



C.C. JENTSCH
CELLARS

Vintage: 2016
Wine Name: The Chase

Varieties: 35.3% Cabernet Sauvignon
32.0% Merlot
28.7% Cabernet Franc
2% Petit Verdot
2% Malbec

Release Date: TBA

**Proprietors and
Winegrowers:** Chris and Betty Jentsch

Wine Maker:
Amber Pratt 2016 – May 2017
(Harvest, Fermentation & Development)

Consulting Winemaker:
Matt Dumayne May 2017 – August 15, 2017
(Vintage Completion)

Cases Produced: 1128

Bottling Date: August 14, 2017
UPC#: 750 ml: # 626990263449
C.S.P.C./SKU: 750 ml: # 224756

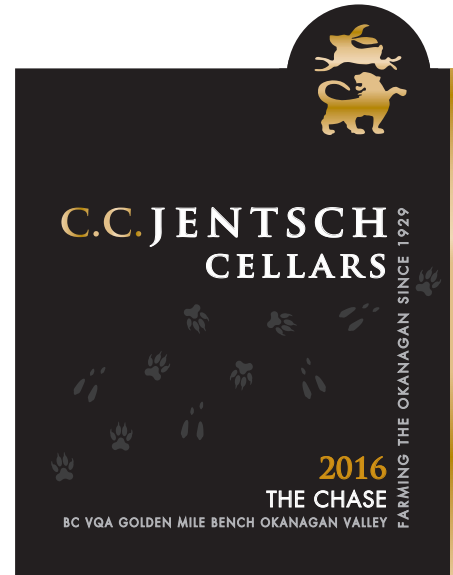
Appellation: Okanagan Valley
Sub-Appellation: *The Golden Mile Bench*
Vineyard: The Golden Mile Bench
Acidification: No
Chaptalisation: No
Cold Soak: Average of 3 Days
Fermentation: Average of 7-10 days
Maceration: Average of 10-15 days

Harvesting: By hand @ average of 24 brix
Harvest Date: October 3 – October 31, 2016

Vegan Friendly: Yes
Malolactic: Yes
Maturation: Mixture of French and American oak for an average of 9 Months

Cold Stabilized: No
Lees stirring: No
Alcohol: 13.7%
pH: 3.77
T.A: 5.7 g/L
Residual Sugar: 0.9 g/L

Cellaring Temperature: 13° C / 55° F
Optimum Serving Temp: 13°-15°C/55°-60°F



Tasting Notes:

A very fine blend of five of the classic Bordeaux varietals. This wine is about finesse, delicacy and length. Bright aromas of red and black berries with a delicate herbaceousness. Bright red fruit intermingles with a subtle toastiness and a very long finish. Fresh acidity allows this as a perfect patio wine with a slight chill in summer, lush and brooding enough for a fireplace winter warmer.

Food Pairing:

The flavour profile of The Chase appeals to a wide range of tastes, is exceptionally food friendly and a perfect choice for entertaining a crowd. Grilled meats, herbed portobello mushrooms, pastas, pizza, even grilled cheese sandwiches!

Vintage Report:

In 2016, the vegetation period started with hot spring weather and bud break two weeks earlier than the average, but a cooler than usual summer slowed things down. September turned out with cool nights but sunny days. This weather continued through until the end of October with occasional short showers, increasing as we reached the end of the month. A frost event on October 10th and 11th just missed our vineyards on the elevated Golden Mile Bench.