## **HAYFORK**

# **Grenache Blanc**



CATEGORY: Crisp Whites





Pack Size: 12/750ml **SRP:** \$34

#### **HISTORY**

Hayfork strongly believes that the hands of the farmer in the field lay the foundation necessary to produce a quality wine and they are proud to be a family whose past is deeply rooted in the soils of the land and valley.

The Lewelling's farming heritage runs deep and began when John Lewelling, a horticulturist by trade, settled the St. Helena family ranch in 1864. Whether growing walnuts, prunes, pears or grapes, the Lewelling family has been continuously farming their land for six generations.

100% Grenache Blanc Kenefick Ranch Calistoga, Napa Valley 14% Alc by Vol



#### **VINTAGE**

**RAINFALL:** Average is 27 inches per year.

**BLOOM:** May

WEATHER: A long growing season marked by sunny, warm and dry days followed by cool evenings.

**HARVEST DATES:** September 2 **GRAPES:** Average Brix 24

#### SITE

A "removed bench" bookended by two canyons creating alluvial fans on each side, and well drained volcanic soils in the middle of the vineyard.

**ELEVATION:** 350 ft.

**SOILS:** Volcanic, gravelly loam. **VINES:** Planted in the 1990s



### **BOTTLING DATE: 02/23**

The 2022 Hayfork Grenache Blanc is beautifully layered with notes of honeysuckle, tropical fruit, and citrus flower. These dewy flavors and aromas are supported by a dazzling acidity, which effortlessly balances this versatile white. Our Grenache Blanc is made for evenings on the porch. The grapes are sourced from the sustainably farmed Kenefick Ranch in Calistoga where hot days and cool nights produce stunning whites.

### WINEMAKING & TECHNICAL DATA

**FERMENTATION:** Started in stainless steel, finished in neutral oak

**BARRELS:** Neutral oak barrels.

**AGING:** 4 months