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2024 White Wine Blend Willamette Valley

However you pour it — you've earned this moment.

“Golden citrus, orchard pear, white peach, and crushed stone. A soft floral lift. There's texture here — layered, almost weightless — with a gentle phenolic grip that keeps it serious. Fresh acidity carries everything to a long, saline finish..”

What is Idle Time?

Idle time isn't wasted time. It's the opposite — it's the moment you stop performing busyness and actually arrive somewhere. The pause between doing and being. The Alsations have known this for centuries, tending field blends where varieties grow side by side, harvested together, fermented as one. No hierarchy. No agenda. Just what the land gave you, all at once.

Idle Time is our homage to that tradition. A field blend in spirit — Chardonnay, Pinot Noir fermented as a blanc, Pinot Blanc, Pinot Meunier, and Pinot Grigio — each variety quietly doing its part, none of them trying to be the star.

Idle Time was made to be enjoyed however the moment calls for it. Lower the ABV, stretch the glass, make it yours.

Vineyards

Pulled from various cooler climate vineyard throughout the Willamette Valley to preserve freshness and complexity.

The Idle Spritz

Pour over ice, top with sparkling water and a splash of St. Germain elderflower liqueur. Garnish with a lemon wheel and fresh mint. Effortless.

The Bicicleta

Equal parts Idle Time and Campari, topped with soda water. Bitter, bright, and completely Italian. Garnish with an orange slice.

The Orchard Spritz

A splash of unfiltered apple juice, sparkling water, ice. Leans into the pear and white peach. Incredibly easy drinking.

The Hugo

Idle Time, a splash of elderflower cordial, soda water, ice. A nod to the Alpine tradition. Delicate and floral.

Ginger & Stone

Top with ginger beer instead of soda. The spice plays beautifully against the saline, mineral finish. Squeeze of lime, done.

Decanter

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