**Steele Barbera Rosé 2019**

**VINEYARDS**

Barbera is one the main grapes of the Piedmont region in Italy and has a history spanning over 100 years in California. The grapes for our Barbera Rose is sourced from the Dorn Las Lomas vineyard is located a few miles away from the winery on a gravelly bench overlooking the Big Valley of Clear Lake. The vineyard is one of the most well-manicured vineyards, not a cane out of place, not a weed where it doesn't belong. The Barbera grown here is of exceptional quality.

**WINE STYLE & TASTING NOTE**

A forty-eight hour cold soak of the Dorn Barbera is how this rosé began. Beautiful pink juice is drained off by gravity and yeast is added to ferment in a separate stainless tank at a cool temperature of 50F. The result is a crisp, refreshing wine. Our Barbera rosé has strawberry, basil, and citrus flower on the nose, with flavors of watermelon, and tropical fruit; with a bright acidic finish. This is a seasonal and very limited release.

**FOOD PAIRINGS**

Try with a variety of dishes such as Nicoise salad, asparagus and cheese tartines, chicken street tacos, or even bbq pork ribs.

**TECHNICAL NOTES**

**APPELLATION** Lake County, CA  
**ALCOHOL** 13.8%  
**PH** 3.30  
**TA** 0.68g/100mL  
**RS** 1.7g/L  
**BARREL AGING** None  
**VINE AGE** avg 20 years  
**YEYLD** 2-3 tons per acre  
**PRODUCTION** 150 cases  
**MSRP** $18.00