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It is exciting once again to produce the 24th annual San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition and Public Tasting! We are excited to announce that the Public Tasting is returning after a three-year absence on Feb. 17 by the beautiful San Francisco Bay at Fort Mason Center.

Since January 2000, the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition (SFCWC) has been a major barometer for American consumers of wines to peruse the evaluation results from our more than 50 outstanding professional judges representing wine educators, winemakers, trade, media and wine-related fields.

The SFCWC represents a Super Bowl-like opportunity for wine brands and winemakers, large and small, to present wines to a tasting palate of judges who are the best in the nation.

Now, you can taste the best of the best wine winners these judges have selected throughout North America. Enjoy!



Bob and Scott Fraser,
Executive directors

We're so excited to return to Fort Mason to celebrate the wines that won big at this year's San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition. After a three-year hiatus, the public tasting is back — and it's going to be better than ever.

The stories included here will give you a sense of all the behind-the-scenes work that goes into determining which wines are worthy of Chronicle Wine Competition medals. In January, over 50 wine experts gathered in Sonoma County to taste more than 5,700 wines from all over the United States, Canada and Mexico. It's tough work, requiring patience, endurance and a finely tuned palate. You can get to know the stories of a few of these esteemed judges on U18. (We also had a little bit of fun. You can read about our fancy judges dinner, at Windsor's Bricoleur Vineyards, on U22.)

By the end of the week of judging, those 5,700 wines were whittled down to the best of the best. Those are the bottles we'll be pouring at Fort Mason on Feb. 17 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. I'll be in attendance, raising a glass to the ever-rising quality of North American wines. I hope to see you there.



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Esther Mobley
Senior wine critic,
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More than 5,700 wines from 1,000 wineries in the U.S., Canada and Mexico were entered into the 2024 competition. Out of this enormous field of entries, the following wines stood out to be declared the best of the best, receiving the prestigious Sweepstake award. Included with each Sweepstake winner are tasting notes by longtime wine writer Mike Dunne. To read about the Best of Class winners, go to page U30 for more tasting notes.

Sparkling Sweepstake Winner Chandon

Blanc de Pinot Noir, California, \$27

Of nearly 200 sparkling wines evaluated, Domaine Chandon's blend of Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier won Sweepstake honors on the power of its perfume, precision, presence and persistence. This was the second straight year for Chandon to win the honor.

White Sweepstake Winner Annadel Estate Winery

2022 Reserve Chardonnay Gap's Crown Vineyard, Sonoma Coast, Calif., \$58

Rugged, isolated and chilly, Gap's Crown Vineyard gives up its fruit grudgingly, but the reward for diligent husbandry is a centered Chardonnay sprightly in its expressions of tropical and citric fruit.

White Sweepstake Winner Las Positas Vineyards

2023 Verdelho, Livermore Valley, Calif., \$42

Verdelho is as comfortable at home in Livermore Valley as it is on the Iberian peninsula, to judge by this aromatic, angular and biting take from Las Positas, reaffirming Livermore's historic reputation for finely chiseled whites.

Rosé Sweepstake Winner The Four Graces

2022 Rosé Wine, Willamette Valley, Ore., \$20.99

Nearly 240 rosés were in the competition with judges concurring that the best of that big batch was the deeply colored Four Graces, a Pinot Noir with forward fruit, broad build, herbal thread, peppery spice and edgy acidity.



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Red Sweepstake Winner Cooper Vineyards

2021 Barbera, Amador County, Calif., \$33

For its sweet cherry/berry fruit, hefty body, sound oak, resonating warmth (15 percent alcohol) and amiability at the table, the Cooper Barbera topped 3,600 entries to win red wine Sweepstake honors.

Specialty Sweepstake Winner Cinquain Cellars

2013 Touriga & Tinto Cao Dessert Wine Nagengast Estate Vineyard, Paso Robles, Calif., \$100

Don't bother with the customary blue cheese, this Port-inspired dessert wine has drama and substance enough on its own. It's nutty, syrupy, smoky and delightfully sticky.

Honeysuckle American, Tennessee, \$25

The wine may be called "Honeysuckle," but there's not a flower in it. In its mass and brass, it possesses all the floral, fruity and spicy elements that possibly can be squeezed from Gewurztraminer.

Packaging Sweepstake Winner Blair Estate

2020 Muscat Ottonel, Arroyo Seco, Calif., \$75

For a comprehensive listing of all the Best of Class, double gold, gold, silver and bronze awards, go to page U32 and visit winejudging.com.

Enjoy award-winning wines at annual public tasting

Celebrate Presidents Day weekend by trying the best wines from the U.S, Mexico and Canada at the 24th annual San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition Public Tasting. Wine experts judged more than 5,700 wines from over 1,000 wineries during a week in January for the largest competition of North American wines in the world.

The annual public tasting will feature the best wines from the competition, including the eight Sweepstake award winners, as well as artisan food from around the Bay Area.

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Sparkling Sweepstake Winner

Pauline Lhote

Chandon
Blanc de Pinot Noir, California, \$27

As head winemaker at Chandon, Pauline Lhote is responsible for every part of the winemaking process from grape to glass. To say that Lhote is passionate about bubbles is an understatement as she grew up in the Champagne region of France. At 14, she told her parents she wanted to be a winemaker with a focus on sparkling wine.

Lhote earned a National Diploma of Winemaking in Reims and early in her career, she focused on crafting rosé champagnes. Lhote then set her sights on Chandon in Napa Valley, the first French-owned sparkling wine house in California. She arrived in Yountville in 2006 and fell in love with the Napa region.

