2017 PEDESTAL MERLOT

**JEB DUNNUCK**

“Beautiful cassis, chocolate, leafy herbs, and earth all emerge from the 2017 Pedestal, a ripe, sexy, opulent wine that does everything right.”

**95 POINTS**

**ROBERT PARKER**

Wine Advocate

“Offering blackberry jus, spiced plum preserves and dark cherry skin, the scents are lifted by rich, elegant oak spices, cigar box and juicy tobacco. Full-bodied, the wine is generously ripe and juicy with tones of graphite and a balanced structure, ending with a long, complex finish.”

**94 POINTS**

**JAMES SUCKLING.COM**

“I like the dark fruit with the tar and black-olive undertones here. It’s full-bodied with chewy tannins that are polished and soft. Lots of fruit and tension. Nice, dusty texture, too.”

**94 POINTS**