

FLYING TROUT



2014 Phinny Hill Malbec Horse Heaven Hills AVA | 136 Cases Produced



Vineyard

Phinny Hill Vineyard was originally planted in 1998 and is now owned and operated by Dick Beightol and his son. Situated in a prime location at an elevation of 750ft in the Horse Heaven Hills AVA, the soil is mostly glacial outwash gravels and sand in combination with river rock. This vineyard boasts generous heat and a long growing season, bringing complexity and ripe tannins to our wine.

Winemaker Notes

The Malbec grapes for this beauty were harvested near the end of September. They came in at a perfect ripeness and acidity level and we were thrilled to use this vineyard again as our last vintage from Phinny Hill was amazing. Aged in neutral French oak for 18 months, we released this in the spring of 2017 after resting in bottle for about a year.

Tasting Notes

This outstanding vineyard on the western side of the Horse Heaven Hills flourishes under grower, Dick Beightol's, prowess. With a palate of stewed dark fruits, baking spices, and fresh cherry pie with a hint of white pepper and cedar, this is the perfect wine to welcome fall with.