Unconstrained experimentation in the cellar has been happening for years. Skin contact white wines hiding in that corner. Perhaps Gamay Noir with spatkling wines or varying extended disgorgement. These trials and experiences have been a continuous the refined Gran Moraine wines you know. Conte

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## **LASOW**

## bubbly skinsy all day snack

WINEMAKER SHANE MOORE YAMHILL-CARLTON

WILLAMETTE VALLEY

The inspiration for this wine came in 2021 during my family's annual summer trip to Suttle Lake in the Central Oregon Cascades. My wife implored me to make a low-alcohol sparkling wine to pair with our prized hot lazy days by the water and from there began the journey into what's possible in winemaking...we started with drinkability, wove our way down the road to skin contact of an aromatic white picked early for acidity, passed through traditional method sparkling for fatness, richness, and texture, and finished with over a year of tirage time. The final step, as with any new creation, was to name it. On an inspired drive into work one day I thought, let's just call it what is it. Low alcohol sparkling orange wine – and thus, LASOW was born.

PAIRS WITH Picnics, Charcuterie boards, summer baseball, rollerblading, kayaking, beach days, vineyard walks, cocktails to match your wildest imagination, and tumbler glasses.

**AROMAS** Heady apricot skins, matcha, vanilla bean extract, roughly sawn cedar, caramel chews, carrot cake, daffodils, goldenberries

**FLAVORS** Chamomile, peach, green tea leaves, champagne mango, dragon fruit, thimble berries, Korean melon, tamarind, orange peel.

**TEXTURE** Light lifted bubbles with a streak of citrus peel bitterness on the finish. Full bodied, yet lithe the Lasow is the perfect cocktail bubbles.

VARIETAL Pinot Blanc Wash

ALCOHOL 8%

VINEYARD WillaKenzie Estate, Yamhill-Carlton AVA

WINEMAKING 14 months en tirage

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**TA** 5.5 g/L **pH** 3.26

