



All Meadowcroft Wines are signature reserve wines that are vineyard designated, using premium fruit from sustainable and responsible vineyards, including our own, from throughout Northern California.

The Meadowcroft family name means “the fertile field on the

meadow...a garden that has been carefully nurtured over time.” The hallmark “honeybee” on the label symbolizes the hard work, the journey of mastering a discipline, and the process of transforming grapes from single vineyards into outstanding and award-winning wines.



## MEADOWCROFT WINES

### 2009 MEADOWCROFT SONOMA ZINFANDEL

#### VINTAGE SUMMARY

This award-winning Zinfandel consists of 85% Zinfandel, 10% Sangiovese and 5% Petite Syrah from vineyards in Knights Valley, Chalk Hill and Pope Valley growers who farm sustainably.

The wine is aged for 14 to 18 months in a blend of French, Pennsylvania and Hungarian oak barrels, 30% of which is new oak.

#### TASTING NOTES

Aromatics and flavors of ripe plums, dark cherries, currants and raspberry; with just a hint of cedar and black liquorish. Great length on the palate is coupled with smooth tannins.

#### TECHNICAL DATA

Appellations: Knights Valley and Chalk Hill, Sonoma County; Pope Valley, Napa

Bottle date: May 9, 2011

Release date: July 1, 2011

Case production: 400 cases

Alcohol: 14.9, pH 3.71

#### SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Pairs exceptionally well with grilled sausages, stuffed burgers with a Zinfandel sauce, braised lamb shank and rich pastas.