

# Sokol Blosser



Sustainability plays a critical role in how we measure our success at Sokol Blosser. Our definition of sustainability is based on doing good as measured through the triple bottom line. Simply put: it is using our business as a force for good across all aspects of **people, planet and profit**.

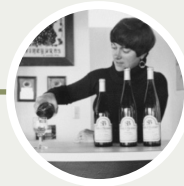


## OUR LEGACY & FUTURE



**Pioneering Oregon winery**

Established in 1971



**Founded by Bill & Susan Sokol Blosser**

First vintage in 1977



**Now run by 2<sup>nd</sup> generation Co-Presidents**

Alison Sokol Blosser, CEO Alex Sokol Blosser, Winemaker



**8 members in the 3<sup>rd</sup> generation**

Will remain family-owned

## B CORP CERTIFIED

As recognition of our commitment to sustainability and to provide a framework for becoming even more sustainable, we became B Corp certified on April 15, 2015.



**1 of 25**  
wineries  
worldwide

**2017, 2018  
& 2019**  
awarded Best for the  
World: Changemakers list

**2018, 2019  
& 2021**  
awarded Best for the  
World: Environment

As of 2021, earned  
**136 points**  
of out a possible of  
**200 points**

## GOOD TO THE PLANET

Being good stewards of the land to leave it in as good or better shape for the next generation is a key part of being sustainable at Sokol Blosser.



USDA organic certified by Oregon Department of Agriculture



Salmon Safe Certified



Onsite 25kW solar panel system



Renewable wind power purchased from PGE



50% biodiesel in vineyard tractors & trucks



Electric vehicle charging station onsite



Member of the Prescott Western Bluebird Recovery Project



U.S. Green Building Council LEED-certified barrel cellar; we were the first winery in the world to achieve this certification in 2002



Packaging, POS and Supplies are sourced from local and sustainable options as much as possible



Packaging is heavily integrated with our sustainability efforts. Newly introduced Evolution 1.5L box wines weigh 38% less than a case of wine in glass.

## FAST FACTS

Family-owned & family-operated

Farm **106** certified organic acres

Dundee Hills AVA Estate Vineyard

Eola-Amity Hills AVA Blossom Ridge Vineyard

Recently purchased **22-acre** Kalita Vineyard

Yamhill-Carlton AVA - transitioning to organic

**2012 - 2021:** voted a Top **100** Best Green Company to Work for in Oregon by Oregon Business Magazine

We support and encourage our employees as well as care for the community in which we do business.

- Offer comprehensive and generous benefits program for employees
- Offer volunteer paid time off
- Support local charities with in-kind donations
- Value and promote a diverse work environment

## ON OUR ESTATE

Bee colonies Organic fruit orchard

Organic vegetable garden 11 bird boxes

15 chickens 2 barn owl boxes

Battery recycling program

2020: Recycled 42 pounds of batteries - a 20% increase over 2019