At just 41 years old, she will celebrate her 19th harvest at Chandon. Lhote has been working to create a new Chandon "house style," and she also works closely with her fellow winemakers at Chandon's wineries in Argentina, Brazil, Australia, China, and India.

She has been hailed as a female leader in the industry by the likes of Glamour, Marie Claire and Nylon, as well as named a "Rising Star" by the Drinks Business and acknowledged in Wine Enthusiast's 2017 40 Under 40 and Create & Cultivate's 2019 100 List. Recently, Lhote was awarded the medal of the Order of the Agricultural Merit by the French Republic for her accomplishments and promoting the French savoir faire.



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White Sweepstake Winner

Brent Amos

Las Positas Vineyards
2023 Verdelho, Livermore Valley, Calif., \$42

Brent Amos grew up in El Dorado County, and some of his best memories are of running through vineyards as a kid while his parents were wine tasting. While studying engineering in college, these fond memories kept resurfacing, and he quickly realized that wine is where his future lay.

So it was that at the ripe old age of 20, he started his wine career as a harvest worker in Sonoma County, then finished his enology degree. He has been making wine in the Livermore Valley since 2005 and is the winemaker, general manager and partner at Las Positas Vineyards.



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Drew Damskey

Annadel Estate Winery
2022 Reserve Chardonnay Gap's
Crown Vineyard, Sonoma Coast,
Calif., \$58

Drew Damskey comes from a family with a long history of making exceptional wines in Napa and Sonoma. His grandfather started as a grower in Napa Valley, and his father, Kerry Damskey, became a renowned winemaker known for producing exceptional wines globally. Drew Damskey has followed in their footsteps, creating outstanding wines from exceptional sites.

His talent has been recognized on numerous occasions. For the past four years, he has been crafting fine wines at Annadel Estate Winery, a 19th-century vineyard located in the stunning Sonoma Valley. Damskey, together with owners Katie Honey and Dan Whalen, has been instrumental in producing exceptional wines and creating unforgettable experiences for visitors.



Rosé Sweepstake Winner

Tim Jones

The Four Graces
2022 Rosé Wine, Willamette Valley, Ore.,
\$20.99

Tim Jones spent most of his life in Northern California and the Pacific Northwest. He was born in Ashland, Ore., and grew up in Eureka. Jones first became interested in winemaking while he was a student at Willamette University in Salem, Ore. On weekends, he would go wine tasting in the Yamhill and Dundee region. A bachelor's degree in Spanish gave Jones the opportunity to study wines in Chile and Argentina. His growing passion led him to harvest work in Sonoma County.

After working in Sonoma wineries, Jones went to UC Davis to study viticulture and enology. He also worked as a tasting room manager for Fiddlehead Cellars, and met his wife, Katrina, while pouring wine at an event.

They graduated, got married and moved to Eastern Washington. Jones worked for Ste. Michelle Wine Estates as a winemaker. He earned an MBA at Washington State University, then moved to McMinnville last May. The couple has two sons, Will and Benjamin.

Jones joined The Four Graces team in May 2018. At a small winery like the Four Graces, each day is unique and challenging.

"It has given me the chance to develop a close connection to the wine through all stages of the winemaking process," Jones said. "With our two estate vineyards at Doe Ridge and Foley Family Estate, we get to taste and compare some of the best grapes in the Willamette Valley."



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Red Sweepstake Winner

Michael Roser

Cooper Vineyards
2021 Barbera, Amador County, Calif., \$33

Winemaker Michael Roser has been with Cooper Vineyards since the inaugural crush in 2000 when three varieties of Cooper fruit were sent away for custom crush at the winery where Roser worked in the cellar.

At the time, Cooper Vineyards was a winery in concept only: various thoughts, drawings and paintings were evolving while four vintages of wine were fermenting. When the doors opened in 2004, Roser accepted the position as winemaker and has touched every vintage of grapes that have been harvested since.

A Chicago native, Roser attended the Hyatt Culinary Training Program where he was trained by Walter Staib, an education he finds more important in winemaking than the biology and chemistry he studied at Western Illinois University. An employment opportunity brought Roser to California but his continued passion for food and the opportunity to explore its relationship with wine led him into the wine industry where he just celebrated his 24th harvest.

Sharing the same goals as Cooper Vineyards founder Dick Cooper, Roser produces wine from estate grown fruit and firmly believes that the secret to crafting wine to its fullest potential is to stay true to the varietal.



Specialty Sweepstake Winner

David Nagengast

Cinquain Cellars
2013 Touriga & Tinto Cao Dessert Wine
Nagengast Estate Vineyard, Paso Robles,
Calif., \$100

David Nagengast started his winemaking training with studies at Fresno State University, acquiring his winemaking degree in 1985. He continued his training with assistant winemaking positions at San Martin Winery, Mirassou Winery and Storrs Winery & Vineyards.

In 2000, Nagengast and his wife, Beth, began development of a small vineyard and winery in the Estrella District of Paso Robles. With the help of their three sons, they built a 13-acre vineyard and 1,500-case winery. In 2008, they opened the doors of Cinquain Cellars with a focus on Bordeaux, Rhône and Portuguese wines including a Port-style dessert wine.

In 2004, Nagengast took a position with Scheid Vineyards in Greenfield, Calif., as winemaker where he helped design the winery and developed the wine program that has grown to one of top wineries in the Central Coast. Since 2018, Nagengast has held the vice president of winemaking position at Scheid Family Wines.

The Sweepstake-award winning 2013 Touriga & Tinto Cao Dessert wine was made as a vintage port. However, two barrels from this blend were retained in the cellar and bottled separately after 10 years of extended cellar aging. It is a concentrated and complex dessert wine that we are thrilled to share with you after 10 years of waiting.



