from specific rows in Blocks 3 and 9.

Established: 1972

Aspect: Southwest

Slope: 4.5%

Acreage: 97

Elevation: 572 ft.

Appellation: Columbia Valley AVA

Location: Near Pasco, WA above the Columbia River

Soils: Quincey loamy fine sand – mixed eolian Sands; Ottmar silt loam – loess and alluvium over residuum weathered from sandstone, siltstone or shale; Royal loamy fine sand – sandy alluvium

Ownership / Management: One of the five Sagemoor Vineyard properties





Weinbau Vineyard

Weinbau has a view of the Rattlesnake Mountains to the south, and the Saddle Mountains to the north. The land slopes gently south, with elevation ranging from 710–950 feet. Weinbau is a warm site with excellent air drainage, and soil is dominated by Kennewick silt loam with 2–5% slope. The consistency of soil type shows up in vine growth and subsequently in the wines.

Established: 1981

Aspect: South

Slope: 2–5%

Acreage: 460

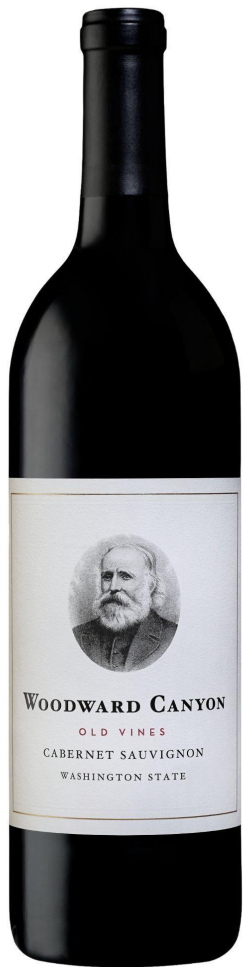
Elevation: 830 ft.

Appellation: Wahluke Slope AVA

Location: 12 miles east of Mattawa, WA, a very level and consistent vineyard, defined as "rangeland"

Soils: Kennewick silt loam – Lacustrine deposited, Taunton silt loam – Alluvial and wind-blown loess

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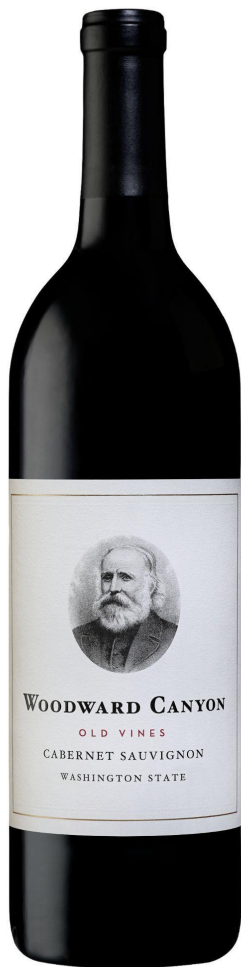


2021 "Old Vines" Washington State Cabernet Sauvignon

The Old Vines Cabernet Sauvignon (originally Dedication Series) has been in production since the bonding of the winery in 1981. Primary sourcing has always come from some of the oldest cabernet blocks and the most highly acclaimed sites in the state. The 1987 vintage was the first Washington wine to be on Wine Spectator's Top 10 list.

"One of the state's best bottles year after year" - Wine Enthusiast





2021 "Old Vines" Washington State Cabernet Sauvignon

VINEYARDS

Sagemoor Vineyard

Weinbau Vineyard

Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard

WINEMAKING

Hand harvested and sorted 48 hour cold soak

Fermented in stainless steel open top fermenters

100% new French oak, 20 months

Spontaneous malolactic fermentation

WINE DATA

Varietals | 92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Petit Verdot, 3% Malbec

Alcohol | 14.8%

MSRP | \$110

Case Production | 710 cases

ACCLAIM

96, Wine Enthusiast, *Cellar Selection*

96, Owen Bargreen

94+, Vinous

93, James Suckling

Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard



Rick planted the first of thirty-five acres of the Woodward Canyon Estate Vineyard in 1977 on his family's dryland wheat ranch. The hillside vineyard now includes cabernet sauvignon, chardonnay, merlot, cabernet franc, sauvignon blanc and syrah. Several more acres of green belts that support native species such as western juniper, ponderosa pine, western sagebrush, arrowleaf balsamroot, and perennial wildflowers. The Smalls are also experimenting with organic and regenerative farming practices. The soil composition is Ritzville silt loam over fractured basalt, slope 15-18%, 750-850 ft. elevation. All grapes are Salmon Safe certified. Managed in house by vineyard manager Sager Small & foreman Juan Esparza.

Woodward Canyon Estate Wines

All Woodward Canyon Estate Wines are 100% Hand Harvested and Sorted with Native Yeast and Spontaneous Malolactic Fermentation

2020 Estate Merlot

WINEMAKING

Barrel fermented in 47% new French & Hungarian barrels, 20 months

WINE DATA

Varietals | 100% Merlot

Alcohol | 14.8%

Bottling Date | May 2022

Release Date | September 2022

MSRP | \$52

Case Production | 397 cases

ACCLAIM

94, International Wine Report

93, Wine Enthusiast, Editors' Choice

93, Wine Advocate

93, Owen Bargreen



2020 Estate Cabernet Franc

WINEMAKING

2 year old French and Hungarian barrels, 20 months

WINE DATA

Varietals | 100% Cabernet Franc

Alcohol | 15.1%

Bottling Date | May 2022

Release Date | May 2023

MSRP | \$52

Case Production | 420 cases

ACCLAIM

93, Owen Bargreen

90, Wine Advocate



2020 Estate Reserve Red Wine

WINEMAKING

100% new French barrels, 20 months

WINE DATA

Varietals | 35% Cabernet Sauvignon, 29% Merlot, 24% Cabernet Franc, 6% Malbec, 6% Petit Verdot

Alcohol | 14.8%

Bottling Date | May 2022

Release Date | March 2023

MSRP | \$89

Case Production | 399 cases

ACCLAIM

94, Owen Bargreen

94, Jeb Dunnuck

92+, Wine Advocate

92, James Suckling





Trade Information

Visit our trade page: <https://www.woodwardcanyon.com/Trade--Media>

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