

SUBPLOT NO. 40

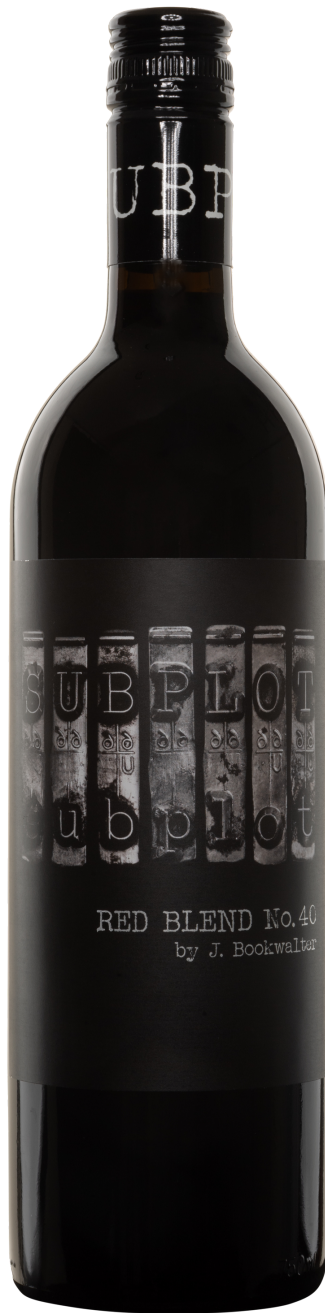
SENSORY NOTES

There is a bit of foreshadowing with the 2022 release of Subplot No. 40 since J. Bookwalter Winery will be 40 next year! So for this very special bottling, we decided to give Subplot No. 40 a brand new stylish label to represent the inspired, stylish, and generational wine inside the bottle.

Subplot No. 40 has a dense and vibrant ruby color with aromatics and flavors of currant, black cherry, dried fig, graphite, violet, and dried herbs. On the palate, this wine is rich, fruit-driven with medium acidity. This Cabernet dominant blend is pleasantly smooth, and balanced, with structured tannin on the finish. Enjoy this wine with your favorite dish or drink on its own.

NON-VINTAGE & WINEMAKING

For over 35 years we have been crafting wines that are made by employing the centuries-old practice of blending wine lots from multiple vintages (**Vertical Blending**) with multiple grape varieties (**Horizontal Blending**). Each lot of wine has been carefully selected for Subplot No. 40 Red Blend, based upon the mature flavors of the older vintages and the vibrant fruit characteristics of the younger vintages. The grapes for this blend were fermented on skins for 10-14 days in separate lots for balanced extraction and then aged in neutral oak and stainless steel. At the blending table, this wine came together like a composed dish. The result is a wine that offers, fruit, structure, approachability, and exceptional value for Washington State Wine.



DRINKING WINDOW

This wine is intended to be consumed young, however, will age gracefully for years to come when cellared at 55F.



FOOD PAIRINGS

We recommend serving this wine with smoky black bean burgers, BBQ ribs, or charcuterie.

APPELLATIONS

Columbia Valley A.V.A
Red Mountain A.V.A

FINAL BLEND

50% Cabernet Sauvignon
23% Merlot
20% Malbec
5% Petit Verdot
2% Cabernet Franc

TECHNICAL DATA

Cases Produced: 4,902 pH: 3.83
Bottled: Summer 2022 TA: 5.4 g/L
Alcohol: 14.8% RS: 3.26 g/L

AGING

80% Neutral Oak
20% Stainless Steel



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