

Glee

HARD RED SPRING WHEAT

Glee is a hard red spring wheat developed by the Agricultural Research Center of Washington State University. Glee was named in honor of Virginia Gale Lee, an inspiring graduate student in the WSU Spring Wheat Breeding program who died from a rare, aggressive form of cancer in 2010.

Glee provides a combination of high yield potential and excellent disease resistance in dryland and irrigated spring wheat production areas of the inland Pacific Northwest. Glee is best adapted to regions of Washington, Idaho, and Oregon where Buck Pronto, Bullseye, Hank, Jefferson, Kelse, Tara 2002, and WB926 are currently grown.

AGRONOMICS

Yield Potential.....	<i>Excellent</i>
Protein.....	<i>Average</i>
Test Weight.....	<i>Very Good</i>
Maturity.....	<i>Medium-Early</i>
Height.....	<i>Medium</i>
Quality.....	<i>Desirable</i>

DISEASE RESISTANCE

Stripe Rust.....	<i>Excellent Adult Resistance¹</i>
Hessian Fly.....	<i>Resistant</i>

¹ Early season application of fungicides should be considered to limit seedling infection



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3-Year Average Yield (bu/acre) from 2009-2011¹

Variety	Almira	Endicott	Farmington	Pullman	Reardan	Walla Walla		Yield Mean	Test Weight	Protein
						Walla	Walla			
Glee	58	58	73	70	68	68	83	68	59.7	13.8
Jefferson	58	54	68	61	66	66	79	64	59.7	14.2
Bullseye	56	52	70	60	69	66	77	64	61.0	13.6
WB 926	54	51	65	54	66	66	77	61	58.3	14.5
Tara 2002	54	53	65	49	62	62	76	60	58.4	14.1
Hank	56	50	59	43	63	63	67	56	57.5	14.1

AVAILABILITY: Foundation seed of Glee is maintained by the Washington State Crop Improvement Association. For seed inquiries please call (509) 334-0461. U.S. Plant Variety Protection status for this cultivar is pending.

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