



LARKMEAD

LARKMEAD	2016	CABERNET SAUVIGNON	NAPA VALLEY	\$135.00	RED	(92-94)
LARKMEAD	2016	FIREBELLE PROPRIETARY RED	NAPA VALLEY	\$165.00	RED	(92-94)
LARKMEAD	2016	LMV SALON PROPRIETARY RED	NAPA VALLEY	\$200.00	RED	(93-95+)
LARKMEAD	2016	CABERNET SAUVIGNON DR. OLMO	NAPA VALLEY	\$180.00	RED	(94-96)
LARKMEAD	2016	CABERNET SAUVIGNON SOLARI	NAPA VALLEY	\$240.00	RED	(96-98+)
LARKMEAD	2016	THE LARK PROPRIETARY RED	NAPA VALLEY	\$360.00	RED	(95-97)

A barrel sample composed of 94% Cabernet Sauvignon and 6% Petit Verdot, the **2016 Cabernet Sauvignon (White Label)** is deep garnet-purple in color with intense notes of crushed blackberries, wild blueberries and warm plums with touches of bay leaves and pencil shavings. Medium to full-bodied with a firm frame of chewy tannins and just enough freshness, it sports bags of black fruit and a minty lift on the long finish. 3,096 cases are expected to be made.

A barrel sample composed of 66% Merlot, 27% Cabernet Sauvignon and 7% Petit Verdot, the medium to deep garnet-purple colored **2016 Firebelle (White Label)** reveals a very pretty nose of fresh red and black plums, black raspberries and kirsch with suggestions of baking spices, chocolate box and camphor. Medium to full-bodied, plushly textured and with just enough freshness, it has loads of spicy warm plum-inspired flavors and great length. 1,410 cases are expected to be made.

A barrel sample blended of 53% Cabernet Franc and 47% Cabernet Sauvignon, the deep garnet-purple colored **2016 LMV Salon (White Label)** has a compelling nose of crushed redcurrants, mulberries and fresh blackcurrants with touches of dried Provence herbs, pencil lead, tobacco leaf and wood smoke. Medium to full-bodied, it has tons of taut, muscular red and black fruit layers, supported by firm, chewy tannins and great freshness, finishing long and earthy. 690 cases are expected to be made.

A barrel sample of 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, the deep garnet-purple colored **2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Dr. Olmo (Black Label)** rocks up with an outspoken crème de cassis, preserved plums and blueberry compote nose with touches of dark chocolate, dusty soil and chargrilled meats plus a waft of yeast extract. Full-bodied, very tightly wound and jam-packed with black fruit and earthy accents, it has a solid backbone of grainy tannins and great freshness, finishing very long. 1,600 cases are expected to be made.

A barrel sample of 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Solari (Black Label) is medium to deep garnet-purple in color

and sings of cassis, crushed black cherries and mulberries with touches of garrigue, cigar box, pencil lead and black soil. The full-bodied palate is absolutely laden with crunchy black fruits and savory layers, framed by rock-solid ripe, grainy tannins and seamless freshness, finishing very long and very minerally. 740 cases are expected to be made.

A barrel sample of 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, the deep garnet-purple colored **2016 Cabernet Sauvignon The Lark (Black Label)** has a fantastically expressive nose of crème de cassis, preserved plums and blackberry compote with suggestions of sautéed herbs, tobacco leaf, scorched earth and smoked meats. The full-bodied palate is built like a brick house, with a very firm frame of ripe, grainy tannins and compelling freshness supporting the taut, muscular fruit, finishing long and earthy. 290 cases are expected to be made.