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Specialty Sweepstake Winner

Chase Vienneau

Arrington Vineyards
2022 Sweet Gewurztraminer Honeysuckle
American, Tennessee, \$25

Chase Vienneau, a Tennessee native from Clarksville, is a dedicated husband and father to two beautiful daughters who serve as his daily inspiration. Vienneau embarked on his professional winemaking journey in 2001.

His passion for wine was ignited during his early years as an employee at Beachaven Vineyards & Winery in Clarksville, where he mastered the intricacies of wine production from vineyard to bottles.

In 2008, the opening of Arrington Vineyards (in Arrington, Tennessee) captivated him, driving him to contribute to their mission of crafting premium wines from grapes sourced from across the nation.

With 22 years of winemaking experience in Tennessee, Vienneau has played a pivotal role in producing millions of bottles of premium wine, garnering over 50 Gold Medals from international wine competitions as well as other accolades for his exceptional contributions to the wine industry. Vienneau enjoys golfing, fishing, kayaking, skiing and spending quality time at the lake. He currently resides in Brentwood, Tenn.



Packaging Sweepstake Winner

Grant Peterson

Blair Estate
2020 Muscat Ottonel, Arroyo Seco,
Calif., \$75

Grant Peterson is the principal and owner of Peterson Design, a design consultancy that provides cross media branding, environmental graphics and advertising to a very select group of high-end clients in a broad range of industries.

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Wine enthusiasts eagerly await return of public tasting

By Carey Sweet

After a three-year hiatus due to COVID-19, the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition Public Tasting returns this Presidents Day weekend.

Thousands of wine lovers will gather on Feb. 17 to explore the competition's 2024 award-winning selections at the Fort Mason Center's Festival Pavilion. Many bottles will be poured by the winemakers themselves and showcase a rainbow array of varietals ranging from southern Italian-style Aglianico to Croatian-style Zinfandel.

Drawing from the competition's more than 5,700 wines submitted by more than 1,000 wineries throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico, the tasting celebrates the cream of the crop, led by Sweepstake winners in categories including sparkling, white, rosé, red and specialty.

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Pennie Haase, director of national marketing and northeast regional sales at Alexander Valley Vineyards in Healdsburg

More than 150 Best of Class winners took home top honors this year, too, plus more than 1,500 gold-medal winners from hundreds of North American wineries.

Rounding it out are table after table of medal-winning wines in other categories, plus food pairings from Bay Area artisan producers.

The tasting event draws consumers from all over since this is the largest competition of North American wines in the world, and



MICHAEL SHORT

The San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition Public Tasting will be from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Feb. 17 at Fort Mason Center.

some attend almost every year. Marika Klaver, for example, celebrated as “soon as (she) was of legal age” by attending the tasting in 2012.

“I drove down from Chico with

two of my college girlfriends,” she said. “From 2013 to 2016, I unfortunately didn’t attend because I was living on the East Coast. But from 2017 until the shutdown in 2020, I would drive over from

Sacramento and pick up my friend from Walnut Creek along with my siblings for a group trip.”

This year, the commercial interior designer, 33, will be driving with a friend from Sacramento the night before, meeting her family in San Francisco and staying at a hotel near Fort Mason.

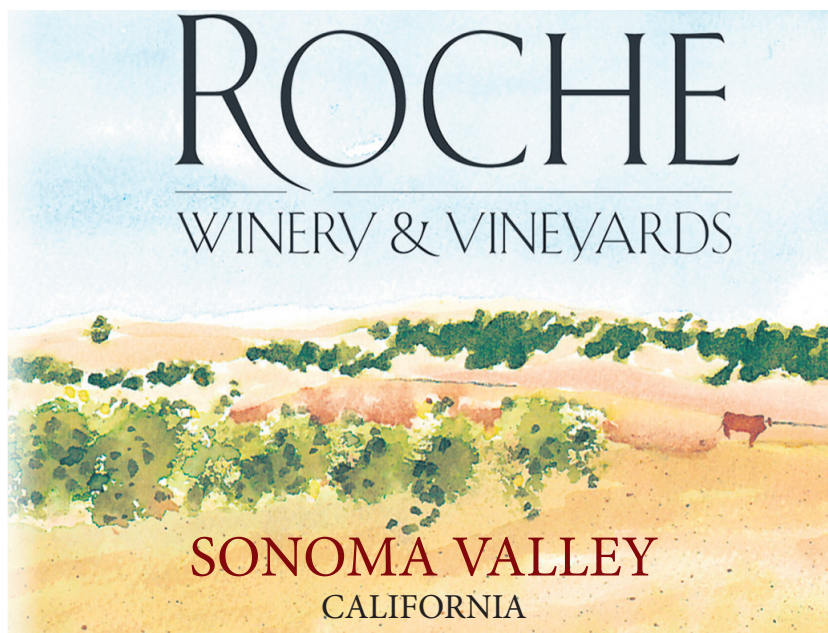
To tackle the hundreds of wineries pouring multiple wines at the tasting, Klaver has developed a strategy over the years.

“My plan of attack typically begins by looking over the SFCWC winners list to see who will be there — any favorites I already know, as well as who got some of the higher awards,” she said. “Then, when I’m actually at the event, I’ll walk around the tables in alphabetical order and start with the lighter varietals. I’ll take a break here and there for food and water, and then go around again for reds.”

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The gathering is also highly popular with the wineries who participated in the actual competition held the month before.

Setting up a table at the public tasting is not mandatory for wineries entering the competition, yet some wineries have poured at the tasting for nearly every one of the years they have been part of the winning line-up (the competition is in its 24th year).

