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2013 Grenache Blanc, El Dorado

The Grenache Blanc is one of Tracey's projects that debuted with the 2010 vintage. The 2013 is a blend of from both the Fenaughty Vineyard and Swansboro Vineyard and is back to previous vintages with no skin contact for a mineral driven, refreshing Grenache Blanc.

Appellation: El Dorado

Vineyard: Fenaughty & Swansboro

Varietal: Grenache Blanc

Clone: Mostly Tablas Creek

Age: 6 years

Elevation: 2,800 feet

Soil: Hotow, Aiken & Argonaut loam

Yield: 3 tons/acre

Harvested: August 27, 2013

Pressed: August 27, 2013

Blend: 100% Grenache Blanc

Fermentation: Wild yeast, neutral oak

Barrel aging: 8 months in neutral FO barrels

Bottled: Unfiltered on May 24, 2014

Production: 225 cases

Release date: Summer 2014

Tasting Notes

A perfumed nose with bright aromas nectarine and orange pith, complicated by subtle floral and spicy herbal nuances. Offering lively orchard fruit and honey flavors underscored by juicy acidity. .