## **OUR DESSERT WINES**

## **LATE HARVESTS**

Grapes for these wines are left on the vine after their normal harvest date. This causes the berries to shrivel and create more complex and concentrated flavours.

## Riesling Late Harvest [sweet] +624429

Intense in bouquet and laced with hints of peach, nectarine and green apple. The fresh, crisp acidity is complemented by a honeyed late harvest character.

## Cabernet Franc Late Harvest [sweet] +733766

On the palate, aromas of red currants, blackberries and cherries are evident. The complexity of sweetness and delicate soft tannins lends structure, and finishes the wine in a balanced lingering fashion.

### **ICEWINES**

Grapes for these wines are picked at -8°C or colder; cold enough to solidify the berries. During pressing, sugars, acids and flavour components slowly drip out, while leaving water as ice in the press. A natural concentration occurs without altering the delicate fruit flavours. The coolest wine on earth!

## Minus 9 Ehrenfelser Icewine [sweet] +551739

Very rich in weight, body and texture. Honeyed aromas of peaches, nectarines and apricots combine with a lively acidity to balance this luscious wine.

## Riesling Icewine [sweet] +504860

Fragrant aromas of peach, pink grapefruit and honeyed green apple. A great balance of sweetness and acidity.

## Cabernet Franc Icewine [sweet] +586131

Red icewines are fairly unique, since traditionally icewines have been white. Rich soft tannins balance this wine, resulting in a symphony of flavours; reminiscent of a port, but with more initial fruit flavour.



Today the brothers, Walter and Gordon, are included in a very select group of qualified winemakers that are BC-born yet have learned their craft in Europe. They compete amongst the world's best, year after year, and their hard work and dedication to perfection has not gone unnoticed!

## **OUR HISTORY**

Gehringer Brothers, recognized for superior quality wines, is one of the earliest family-run estate wineries in the Okanagan.

The dream of an estate winery goes back to 1973. After a seven year micro-climate evaluation, the present vineyard was purchased in 1981. 1985 saw the winery constructed and production of their first vintage. Passionate winemaking has been reflected in wines of unparalleled consistency and excellence ever since inception.

The Gehringer style has evolved to be known as a symbiosis of terroir, ripe sweet fruit and firm acidity. This dedication to capture the essence of the grape has crafted a tradition, consistently attaining VQA status and winning numerous awards.





## WINESHOP HOURS Summer hours:

May to October Daily 9:00am – 5:30pm

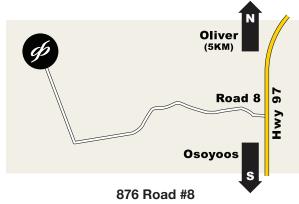
## Winter hours:

November to April

Monday to Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Closed on weekends

## - GROUP TOURS BY APPOINTMENT ONLY -



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Gehringer Brothers is proud to be a member and uphold the standards of the Vintners Quality Alliance in all their wines.

## **OUR TABLE WINES**

## **PRIVATE RESERVES**

The reserve series of wines have received the utmost care in all facets of winemaking from viticulture through to vinification. Developed for the discerning wine drinker, these wines have undergone unique fermentation methods and various aging techniques to best enhance the natural characteristics of each variety. All of these wines are limited in production.

#### Private Reserve Dry Riesling [dry] +347492

Our terroir and vineyard care with this Riesling, results in an enhanced flavour profile with added fullness, weight and body. Aromas of peach, honey, apple and kiwi are evident. A more pronounced acidity effects a clean, dry finish.

#### Private Reserve Pinot Gris [dry] +347203

This wine shows subtle pear and honeyed apple notes blended with a typical earthiness. The wine's mellow bouquet is balanced by a crisp palate-cleansing acidity.

#### Private Reserve Pinot Noir [dry] +430306

This is a classic delicate red bringing out subtle fruit in the bouquet. The taste is highlighted with a fruitiness that just rises above the smooth red wine character.











## THE CLASSICS

A selection of old and new varieties, rich in delicate fruit flavours, and chosen for their excellent adaptation to our vineyards. A definite must taste!

#### **Riesling** [off-dry] +171488

This wine enjoys delicate aromas of peach and honey, mingled with apple, kiwi and floral notes. Its unique acidity stimulates the taste buds, and is balanced by a subtle sweetness, enhancing the flavours.

#### **Ehrenfelser** [off-dry] +171512

Fruit-driven, with vibrant notes of apricot and honey, hints of almond and a subtle tangy acidity. A touch of sweetness highlights flavours, however unique tannins lead to a dry impression.

#### **Gewürztraminer – Schönburger** [off-dry] +586123

Gewürztraminer offers delicate spice notes and a crisp citrusy acidity. Schönburger lends additional spice nuances with muscat highlights. The blend of flavours is tropical, reminiscent of papaya, passion fruit and lychee.

## **OLD VINES**

Our Auxerrois has reached old vine status with plants greater than 30 years old. Old vines yield more concentrated fruit flavours, resulting in richer wines with a more sumptuous balance.

#### **Old Vines Auxerrois** [off-dry] +171496

This is a classic wine with a soft mellow acidity, rich in subtle fruit flavours and vinted in an off-dry style. The wine has a pleasant, dry mouth feel, with just a touch of sweetness evident to polish the finish.

## **DRY ROCK VINEYARDS**

In the heart of North America's most northern desert, is the home of the DRY ROCK VINEYARDS. The vineyard is known for its unique microclimate, southern exposure and rocky soils. Maintaining lower yielding crop levels offers higher concentrations of intense flavours.

#### Dry Rock Sauvignon Blanc [dry] +584177

Dry and refreshingly crisp, fresh notes of grapefruit, melon and gooseberries shine through. A food-friendly wine.

#### Dry Rock Unoaked Chardonnay [dry] +536169

A slow and cool fermentation with extended 'sur lie' development, contributes to Chardonnay's complexity and creamy texture. Distinctive nuances of pear and pineapple show on the palate.

## Dry Rock Merlot [dry]

On the nose and palate, this wine delivers ripe black cherry, plum, cassis and delicate spice notes. With a touch of French oak, soft velvety tannins finish this pleasing wine.

#### Dry Rock Cabernet Merlot [dry] +556001

A blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Merlot. On the nose and palate essence of plums, cassis, chocolate and spice, subtly framed with French oak.

## "These wines are tasty and inexpensive, with something to please every palate."

- Jurgen Gothe

## **OPTIMUMS**

Only those lots of wine that distinguish themselves as special are selected for the Optimum line. These wines will elevate your dining experience to new heights.

## **Optimum Pinot Gris** [dry]

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+534909

+398107

+892489

On the nose, ripe peaches and pears rise from the glass and follow through to the palate, with hints of subtle earthy character.

## Optimum Pinot Noir [dry]

On the palate, this full-bodied Pinot offers a tremendous concentration of jammy plum and berry fruit, hints of chocolate and spice, complemented by soft velvety tannins and framed in French oak.

## THE BLENDS

These wines allow the winemaker to capitalize on the best that each grape variety has to offer by selecting two or more complementary varieties.

## **Desert Sun** [off-dry]

Interweaving an exotic selection of whites, this wine delivers a delicious lineup of aromas suggesting peaches, pears, gooseberries and strawberries. The bright, crisp acidity mingles with delicate citrus notes. A versatile and very social wine.

## Summer Night [dry]

This light and mellow red, communicates the warmth of a summer's night. A blend of Pinot Noir, Cabernet Franc and Merlot, it delivers enjoyable aromas of strawberry, plum























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