

# Keuka SPRING

## 2019 Epic Reserve



### Vineyard & Winemaking Notes

Each vintage, we dedicate a selection of the finest red *vinifera* grapes, usually with a majority being Cabernet Sauvignon, to our Epic Reserve. We perform daily rack-and-returns (*délestage*) to extract more fruit and tannin, and extend maceration by 3 weeks, to yield a classically balanced and beautifully aromatic dry red wine.

Appellation	Finger Lakes
Growers	Sawmill Creek Vineyards Anthony Road Wine Co. Keuka Spring Vineyards
Varietals	Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet
Harvest dates	October 19-20, 25-26 and November 4, 2019
Winemaker	August Deimel
Fermentation	100% in tanks with delayed sequential malolactic conversion.
Alcohol by volume	13.5%
Residual sugar	0%
Sweetness perception	Dry
Vegan	Yes
Bottling dates	July 28, 2020
Production	219 cases

### Tasting Notes

Epic Reserve tantalizes the taster with a hint of light pepper on the nose, and blooms on the palate with lovely notes of red cherries and currants. The roundness of the body and tannins not only make this wine a special treat now, but should also reward further cellaring.

### Food Pairing Ideas

Juicy meats like steaks, pork or lamb chops; vegetables au gratin or cooked in garlic.