

# A N A L E M M A



## 2017 MOSIER HILLS ROSÉ

<b>TASTING NOTES:</b>	Brilliantly coral in color, this Southern Rhone inspired Rosé of Grenache exhibits aromas of strawberry, garrigue and dried cherries. This inaugural Rosé reveals the seductive warmth of the Mosier Hills estate vineyards and classic freshness of the Columbia Gorge.
<b>APPELLATION:</b>	Columbia Gorge AVA
<b>HARVEST:</b>	September 8 - 23
<b>MATURATION:</b>	Picked early for freshness, this wine was briefly macerated on skins before being pressed. This rosé was then barrel fermented in neutral oak and aged in barrique for 6 months on lees.
<b>PRODUCTION:</b>	125 cases
<b>ALCOHOL:</b>	12.5%
<b>BOTTLE PRICE:</b>	\$28
<b>WINEMAKER INSIGHT:</b>	Modestly ripened on a cobbles-strewn hillside, this Rosé is typical of a southern Rhone style. Barrel fermented to dryness, it can accompany most any meal and serve as a refreshing reminder of summer.

### Mosier Hills Vineyard

First planted in 2011, the Mosier Hills is the home and heart of Analemma. Undulating across a south-facing ridge sculpted by the Missoula Floods, our estate lies within a patchwork of oak and grassland, where cobblestones and glacial sands dominate the landscape. At 550 feet in elevation with only 20 inches of annual rainfall, Mosier is uniquely located at a convergence of cool, wet maritime and warm, dry continental climates. This makes it home to a rich agricultural history and well-suited to mid-season ripening varieties. Deep curiosity, observation, and a spirit of exploration guide our efforts in this uncharted terroir.

### Our Philosophy

As a grower and wine producer, our primary goal is to produce fruit of individuality that reflects the place in which it is grown. We believe this is best achieved by eschewing conventional farming approaches that depend on the use of synthetic herbicides and fungicides. Our vineyards and orchards are regeneratively farmed using organic and biodynamic methods that encourage life and health.

In the cellar, we work methodically to minimize fingerprints on the wines such as oxygen, heavy oak, and the effects of filtering. Through deliberate handling we strive to capture the essence of each of the vineyards that we farm, creating a window into the site's soil, microclimate and culture.

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