



The Bovet Reserve family of wines honors matriarch Jannine MacDonnell's family who created exceptional wine in the early 1920's. We carry on this tradition with these incredibly special wines that combine this legacy with our family's 40 years of winegrowing experience in the Napa Valley.

#### ACCOLADES

2023 VINTAGE: **92 PTS** WINE SPECTATOR, **92 PTS** JAMES SUCKLING  
2022 VINTAGE: **91 PTS** WINE ENTHUSIAST, **91 PTS** WINE SPECTATOR  
2020 VINTAGE: **94 PTS** WINE ENTHUSIAST  
2019 VINTAGE: **93 PTS** WINE ENTHUSIAST, **92 PTS** WINE SPECTATOR

#### WINEMAKING NOTES

The Reserve Sauvignon Blanc is made in a ripe, rich, and forward style. The grapes are harvested when the tropical notes are at their peak. Fermentation occurs naturally in subtle, water-bent French oak barrels; increasing the perception of sweetness on the nose and adding layers of complexity. This bouquet-driven wine is kept on its lees but does not go through malolactic fermentation. While this elegant wine will provide easy enjoyment for all, the depth and complex nature found here will provide ample opportunity for the seasoned palate to contemplate the experience.

#### TASTING NOTES

Intoxicating tropical aromas leap out of the glass with notes of honeydew melon and apricot to round it out. Bright notes of pineapple, guava, grapefruit, and lemon curd are balanced with a hint of minerality. A soft and creamy mid-palate are followed by mouth-watering acidity leading to a delightfully long finish.

#### VINTAGE & VITICULTURE

The 2023 vintage marked the end of our three-year drought, bringing nearly 30" of rainfall that contributed to the revitalization of our soil profiles and fostering robust canopy growth. The vintage was one of the mildest in the last 10 years which provided a long hangtime, allowing full flavor development leading to very expressive flavors and aromas. As soon as the fruit set after flowering, extensive hand work began in the vineyard opening the canopy to allow for full sun exposure on the fruit. This leads to full, concentrated flavor and ensures the fruit is as expressive as possible. The 2023 vintage will be one for the ages and we feel these wines truly capture the exceptional year.

WINEMAKER: Jeff Plant

CONSULTING WINEMAKER: Thomas Rivers Brown

VARIETALS: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

FERMENTATION: 100% Barrel Fermented for 9 months in 20% New French Oak

RELEASE DATE: August 2024

SRP: \$50.00

HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS: Sustainably Farmed, Vegan Friendly, Gluten Free



2023 JANNINE BOVET SAUVIGNON BLANC