

Wine	Tasting Notes
2023 Palencia Albariño	A defined yellow color with a nose of green apple candy and delicate flowers wrapped in pear. On the palate, pears, honey, and flower blossoms leave a delicate mouth feel with a cleansing element from the hint of acid on the back palate.
2023 El Viñador Albariño	Juicy white peach and nectarine flavors fill the glass, complemented by lovely aromas of field grasses, honeysuckle, and white flowers, and a hint of ginger and minerality on the extreme finish. This Albariño is more “mature” with a softer, rounder, lingering finish, while still maintaining acidity.
2023 Palencia Rosélia	A delicate pink with copper notes on the edges, the wine has an inviting nose of red fruits, in particular cranberries and raspberries. Underlying everything is a sense of minerality. On the palate the cranberries fall away and are replaced by a combination of raspberries and candied strawberries.
2023 Palencia Sauvignon Blanc	Sauvignon Blanc from the Royal Slope AVA carries an air of style and sophistication that takes it to a whole new level. Opens with generous flavors of starfruit, white plum, honeydew melon, and stone fruits that glide into a crisp finish with accents of orange zest.
2023 Monarcha Sparkling White (Sauv Blanc)	Pale yellow color with a small bubble size, delicate peach, lemon on the nose leads to a crisp apple with a soft feeling effervescence on the front palate delicately falling off as you reach the mid and back palate. Refreshing and easy drinking at cold temperatures without compromising the overall character.
2023 Palencia Sparkling Albariño	Straw colored with delicate bubbles, the sparkling Albariño opens on the nose with notes of candied green apples, pineapple, and stone fruit. There is a hint of minerality as well which indicates its origin. On the palate the wine is balanced with green apples and a well-balanced acidity.
2023 Monarcha Sparkling Rosé	An ethereal pink defines the color of the wine, with the delicate nose of strawberries and a hint of cranberry. On the palate the typical delicate bubbles of the Monarcha style leave the mouth fresh with bright red fruits, a very slight hint of tartness, and acid to balance out the overall experience.
2021 Monarcha Malbec	This Malbec is a controlled explosion of fresh berry aromas and flavors. Blackberry, Marionberry, and raspberry predominate, and the fruit is perfectly balanced with the right amount of acidity and tannic structure with touches of bramble and forest floor. Aged in 100% French Oak barrels for 14 months.
2020 Monarcha Cabernet Sauvignon	Contains a surprisingly bright quality from start to finish with raspberry, cranberry, and pomegranate flavors. Underripe plum adds to a textured, grippy finish, carrying earthy notes and a hint of minerality.
2020 El Viñador Petit Verdot	100% Petit Verdot sourced from Wahluke Slope. This Petit Verdot carries a voluptuous, silky quality that makes it instantly enjoyable. At its core, you'll find blackberry and Ligurian cherry fruit with gentle touches of black tea and plum skin on the finish. Exhibits a splash of acidity in the background for added balance.
2021 El Viñador Syrah	This absolutely dreamy Syrah is packed with juicy cherry, blackberry, and inky blueberry fruit balanced by notes of roasted coffee and a splash of orange pekoe tea. Prevalent tannins but beautifully integrated, giving the finish a slightly chewy consistency, accompanied by a spritz of black pepper and baking spices. 100% Red Mountain Syrah.
2021 El Viñador Carménère	Aging in 100% French Oak for 24 months gives this wine balance and complexity showcasing the fruit and vineyard quality. Hints of grilled jalapenos, a trademark character of this variety compliments the fruit nature of this wine. Hints of mocha, leather and clove dance on the pallet.