“We have supported this competition from the beginning,” said Pennie Haase, director of national marketing and northeast regional sales at Alexander Valley Vineyards in Healdsburg. “Top competitions like this are another way to differentiate our wines and introduce them to new wine drinkers. When you tell the story of blind competitions and their diverse judging panels, it illustrates the quality and caliber of the wines that receive top awards. This third party endorsement is just what some wine drinkers need to help them make a selection.”



Left: An attendee samples red wine at the Public Tasting. Right: Award-winning wineries from around the country pour their wines

Alexander Valley Vineyards Western Regional Sales Director and grape grower Stewart Vandenberg often pours at the event and has found the gathering excellent for keeping connected with his sales bases.

“It’s great for meeting new people and introducing them to our wines, as well as pouring new

vintages of old favorites to long-time AVV fans,” he said.

The winery won Double Golds for both its 2021 Alexander Valley Vineyards Chardonnay and its 2022 Sonoma County Dry Rosé of Sangiovese.

This year, Las Positas Vineyards of Livermore Valley won a White Sweepstake award for its 2023



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Verdelho. Winemaker, general manager and partner Brent Amos has attended since 2005 and uses part of the event time to network, plus expand his knowledge of lesser-known grapes such as the Old World varieties that his winery focuses on.

Increasingly, the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition has

been adding judging categories for ever-more-popular but still unusual grapes, like Las Positas’ Roussanne, Tempranillo and Nebbiolo.

“From an industry perspective, it is always great to meet and interact with other wineries and a great opportunity to try all of the

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top award winners," Amos said. "Generally, I seek out the smaller producers who have unique wines."

One thing wine professional Mitch Hawkins would like to see, after his 15-or-so years of entering the competition and attending the public tasting, is more time in the universe. The owner of Hawk and Horse Vineyards in Lower Lake (Red Hills AVA of Lake County) said that he is pretty much at his table that day, pouring wines instead of joining the party.

"I always do well in the competition so going to the public tastings is a win-win," he said. "The location is out-of-sight. I remember people bringing toy wagons into Fort Mason; they're prepared to buy. There's been 49ers games going on, and people still come down to see us. They're really wine people."

Hawkins makes a point to get to the venue early, to say hello to fellow winemakers and sample a few extra-special sips. And then he prepares for three straight hours of event time where he said he doesn't text, he doesn't eat and



PHOTOS BY MICHAEL SHORT

Left: Thousands of attendees sample award-winning wines. Right: This year's event will be Feb. 17.

he likely won't visit the restroom.

"That building, it just gets a roar — you can't even hear the person next to you talking," he said. "I bring an assistant, but we're jamming, and people — well, they want to see 'the Mitch show.' The day just flies by."

Traditional media still has its pull, Hawkins believes.

"Really, if it's not (a traditional

magazine or recognized critic), sales results can be so-so," he said. "I'm getting really picky about events I go to, but I wouldn't miss this one. For this event, it's bragging rights."

This year, his winery won a Best of Class for its 2021 Rosé of Cabernet Sauvignon Sparkling Wine and a Double Gold for its 2019 Cabernet Franc.

The two publicity efforts work together, Amos believes for his Livermore Valley estate.

"Awards from competitions definitely help with marketing and sales," he said. "Customers respond to medals and are often more willing to try new wineries or visit wine regions they haven't visited before when they see the publication of awards."

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Veteran judges enjoy seeing how industry is evolving

By Carey Sweet

It seems like such a glamorous adventure — being invited to be a judge at the largest wine competition in the United States. And it is indeed exciting for the more than 50 experts who participate, evaluating everything from many hundreds of Cabernet Sauvignons, to exotica like Southern Italian Fiano, hard ciders, meads, spritzers, non-alcoholic wines and even packaging and labels.

But it's also a lot of work as each judge tastes between 90 and 110 wines per day and evaluates multiple batches in flights of a single varietal within a certain price point.

The judges volunteer their time, many traveling from North American wine regions coast-to-coast. They commit to an entire week of long days swirling and sniffing, sipping and swishing, scoring and working with their

co-panelists in lively debates to agree on a final winner.

These judges are all wine experts in various fields, from media to sales to making their own fine wines, and each gains valuable takeaway knowledge about the ever-evolving industry from the exercise.

Plus, the effort is a noble cause. Great wines need to be celebrated, the judges believe, and get the critical recognition they deserve.

Some of the competition's judges have participated for decades, others are new talents. Get an insider's look from these longtime judges:

Jim Trezise President of WineAmerica

As a professional wine judge for more than 35 years, Jim Trezise is one of the competition's very first judges, returning each



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More than 50 experts gathered at the Cloverdale Citrus Fair to evaluate over 5,700 wines from the U.S., Canada and Mexico.

year to lend his expertise. It is a substantial time commitment for him to travel from New York to Northern California to participate in the competition.

In fact, the toughest challenge, he said, is "getting there.

It takes a full day and multiple flights each way."

But the effort is priceless to him, and he thinks competition results are especially important for helping boost the fluctuating wine industry now.

Trezise has been president of Wine America since 2017 after serving for more than 20 years on the executive committee of the organization's board of directors. Based in Washington, D.C., WineAmerica is the only national wine association in the U.S. and its goal is to improve legislation regulating winemaking, sales and distribution.

He also co-founded the New York Wine & Grape Foundation in 1985 and worked as its president for 35 years, plus created the International Riesling Foundation and received Australia's International Wolf Blass Award for promotion of Riesling worldwide.

After all this time, he still counts Riesling as his favorite grape.

