

# 2010 CABERNET SAUVIGNON "THE COLONEL'S VINEYARD"

With the enviable position at the top of the property, The Colonel's Vineyard is a small, 1 ¼ acre block planted to Cabernet Sauvignon. This pristine block has a gently sloping south-west exposure for even ripening of the fruit.



## TECHNICAL DETAILS

*Appellation* Chalk Hill

Harvest dates Cabernet Sauvignon: October 16, 2010

Clone 337

#### Winemaking

Hand-harvested, manually sorted twice and whole-berry fermented within French oak barrels, the most labor intensive yet most elegant way to make Cabernet Sauvignon. Bottled unfiltered. Cooperage 21 months in 100% French oak barrels, 60% new

*pH* 3.66 at bottling without acidulation

*Alcohol* 14.2%

Production 130 cases

*Release date* September 2013

# ABOUT CALLUNA VINEYARDS

Calluna Vineyards took root in Sonoma County in 2005 with 12-acres in the Chalk Hill appellation planted by winemaker David Jeffrey to the traditional Bordeaux grape varieties: Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Petit Verdot and Malbec. From its advantageous hillsides overlooking the Russian River Valley, Chalk Hill is known for its mild climate and soils of clay underlain with fractured shale and sandstone.

### DAVID A. JEFFREY WINEMAKER AND FOUNDER

After 20 years of studying and collecting the wines of Bordeaux and California, David moved to the West Coast and enrolled in Fresno State's Enology program in 2001. Determined to make his dream a reality, David spent 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years studying winemaking and grape growing as he completed his degree and worked at Château Quinault in Bordeaux, France. Today, David lives with his family at Calluna.