

FOX RUN

VINEYARDS

2008 Reserve Riesling

Our estate vineyards thrive on glacial soils comprised of broken shale and sandy loam, delivering grapes with a vibrant expression of *terroir*. The eastern facing slopes capture the early morning sun and warm Seneca Lake breezes, making for ideal ripening conditions.

Varietal composition: 100% Estate Grown Riesling

Appellation: Seneca Lake

Residual sugar: 1.0%

Alcohol: 12%

Aging: Stainless Steel

Soil Type: Schist/Shale

Proximity to the Lake: 100-200 meters

Suggested retail: \$30.00

Winemaker's Notes: This time around, our Reserve is in the dry style. The grapes came exclusively from block 4 at the top of our vineyard, near the winery. This Riesling would have been a lovely component of our dry Riesling, but it was too special to blend away. It's a truly electric wine; it has lots of acid which makes the abundant fruit flavors soar, and the finish go on for an astonishingly long time. While loaded with intense aromas of kiwi, jasmine, juicy red raspberries, lemon, mango and nectarine, this wine retains a beautiful lightness and tight palate structure. The long, long finish is redolent of lime zest and minerals. It's a knock-out.