"That's due to its variability — dry, medium dry, sweet, ice wine — and food friendliness," he explained. "There are 'cold-hardy Minnesota' (hybrid) varieties like Brianna, LaCrescent, Frontenac and Marquette, for example, which

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This year, 68 Rieslings took home medals.

Still, with all Trezise's expertise, he likes to suggest to everyday consumers that "The best wine is the wine you like best."

Plus, he never gets tired of wine, he noted.

"Wine is a living marvel, a gift from the earth, liquid poetry, different with each year, every varietal and every winery," he said. "It's always evolving, and good competitions like SFCWC let us keep up with this ever-changing magical elixir."

Laura Ness, aka "HerVineNess"
Wine journalist and columnist

Based in Santa Cruz, Laura Ness writes about the wine industry in such publications as the San Jose Mercury News, Wine Industry Advisor, Edible Monterey Bay, the Tasting Panel and Somm Journal.



She started judging in 2001 and recalled, "it was such a thrill." She immediately got hooked on the exploration.

"The wines were from all over the world, but most were from the Midwest and Northeast with all manner of fascinating grapes I had never heard of like Concord, Chambourcin, Niagara, Vignoles, Frontenac, Traminette and Vidal Blanc."

These days, she judges more than a dozen competitions, mostly in California. And the thrill continues with her San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition experience.

"The Sweepstakes are truly amazing with a plethora

of good wines from all over the country," she said. "This year, we had lots of whites that weren't from California, including Michigan, New York, Virginia, Texas and Arizona. One year, a Sauvignon Blanc from Mexico was the best white. Honestly, the category, "Other Whites," is my favorite. I always discover something new."

Mark Chandler
Partner at Burlington Chandler Wines

When people call Mark Chandler "the Mayor of Lodi," they're not kidding. The Lodi native actually was mayor in 2016, 2019 and 2022, plus he served on the

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The San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition takes the evaluation of all wines entered into its competition very seriously, trusting only the best palates to taste and judge. During the third week of January, 52 judges from all aspects of the wine industry, including media, culinary and hospitality, education, winemaking and retail, gathered together to take part in a blind judging of more than 5,700 wine entries. Over four days, the judges determined the best of each category.

Each panel of judges was strategically coordinated by executive directors Bob and Scott Fraser and was designed to be balanced and diverse.

Carrie Boyle, owner of Carrie Boyle Wine Consulting, Sacramento, Calif.

Sean Brosnihan, estate sommelier and wine educator at Ramey Wine Cellars and WSET Level 2, Healdsburg, Calif.

Greg Burns, CEO, owner and winemaker at Jessie's Grove Winery, Lodi, Calif.

Mark Chandler, partner at Burlington Chandler Wines, Lodi, Calif.

John Compisi, co-founder and lead writer at BitesFlightsandSights.com, Reno, Nev.

Jennifer Cossey Hendrickson, vice president of marketing and communications at Bravo Spirits, McMinnville, Ore.



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Left: Senior Wine Critic for the San Francisco Chronicle Esther Mobley judges wine for the 2024 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition. Right: Judges, from left to right, J'nai Gaither, Sonoma correspondent for Decanter Magazine; John Giannini, retired winemaker and instructor, and John Compisi, co-founder and lead writer at BitesFlightsandSights.com, evaluate wines in the blind judging.



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Stephanie Cruz-Green, owner and sommelier at Focused On Wine and ambassador for Boisset Collection, Kelseyville, Calif.

Ross Dawkins, head winemaker at Penrose Hill and Firstleaf, Napa, Calif.

Eric Degerman, president and CEO at Great Northwest Wine, Richland, Wash.

Sarah Doyle, wine reporter at the Press Democrat, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Mark Drake, president and founder of the Drake Luxury Group, Novato, Calif.

Martha Dunne, practitioner and enthusiast, Sacramento, Calif.

Mike Dunne, author of "The Signature Wines of Superior California: 50 Wines that Define the Sierra Foothills, the Delta, Yolo

and Lodi," Sacramento, Calif.

Bob Ecker, freelance wine writer, photographer and founder of the Rosé Competition, Rio Vista, Calif.

Chris Ehrenberg, owner and winemaker at Ehrenberg Cellars, Livermore, Calif.

Mark Elcombe, Homeplace manager at Sonoma-Cutrer Vineyards, Windsor, Calif.

Rick Fraga, wine educator at Madrigal Family Winery, Calistoga, Calif.

J'nai Gaither, Sonoma correspondent for Decanter Magazine, Napa Valley, Calif.

Sahar Gharai, owner and wine buyer of La Dolce Vita Wine Lounge, Petaluma, Calif.

John Giannini, retired winemaker and instructor, Lodi, Calif.

Denise Gill, retired wine profes-

sional, Healdsburg, Calif.

Pat Henderson, winemaking consultant and educator, Sonoma Valley, Calif.

Barry Herbst, wine director at Bottle Barn, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Jennifer Kelly, president of wine sales and marketing at Luxury Wine Partners, Petaluma, Calif.

Jaime Knee, sommelier, wine educator and writer of Petite WineTraveler.com, Santa Barbara, Calif.

Rick Kushman, wine commentator at Capital Public Radio and co-host of "Bottle Talk with Rick & Paul," Sacramento, Calif.

Tony Lawrence, owner of "The Global Wine Chef" and "The World is his Kitchen," Philadelphia, Pa.

Robert Marr, winemaker and

proprietor at Marr Cellars, Davis, Calif.

Dick Mercer, presidente at Experience Italy, which designs custom wine and food trips, Sacramento, Calif.

Harry A. Merlo, owner and operator at Lago di Merlo Vineyards and Winery, Geyserville, Calif.

Ann Miller, marketing consultant at Les Bourgeois Vineyards, Rochport, Mo.

