

2021

# HI NO TORI CABERNET SAUVIGNON

## WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The 2021 Hi No Tori cabernet sauvignon is elegant and refined, yet approachable. Characteristic of Meadowbrook Farm, fruity bramble berry and savory tobacco contrast and mingle on the nose. Medium tannins on the palate are balanced by juicy red fruits, plum preserves, and menthol with hints of herbs and mouth watering acidity.

## VINIFICATION PROCESS

Blended to provide value far beyond the price point and an introduction to the organically farmed Meadowbrook Estate Vineyard. The fruit was harvested and sorted by hand, fermented in small steel tanks, and aged 20 months in a combination of new and used Taransaud and Bousset French oak barrels.

## STORY

Japanese for "Bird of Fire", this wine truly embodies the eternal spirit of the phoenix that adorns the label. Proceeds from the sale of this wine benefit the California Firefighters Endowment, providing scholarships to the children of fallen firefighters.



### WINEMAKER

Steve Matthiasson

### APPELLATION

Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

### VINEYARD

Meadowbrook Farm Estate

### PRODUCTION

450 cases (750mL)

### ALC

13.5%

### PH

3.78

### TA

5.56 g/L

### DECANTER

97 pts