



## *Classic Red*

### **Grapes and vineyards.**

*DeChaunac* 30% (Hunt Country Vineyards)  
*Corot Noir* 20% (Green Acres Farm, Branchport, NY)  
*Chambourcin* 20% (Green Acres Farm, Branchport, NY)  
*Noiret* 11% (Bedient Vineyards, Branchport, NY)  
*Merlot* 10% (Peconic Bay Winery, Cutchogue, NY)  
*Cabernet Franc* 9% (Hunt Country Vineyards)

**Vineyard manager.** Dave Mortensen

**Winemaker.** Jonathan Hunt

**Cellarmaster.** Bill Whiting

**Malolactic.** Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Noiret

**Aging.** Merlot 15 months in French oak barrels

**Residual Sugar.** 1.0%

**Alcohol.** 12% by volume

**Total Acidity.** 6.4 g/L

**pH.** 3.7

**Bottled.** April 13-14, 2011

**Production.** 1177 cases

**Appellation.** Finger Lakes



### **Notes** by owner Art Hunt.

Hunt Country Vineyards Classic Red is a smooth, medium-bodied Chianti-style red wine, with complex fruit character and lightly oaked.

The *DeChaunac* grape gives Classic Red a light raisin or plum flavor, *Corot Noir* and *Chambourcin* add berry notes and *Noiret* a hint of pepper. The *Merlot* and *Cabernet Franc* provide additional depth and backbone.

Classic Red pairs particularly nicely with pizza and other Italian cuisine with red sauces, peppery beef dishes, and in hearty soups and stews. Cheers!