Laura Ness, wine journalist at San Jose Mercury News and Los Gatos Magazine, Santa Cruz, Calif.

Rich Parducci, winemaker and managing partner at McNab Ridge Winery, Ukiah, Calif.

Nadia Pavlevska, professional sommelier, wine educator and founder of NP Wine and NP Somm Club, Los Angeles, Calif.



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Left: President of WineAmerica Jim Trezise judges wine. Right: Billie Merlo marks down scores as, from left to right, David Teig, executive chef at Palace Hotel; Greg Burns, CEO, owner and winemaker at Jessie's Grove Winery; and Mark Chandler, partner at Burlington Chandler Wines, evaluate a red category.

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Lodi City Council from 2014-2022 and for 20 years, he was CEO of the Lodi Winegrape Commission.

In between, he has found time to run his own winery with his wife, Jan Burlington Chandler, making wines for more than two decades. Today, he runs the California State Fair Commercial Wine Competition, and as he has since the mid-90s, judges at numerous other events, including every year since the first year the San Francisco Chronicle took over the competition in 2000.

After tasting more than a hun-

dred wines in a single day, he sometimes feels the effort can get a bit "tedious," he admitted, but he has never lost his love for it.

"Like most of the judges, wine is more than a beverage to me, it is a passion," Chandler said. "It has afforded me a terrific career that has sustained me, where I have worked with marvelous people. It has brought me a lot of joy, and the opportunity to travel the world to learn of its various interpretations. To me, wine is infinitely entertaining. It is the most elegant intersection of culture and agriculture."



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From top left: Eric Degerman is president and CEO at Great Northwest Wine in Richland, Wash.; Jennifer Cossey Hendrickson is vice president of marketing and communications at Bravo Spirits in McMinnville, Ore.; Peg San Felippo is a wine and spirits writer in Jupiter, Fla.; and Tony Lawrence is the owner of "The Global Wine Chef" and "The World is his Kitchen" in Philadelphia, Pa.

Bill Pesonen, grower and winemaker at William Gordon Winery, Cloverdale, Calif.

Greg Richtarek, wine and spirits manager at Safeway stores, Campbell, Calif.

Peg San Felippo, wine and spirits writer, Jupiter, Fla.

Christopher Sawyer, journalist, sommelier and founder of SawyerSomm.com, Sonoma, Calif.

Julie Schreiber, consulting winemaker at Chez Julie S, Healdsburg, Calif.

John Schumacher, president of Hallcrest Vineyards and founder of the Organic Wine Works, Felton, Calif.

Carol Shelton, owner and winemaker at Carol Shelton Wines, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Kristin Short, senior manager of wine and spirits education at E. & J. Gallo Winery, Healdsburg, Calif.

Jeff Slankard, beer and wine director at Barons Market, San Diego, Calif.

Eric Stine, winemaker at Gilt Edge and Wineco Inc., Kelseyville, Calif.



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Executive director Scott Fraser manages wine bottles in Cloverdale. The annual competition relies on a dedicated team of staff and volunteers.

Miro Tcholakov, director of winemaking and vice president at Trentadue Winery and owner and winemaker at Miro Cellars, Cloverdale, Calif.

David Teig, executive chef at Palace Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.

Tiffany Tobey, sommelier, Dallas, Texas

Jim Trezise, president of WineAmerica, Washington DC

Spreti Valente, certified sommelier and senior buyer

at Anne's Boutique Wines, Costa Mesa, Calif.

Larry Van Aalst, retired sommelier and radio talk show host, Rohnert Park, Calif.

Tyler Weiper, lead associate at Brian Arden Winery, Calistoga, Calif.

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Judges unwind at winery known for culinary experiences

By Carey Sweet

After tasting hundreds of wines over four days, the more than 50 judges at the 2024 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition really did not need to tip another glass. Yet the annual celebratory dinner is a highlight of their week, always held at a notable Sonoma or Napa winery, and resplendent with a wine reception, followed by a multi-course feast paired with fine wine and more fine wine.

This evening isn't work, however, but an opportunity to savor. Instead of meticulously analyzing each sip to determine which of the more than 5,700 wines entered in the competition this year would take home honors ranging from the grand prize Sweepstake award, to Double Gold, Gold, Silver and Bronze medals, judges can relax. It's a time to give their spouses and guests a peek at the competition glamour, while inevi-

» **“Wine competitions take teams of talented judges to agree on wines, and I find that kind of rating is actually better than an individual wine writer.”**

Mark Hanson, owner of Bricoleur Vineyards in Windsor

tably, talking more wine shop with their colleagues.

This year's venue was another draw for wine professionals across the country that had not yet seen Bricoleur Vineyards in Windsor. The grand, 39-acre estate debuted in March of 2020 before having to close due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The contemporary tasting hall and state-of-the-art kitchen is



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Judges enjoy wine and appetizers at the Official Judges Dinner at Bricoleur Vineyards in Windsor.

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Founder Mark Hanson talks about opening Bricoleur Vineyards with his wife, Elizabeth, at the judges dinner in the Windsor winery's contemporary tasting room.

outfitted with a full culinary and food service license, and now is known for its elaborate experiences like Rooted, a six-course seated feast that showcases produce from the winery's on-site gardens.

James Beard Award-winning celebrity Chef Charlie Palmer is a consultant. Culinary Director Thomas Bellec co-directs, following a long career with Four Seasons Hotels and Resorts. And Executive Chef Todd Knoll leads, drawing on nearly two decades of work at Jordan Vineyard & Winery in Healdsburg.

