



# BLACK STAR FARMS

## OUR STORY

**KERM AND SALLIE CAMPBELL** were living in Europe in the 1970s when they developed a taste for fine wine. Twenty years later they began growing their first grapes on Old Mission Peninsula. Upon later discovering a Kentucky-style equestrian estate and home on the Leelanau Peninsula, they purchased it and brought in partners and a winemaker, Lee Lutes.

**BLACK STAR FARMS** opened its doors in 1998 as a winery and luxury inn.

**THE FLAGSHIP PROPERTY** is located at 10844 East Revold Road, Suttons Bay, MI 49682. In 2007, we opened another winery and tasting room on the Old Mission Peninsula at 360 McKinley Road East, Traverse City, MI 49686.

**AVERAGE PRODUCTION** 35,000 cases annually, but in a great year, we can produce as much as 45,000 cases.

**WE SOURCE OUR FRUIT** from 180 acres of our proprietor's and local grower partner's vineyards on the Leelanau and Old Mission Peninsulas.

**MEAP CERTIFIED** in all 4 categories, a solar array and responsible vineyard management are capstones of our sustainability program.

**PROUD MEMBER OF TRAVERSE WINE COAST SINCE 2018.**

## PRODUCTS & SERVICES

**OUR PEAR IN THE BOTTLE** is our signature spirit. We love learning our guest's theories for how we get it in the bottle.

**WE BEGAN DISTILLING** in 1998 and currently produce over 45 wines and spirits ranging from sparkling to still, dry to sweet, uncommon varietals to dessert wines and ice wine.

**UNIQUE EXPERIENCES** on the 160-acre estate are unmatched. Offerings include a private wine club member tasting room, outdoor tasting patio, elevated tastings, wine paired dinners, ten-room luxurious Inn, estate vineyard, farm-to-table café, multiple wedding and corporate venues, on-site catering, hiking trails, working farm, equestrian facility with indoor and outdoor riding arena, Centennial event barn and more.

**AWARDS:** 2016 Arcturos Semi Dry Riesling, Best in Show White, 2019 American Fine Wine Competition • 2017 Arcturos Dry Riesling, Best of Show, Best Dry Riesling and Best American Riesling, 2018 Canberra International Riesling Challenge • Best Winery HOUR Detroit 2012-2018 • MLive Best Michigan Winery 2015 • Michigan Meetings & Events Best Intimate Venue 2017-2018 • Michigan Meetings & Events Best Michigan Winery 2017-2018 • Wedding Wire Couple's Choice Award 2018 - 2019 • Distinguished Member of Select Registry Inns and B&Bs.



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