

# Chateau Margene - FALL 2025

#### THE ESTATE VINEYARD

The 2025 growing season delivered us brought an unusual combination of drought conditions and cooler temperatures, creating what we think will be an exceptional vintage with distinctive character. With a Summer that was cooler than 2022 and 2023, we harvested grapes that were were very balanced. No late heat spikes to drive up sugars and pH allowed for an extended ripening period. We had enough warmth to allow the vines to develop a balanced accumulation of color, flavor, sugar and acidity. It seems we have given a 2025 vintage that will show great concentration and flavors while promising age-worthy wines with less alcohol. We are excited about the potential of our Cabernet Sauvignon this vintage, which is exhibiting early signs of elegance, longevity, structured tannins, and lifted aromatics, suggesting wines that will be enjoyable in youth and capable of aging.

### Varietally Distinct: 2023 Merlot and 2023 Malbec

In previous vintages, we produced the CASK 7, a blend of 50% Merlot & 50% Malbec. It has received rave reviews and a 96 point rating in The SOMM Journal. This year, we flipped the script and opted to produce each varietal on its own. Introducing the very first Malbec we have ever bottled and only the 2<sup>nd</sup> Merlot (only other one was the 2002). These wines are representative of our estate terrior and we only produced 24 cases of each. They will be poured at our Fall Release Party on November 15<sup>th</sup> at the estate. Still space if you have not yet reserved your spot. Both wines were aged in 100% new French Oak casks (Seguin Moreau iCone Elegance) for 23 months. Price for both is \$110 / \$88 for Wine Club members. These wines are not part of an automatic wine club shipment and can be purchased at the winery or by emailing info@chateaumargene.com.

#### NEW RELEASE WEEKEND

November 15th 2:00 pm

We will be pouring the Fall wine club wines and offering "day of" specials on Library wines and El Pistolero wines. Music by The Bill Grove Trio. *Reservations are required!* Go to chateaumargene.com/visit, scroll down, Book Reservation, enter your name or email and choose your preferred date. Two members and two guests are Complimentary. *Sorry, no one under 21 and no dogs allowed at this event.* 



## FALL 2025 CLUB WINES

2023 Cabernet Sauvignon - Stella's Vineyard

Cabernet Sauvignon 84% Malbec 16% \$90 / Wine Club \$72

Cabernet Sauvignon, Winemaker's Mixed & Cellar Clubs

2023 Cabernet Franc - Margene's Signature Series

Cabernet Franc 100%

\$80 / Wine Club \$64

Winemaker's Mixed & Cellar Clubs

2023 Pinot Noir - Boekenoogen Vineyard

(POM 4 & Dijon 113 Clones)

\$80 / Wine Club \$64

Pinot Noir & Winemaker's Mixes Clubs

2011 ROXO "15 Year" Tawny 500ml

\$80 / Wine Club \$64

ROXO Club - Port

2015 ROXO Cabernet Sauvignon 500ml \$60 / Wine Club \$48

ROXO Club - Port

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