Guests mingled and enjoyed appetizers of rich bisque (its wild mushrooms and fennel were hand-foraged on the coast by Knoll), plus Tsar Nicoulai smoked sturgeon rillette and roe on crostini while sipping Bricoleur's new Isla Rose Brut Rosé.

They applauded when Bricoleur co-winemaker Bob Cabral (known for his Williams Selyem, Three Sticks and Bob Cabral Wines) teased the judges with an observation that might seem obvious: "I've been in your shoes, and you guys are maniacs, tasting 5,000 wines in a week. That's insane."

Competition Executive Director Bob Fraser agreed that the

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Above: From left, Tony Lawrence, Jamie Knee and Helena Welsh clink glasses before they join other judges at the dinner hosted by Bricoleur Vineyards in Windsor. Below: The winery features a state-of-the-art kitchen and regularly hosts multi-course wine pairing dinners.



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competition is always an amazing feat. He and his son Scott Fraser have been handling the competition since its inception and know every component and challenge, including all the judges and what they undertake.

"Tonight is dedicated to you, the judges, who put in not only so many miles of travel to get here, but then, we ask you taste more than 5,500 wines," Fraser said. "I know it's exhausting, so we thank you and applaud you."

Then Bricoleur owner Mark Hanson gave a little background, explaining that he and his wife, Elizabeth Hanson, started making wine in 2017, and the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition was the first competition they had ever entered. Since then, they have grown from producing four wines to 18 and take home medals every year, including a Double Gold this year for their 2022 Kick Ranch Sauvignon Blanc.

"Wine competitions take teams of talented judges to agree on wines, and I find that kind of



Left: Judges enjoy a multi-course dinner at Bricoleur Vineyards in Windsor. Right: San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition Executive Director Bob Fraser welcomes the crowd and thanks the judges, his staff and volunteers for making the competition a success.

rating is actually better than an individual wine writer," he said. "In the distribution world and restaurants, some rely on (magazine ratings), but to me, that's one person's opinion, on one day and depending on what mood they're in. For me, if you get a Best in Class from a full panel of tasters, it

feels like it's a better award and more exposure."

Hosting the dinner gives winery staff the opportunity to meet influential judges one-on-one and share their stories, he explained. Since all the competition's wines are tasted blind (meaning judges have no idea which brands they're



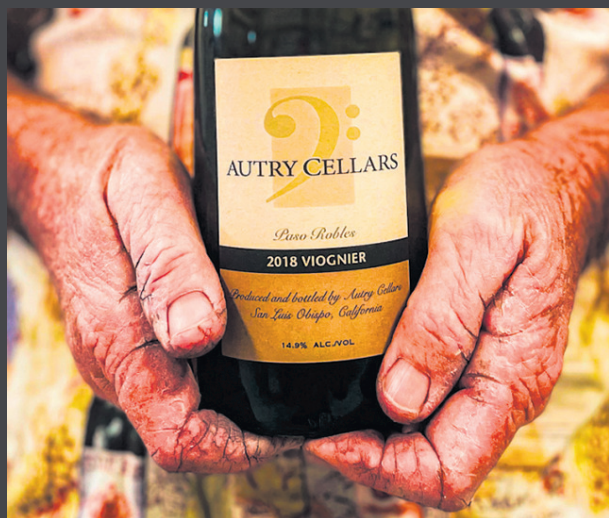
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sampling), relationships have no bearing on who gets medals, but it helps the producing and media/industry communities understand each other.

"Some of the judges are local, others are from all over the country," Hanson said. "This way, when they visit, they can learn what

we're doing. We're still the new kid on the block, and we're trying to get national food and wine recognition by producing award-winning wines and culinary events."

To create the dinner menu, Knoll and the team started planning a few weeks in advance,



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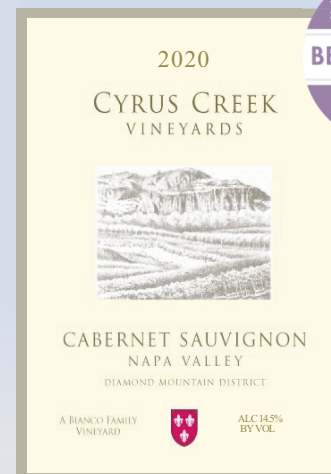
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inspired by seasonal ingredients and the wines they chose to showcase. The wines are chosen first, and then the dishes are adapted for complementing flavors and seasonings.

So a 2022 Russian River Valley Estate Chardonnay was matched with a tart winter citrus and fennel salad tossed in lacto-fermented persimmon and plenty of salt. The key was that the Chardonnay is unoaked so it was light and lemon-y alongside the brightly flavored greens.

Then came a hunk of short rib, the lush fattiness designed, Knoll said, to “push the fruit up” of a new Bricoleur wine, a rich, soft 2021 Le Rumeur red blend of Syrah and Zinfandel. A knob of wood-fire roasted sunchoke root brought earthy notes, accented with sweet carrots, quinoa, shallots and a drizzle of huckleberry-truffle jus.

Dessert brought personal-size bundt cakes, housemade with brown butter and a touch of rum then slathered in salted vanilla caramel and passion fruit glaze.



Above: San Francisco Chronicle Publisher and CEO Bill Nagel speaks before the judges have dinner at Bricoleur Vineyards. Right: For dessert, a 2021 The Last Note was paired with a bundt cake.

The wine; a 2021 The Last Note, a delicately sweet late harvest wine boasting aromatics of yuzu, honeysuckle and dried pineapple.

For Bricoleur, such exposure like the Official Judges Dinner event is key to its success, Hanson said. The young winery only launched its distribution business last January — it’s in four states now and working its way into

restaurants.

