Wonderful World of Wine

November 2026
The Two-Rouge Club

2021 Brassfield Cabernet Sauvignon

Growing Region	High Valley, Clear Lake, California
Varietal Composition	85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8.5% Malbec.
	6.5% Petit Verdot, Cabernet Franc, Merlot
Fermentation	18 Months French & Hungarian Oak
Alcohol Content	15.4%
Suggested Retail	~~$30.00~~
WineSellar Club Price	**$24.29**

Broad Strokes: **94 Points, The Wine Enthusiast**

From the Winery:

Brassfield Estate wines reflect the distinctness and diversity of our vineyards – from the elevated valley floor of High Serenity Ranch to the lofty and secluded Volcano Ridge. With cool marine breezes, volcanic soils and high elevations ranging from 1800 ft. to 3000 ft, High Valley's unique transverse geography makes this AVA an unparalleled North Coast wine growing region.

The eastern and southern regions of High Valley boast views of the largest natural lake in California, Clearlake. Additionally, Lake County claims the title of the best air quality in the state. Brassfield Estate wines are fruit-driven, balanced and delicious.

Our Winemaker, Carlos Valadez, has generational roots at Brassfield Estate and is focused on certified sustainable viticulture practices and classic winemaking techniques.

Appearance:

The black look, but keeping it classy and realistic with a more normal sized bottle and punt depth. The wine itself has a very dark purple black color on the edges and is very black/opaque at the core.

Nose:

A powerful nose of deep black fruits, blackberries, black plum, cassis and even a touch of blueberry. After aa minute or so, the vanilla and toasty oak nuances come to the nose, as well as chocolate and herbs.

Texture:

Powerful in the palate too! Solid doses of rich fruit are laced with tannic acids and a touch of heat. Long and full in the palate, very big wine.

Flavor:

Dark cherry fruit, with ripe black plum, blackberries and grape jam. Some herbs, a good dose of vanilla, black pepper, black currants and of course some dark chocolate.

Serving Suggestions

This wine is not the least bit shy. It should be enjoyed with lamb stew, spicy rich pasta, or better yet, a marinated and BBQ'd steak!