

# ANDREW JANUIK

## 2021 Lady Hawk Cabernet Sauvignon

### TASTING NOTES

The nose on this dark magenta wine has beautiful high notes of raspberry and mineral. The well-structured body is supple in the front, showing notes of cassis and earth throughout the palate. The long, textured finish is framed by strong tannins. Drink now through 2038.

### VINEYARDS

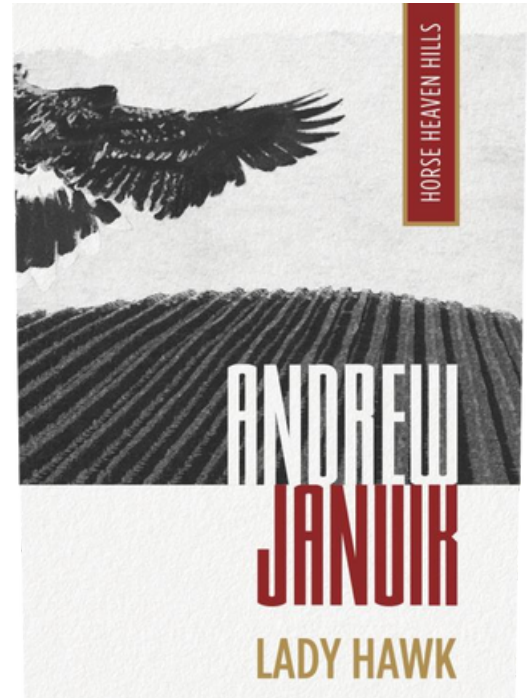
Lady Hawk is one of the finest vineyards that Washington State has to offer, and clearly represents the uniqueness of the Horse Heaven Hills AVA. Lady Hawk, owned and operated by Judi and Paul Champoux, is a very small parcel of land with less than five acres planted—all of which is Cabernet Sauvignon. Luckily there are no other wineries that receive grapes from this meticulously managed vineyard, thus leading to a truly one-of-a-kind wine.

### VINTAGE

Winemakers and growers will remember the 2021 vintage for the outstanding quality of its grapes that produced wines with balance and concentration. The year was marked by low yields, and the wines were deeply colored, flavorful, and loaded with texture. The season started in early April with warm conditions lasting throughout the spring. Just when it seemed the heat would never let up, temperatures cooled in late August with perfect fall weather being made to order. A typical pattern of warm days and cool nights created ideal ripening conditions.

### WINEMAKER

Though this is my eleventh vintage as an independent producer, I am fortunate enough to come from a family involved with Washington winemaking for the last 4 decades. I've had the invaluable opportunity of learning both the science and art of winemaking from two of the state's most highly regarded winemakers: Mike Januik and Scott Moeller. In recent years I have worked tirelessly to hone a unique style that best fits my palate and produces what I consider to be elegant and well-balanced wines. This has included nine vintages of making wine in the Southern Hemisphere to expand my winemaking philosophy and techniques.



Blend:

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Cases: 243

TA: 0.48

pH: 3.84

Barrels:

50% New French

50% Once-used French

Aging: 20 months in barrel

Alcohol: 14.0%

Vineyard: Lady Hawk