



DeLILLE CELLARS

# HARRISON HILL

SNIPES MOUNTAIN

BORDEAUX STYLE

RHÔNE STYLE

GRAND CIEL

WC EXCLUSIVE

**2009** The attack shows the classic Harrison Hill profile of bright cherries and soft leather - the signature terroir expression of this historic vineyard. There is also a toasty coconut nuance along with black pepper and rose petals on the nose. This wine draws you in with a delicate frame work then delivers classic Cabernet Sauvignon notes of cassis, cherries and blackberry flavors that are simultaneously plush yet elegant. This is a wine to experience with patience - be prepared to measure the finish by the minute on your favorite time piece, not by the second. After all, all good things come to those who wait.

## VARIETAL



- 60% Cabernet Sauvignon
- 26% Merlot
- 13% Cabernet Franc
- 1% Petit Verdot

## WINEMAKING

Cold soaked 24-36 hours, fermented 14-16 days on skin, aged 20 months in 100% French oak (100% new) and aged in bottle 8 months prior to release. 14.5% Alcohol

## VINEYARD

99% Harrison Hill Vineyard  
1% Ciel Du Cheval Vineyard



## WINE ADVOCATE

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“Talk about the brightness and lift that seem, in the best instances, singularly possible with black Bordelais grapes grown in Washington, here’s the best instance I’ve met – and from the 2009 vintage no less! Violet, rose, lily and heliotrope perfume and high-toned herbal essences waft from the glass and persist billowingly inner-mouth, accompanied by palate-staining, juicy, fresh cherry and cassis, the whole underlain by sweet-smoky evocations of leather, black tea, peat, tobacco and steel shavings. The umami level here is so high you won’t be able to stop salivating between sips, and the finish is a veritable magic carpet ride.”

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