



# BLOMIDON

ESTATE WINERY

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## ABOUT

Blomidon Estate Winery is a boutique winery nestled on the shore of the Minas Basin, near Canning, in the picturesque Annapolis Valley of Nova Scotia. Our beautiful seaside setting offers a unique location for viticulture, as well as a scenic stopping point for our many visitors.

We are committed to producing 100% Nova Scotia grown grapes and wines, and are proud to have won numerous national and international awards and acclaim for our efforts. We invite you to join us and to discover our Nova Scotia wines.

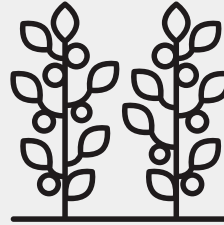


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# KEY FACTS

Total of  
 **42**  
acres  
and  
**13**  
varieties   
are in production.

**1986**



The first rows of L'Acadie and Seyval were planted.

## A few of our varieties:

Riesling  
Chardonnay  
Gamay  
Pinot Noir  
Baco Noir



L'Acadie Blanc  
Seyval Blanc  
Ortega  
Muscat Ottonel

The Chardonnay vines were planted in the 90's making them **the oldest Chardonnay vines in the province.**



# PEOPLE



## PRESIDENT, TIM RAMEY

Tim and his wife, Adriana traveled to many exciting wine regions of the world. In 2005, those travels provided the inspiration to purchase their first family's vineyard. In 2007, the Ramey family purchased the vineyard which is now Blomidon Estate Winery.

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## WINEMAKER, SIMON RAFUSE

Simon was born in Nova Scotia and came to the winery in 2009. He has a Masters in Winemaking from Montpellier SupAgro in France. He has worked in both France and New Zealand.

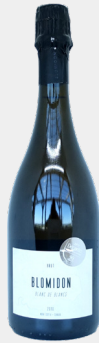
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## VINEYARD MANAGER, HAROLD GAUDY

Harold joined the team in early 2015, after a career spanning from Quebec to British Columbia. He previously worked at Summerhill Pyramid Winery and Cedar Creek in the Okanagan Valley.

# WINES



Blanc de Blancs



Brut Réserve



Blanc de Noirs



Cuvée L'Acadie



Crémant



Chardonnay



Pinot Noir



Baco Noir



Tidal Bay



Blow Me Down  
Rosé



## VITICULTURE & VINEYARDS

We have two vineyards - 24 acres in production at the Woodside Rd Vineyard and 18 acres in production at the Blomidon vineyard.

### **Varieties at Blomidon Estate Vineyard:**

Riesling  
Chardonnay  
L'Acadie Blanc  
Seyval Blanc  
Muscat Ottonel  
Ortega  
Baco Noir

### **Varieties at Woodside Road Vineyard :**

Chardonnay  
Pinot Gris  
L'Acadie Blanc  
Seyval Blanc  
New York Muscat  
Pinot Meunier  
Gamay  
Pinot Noir  
Leon Millot  
Lucie Kuhlmann

The winery is located on the water. The location offers many benefits; it reduces the risk of frost and disease, the consistent breeze moderates temperatures, and the sandy loam soil has excellent drainage, encouraging the roots to develop and grow.



## SUSTAINABILITY

While we are not a certified organic winery, we choose to practice sustainable production methods:

- We don't use herbicides
- We use minimal sprays in the vineyard, though some are always required in our wet climate
- We use organic compost
- We hand harvest all grapes





## RECENT AWARDS

### **2021 WineAlign Guide to Canada's Best Wines:**

2018 Chardonnay, Gold Medal (92 points)

NV Cuvée, Silver Medal (90 points)

2014 Brut Réserve, Silver Medal (90 points)

NV Crémant, Silver Medal (90 points)

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### **2021 Decanter World Wine Awards:**

NV Cuvée, Silver Medal (90 points)

2014 Brut Réserve, Bronze Medal (89 points)

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### **Lieutenant Governor's Award for Excellence in Nova Scotia Wine**

In 2020 - NV Cremant

In 2019 - 2011 Brut Reserve

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### **WineAlign Guide to Canada's Best Wines -**

#### **Top 10 Sparkling Wines in Canada:**

2011 Brut Reserve

NV Cuvee L'Acadie

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### **2022 Wine Align National Wine Awards of Canada**

2011 Blanc de Blancs, Gold Medal (92 points)

2021 Tidal Bay, Gold Medal (92 points)



## WINE SHOP & PATIO

Blomidon Estate Winery, overlooking the Minas Basin, is a must-stop. Have a wine tasting in the retail shop or pick up a bottle of wine for the evening's dinner.

Celebrating something? We've got award winning sparkling wines for every occasion. Be sure to ask for one that is already chilled!

Or if you are looking to relax and enjoy the view, have a seat on our patio with a wine flight and a locally sourced charcuterie board. The view is always beautiful.



## EVENTS

Blomidon Estate Winery is nestled on the shore of the Minas Basin, in the picturesque Annapolis Valley. Wedding celebrations take place in a private clearing in the heart of our vineyard, allowing rows of grape vines overlooking waters from the Bay of Fundy to be your backdrop. Our facility is a clean, contemporary canvas offering elegance and comfort with warm wood interior accents. We are pleased to share our venue with a select number of wedding ceremonies and receptions each year.



# GETTING HERE

## BLOMIDON ESTATE WINERY

10318 Hwy 221, Canning NS

20 mins from Blomidon Provincial Park

10 mins from the Lookoff

20 min from Wolfville

1 hour 20 min from Halifax



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