

Larkmead Firebelle Red Blend



THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - CA

REGION: Napa

APPELLATION: Calistoga

CEPAGE: 63% Merlot, 21% Cabernet Sauvignon, 14% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 14.7%

AGING: 22 Months, 64% New French Oak

ANNUAL PRODUCTION: 1365 Cases

THE STORY

Founded in 1895, Larkmead Vineyards is one of the oldest family-owned wineries in Napa Valley. Since 1948, the estate has been under the stewardship of the Solari-Baker family, whose enduring commitment to thoughtful farming and meticulous replanting has shaped the evolution of its historic 115-acre vineyard. Today, Larkmead produces some of Napa Valley's most distinctive and age-worthy wines, rooted in a profound respect for place and a relentless pursuit of quality.

BIOGRAPHY: Led by Winemaker Avery Heelan and Vineyard Manager Nabor Camarena, whose combined tenure at the estate spans more than 25 years, Larkmead continues its legacy as dedicated stewards of the land.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Beautifully plush, approachable, and bright.

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Opens with a lifted aromatic profile of cherry blossom, layered with berry and cherry notes.

MOUTHFEEL: Supple mid-palate balanced by fruit-driven acidity.

THE SELLING POINTS

Estate-grown red blend of old-vine Merlot and Cabernet Franc

SUSTAINABILITY: Certified Organic, Green Practicing, Sustainable In Practice

PAIRINGS: Grilled Tri-Tip, BBQ Ribs, Fennel Sausage, Wood-fired Pizza

