

# Quill 2019 Syrah

*Blue Grouse*  
ESTATE WINERY and VINEYARD

## Viticulture and Composition

Geographical Indication (GI): Okanagan Valley

Syrah 100% | Okanagan – Oliver

## Vineyard Notes

This Syrah is from our grape growing partner just north of the town of Oliver. The vines grow in Parkhill soils that are sandy loam formed from fluvioglacial deposits. This is a quality grape supplier, who has a long-standing relationship with Blue Grouse.

## Winemaker's Notes

The 2019 grape season was a cooler year in the Okanagan. The grapes arrived at the end of October and cold settled for 3 days. The Syrah was then inoculated with yeast and the ferment lasted 10 days with the temperature remaining constant. After pressing, the wine was moved into older French and American oak barrels to complete malolactic fermentation, which was followed by twelve months of aging.

## Profile & Food Pairing

This is an elegant, old world style wine aged for 12 months in neutral French and American oak. The wine expresses notes of black cherry, butcher block, cocoa, pepper, coffee and chocolate. Pair with beef stew or braised vegetables.


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ALC 12.9% — PH 3.6 — TA 6.4 — RS 0.8 — VQA

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BOTTLING DATE May 2021 — PRODUCTION 300 cases

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