

# TUSK 'N RED

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### *Mendocino County*

Solid balls roll and smack together on a hard-packed court. Players while away the afternoon and evening, discussing life and politics, enjoying a glass of wine, debating Hannibal's strategy. Don't stare at the elephant. It's not polite, and it makes him nervous.

Go ahead. Dip a tusk in this red. Talk about life; think about Hannibal and his elephants crossing the Alps into Italy to battle the Romans. Roll a few balls. Just don't stare at the elephant.

This blend of red varietals is our homage to the wines of Tuscany ... a salute from one sun-drenched wine region to another, new world to old. Enjoy this bright flavored dry red wine with grilled meats and vegetables, roast chicken, pasta and pizza.

VARIETALS: 40% ZINFANDEL  
30% SYRAH  
12% CARIGNANE  
11% SANGIOVESE  
7% PETITE SIRAH

COOPERAGE: AGED 20 MONTHS

- 65% AMERICAN & FRENCH OAK
- 35% REDWOOD & STAINLESS STEEL TANKS

ALCOHOL: 13.5% BY VOLUME

TA: 0.56 G/100ML

PH: 3.75

BOTTLED: AUGUST 2007



## **MENDOCINO WINE Co.**