

*Knights Bridge*

## 2023 Sauvignon Blanc

PONT DE CHEVALIER

KNIGHTS BRIDGE ESTATE VINEYARD  
KNIGHTS VALLEY



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AVA Knights Valley

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VARIETY 100% Sauvignon Blanc

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BLOCKS 6A, B1, B9, 6B

ELEVATION 450 feet

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SOIL Los Robles

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CLONE I, 30-Musque

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HARVEST DATE September 7-14, 2023

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AGING 7 months, 5% new French Oak

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COOPERAGE Sylvain Blanc, Emitage

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ALCOHOL 13.5%

PH 3.3

TA 7.3 g/L

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BOTTLING DATE April 2, 2024

RELEASE DATE April 1, 2025

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CASES 526

CELLARING Drink now through 2028

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### VINTAGE

The 2023 growing season kicked off with above-average winter rains, which replenished reservoirs and rejuvenated soils. While vines were slow to start due to the cooler temperatures, the abundant rainfall fostered lush canopy development in late spring and summer that led to higher yields at harvest. Picking commenced slightly later than usual, delivering exceptional fruit with intense flavors and lively acidity.

### WINEMAKING

Fruit was hand-picked in the early morning hours of September 7-14. The grapes were gently pressed and settled, then aged for seven months in 5% new Sylvain and Emitage French oak barrels to develop texture and balance while preserving vibrancy and minerality. This wine showcases the fruit characteristics of its origins on our estate vineyard, delivering bright citrus and great texture from Block 6A, minerality and fresh acidity from B1, rich stone fruit notes from B9, and a touch of spice from Block 6B.