

# FORGERON CELLARS

DOWNTOWN WALLA WALLA  
WINERY & TASTING ROOM

P 509.522.9463  
tastingroom@forgeroncellars.com

**WINEMAKER:**  
ENRIQUE IBARRA

---

Located in an old blacksmith workshop that has been transformed into a tasting room and state-of-the-art winery, Forgeron Cellars has crafted small-lot artisan wines since 2001. We continue to work with many of the region's top grape growers to ensure the production of some of the most appealing wines Washington has to offer.

---

## 2021 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Walla Walla Valley

Dark berries, sweet tobacco and roasted peppers rise from the glass to meet you. Then the bold flavors of toasted berries and ripe black plums with green peppers, vanilla and dark chocolate dance on your palate. This lushness lingers into a long glamorous finish of velvety tannins, berry medley and spice.

### ADDITIONAL NOTES

Cabernet Sauvignon flourishes in Walla Walla Valley, especially between Seven Hills Vineyard and Minnick Hills Vineyard. They complement each other so well in the bottle, enhancing the varietal profile and texture of the wine. This vintage opens with a big and full profile and softens out with a pleasing long, lengthy finish.

### VINTAGE NOTES

In 2021 we had a bit of an odd start. We experienced a push and pull with the weather conditions throughout the growing season. The growing season started off with much warmer temperatures in the spring that led us to expect an early harvest, but temperatures lowered to a more optimal level during the summer months. With the proper temperatures continuing through to the end of summer we were able to wait for the most ideal moment to harvest the fruit. The optimal harvest conditions allowed us to develop comprehensive varietal character in the finished wines.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Composition: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon  
Vineyard: Minnick Hills Vineyard  
AVA: Walla Walla Valley  
Coopering: 24 months in 20% new oak, 80% neutral oak  
pH: 3.72 | TA: 6.40 g/L | Alcohol: 14.8  
Bottled: February 2024  
Production: 176 cases



forgeroncellars.com