“We want to get in front of wine professionals, sommeliers and such,” added Knoll. “Think about the exponential growth we can have by holding a dinner like this. Besides being a good neighbor (by offering our service and space), each one of those judges is going to talk to so many people about what they find here.”



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Wineries search for fun ways to court new customers

By Carey Sweet

Ever since California's first public wine tasting room opened at Charles Krug in St. Helena in 1882, direct-to-consumer sales have been a valuable source of revenue for many wineries. It's been a simple strategy — customers sample wines, find their favorites and purchase on the spot without the need for winery owners to deal with the cost and logistics of distributors.

"A tasting room is a place for people to qualify wine for purchase, that's its purpose," said Janae Franicevic, who owns Sunce Winery in Santa Rosa with her husband, Frane. The couple has exclusively sold direct-to-consumer since opening in 2000, drawing from a portfolio of four dozen-plus varietals. "We don't have set flights we impose on people. Instead, we find out what styles they like and make it all their own experience."

Over the past decade, the tasting concept has become more complicated with plenty of wineries turning into entertainment destinations, too. More and more places brim with attractions like complex food pairings, live music and full-out parties requiring tickets to be purchased. It's made sense, bringing in greater profit opportunities.

But during the pandemic, both business models disappeared overnight.

When public venues shut down, for most wineries, online sales became vital. Companies like the Geyserville-based Wilson Artisan Wineries immediately geared up its internet efforts to promote its 11 locations across Northern California. And wine clubs — always a reliable sales source — became even more important.

"We immediately created a 'Shelter in Taste' sale that was very successful," said Wilson Director of



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Coyote Sonoma in Healdsburg hosts a lobster party. All of the 11 Wilson Artisan Wineries have unique parties and events.

Marketing Katie Ambrosi. "So our online sales grew while our tasting room sales evaporated, but the ability to sign up new club members became a challenge as the natural path through a visit dis-

appeared."

Entering wine competitions, like the annual San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, took on more significance, as well, to remind customers that their favorite wines

were still top quality and available for purchase. Sunce, for example, entered 103 of its wines this year, taking home four Best of Class, and six Double Gold medals, among 41 Gold medals overall, and posted the results on its website and social media.

Now, in-person tastings and on-site events have flooded back, and many wineries are coming up with ever more inventive activities designed to capture and keep that coveted wine club crowd.

"Losing on-site sales was painful but allowed us to start thinking outside the box," said Matthew Scott, head winemaker and general manager of winemaking, wholesale and viticulture at 7 Vines Vineyard in Dellwood, Minn. "The wine club and online sales were critical to help fill some of the sales gap. But we survey our club members annually and find that besides exclusive wines and discounts, early access to special events are a

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Popular 7 Vines activities include wine club shipment pick up parties, fashion shows, holiday boutique events and guest chef wine dinners.

“These events help to connect guests with our brand and give them the opportunity to take home bottles or if they’re new, join our wine club,” Scott said.

For some wineries, the shut-down encouraged new thinking on how to promote both in-person and online sales, often in tandem.

“We offered free shipping for most of the duration of the lock downs,” said Dalton Humphreys, managing partner of Perissos Vineyard and Winery in Austin, Texas. “Now our events have increased substantially, and our wine club parties have exploded. We host four major release parties each year, and we’ve been able to keep it completely free for our members while still providing wine, a full meal and great bands.”

Parties are fun, but the quality of the wine is still the most important component, noted Franicevic,

who operates what she calls an allocation program with a waiting list that’s only open to returning, renewing or people referred by members.

Since allocation members do get access to an annual crush party and complimentary San Francisco Bay sunset cruises, but “it’s really about the wine,” she said. “We are not entertainment directors. We sell wine, not experiences — and we have a darn good time doing it.”

Since members get wine discounts, but visitors — any and all visitors — may be surprised with fun freebie things like tastings in the barrel room.

In some of the modern direct-to-consumer world, however, the more playtime, the better.

“The great thing about wineries is that they are places to bring people together,” Scott said. “We host many fun events such as our charcuterie board building classes, wine pairing classes with themes like bubbles and fries, Girl Scouts cookie pairings or Halloween candy pairings and focus on having

various genres of music, so that we can cater to multiple generations of guests.”

Perks help, too, beyond the typical 10 to 25% club savings for wine purchases.

“It’s access, member-pricing and events,” Ambrosi said of Wilson’s wine club program.

The winery group owns three bed and breakfasts in Healdsburg (Grape Leaf Inn, Camellia Inn, Calderwood Inn) and one in Cloverdale (the Pinschower Inn), and wine club members get 20% off their stays.

They also get preferred pricing for public events like Wilson’s annual Wine & Grilling Competition and Wine & Chili Pairing Competition, plus a summer live music series. Different wineries in the company’s diverse portfolio tend to attract different clientele, so some events are customized to their location.

“Our Coyote Sonoma winery in downtown Healdsburg is also a live music venue and taproom, where we feature a lot of different types of music,” Ambrosi said. “Some

bands are naturally very appealing to millennials, and that is an alternate way we connect with guests in that demographic.”

At Perissos, special events have taken on their own life, becoming gatherings for like-minded attendees of all ages who often become friends, Humphreys said.

“The main factor we find for people joining our wine club is the highly award winning, 100% Texas grown wine we produce,” he said. “But equally as important is the community we create. We are far into the Texas Hill Country, blessed with many acres of land and vineyards away from the heart of the populated city.”

Entering Perissos wines into competitions is important for drawing in customers, Humphreys noted.

“As a business, we obviously want to increase our customer base and promote the Texas wine movement. People (see the awards) and know they have something special in their own backyard. Producing world class wine — that’s attractive to every age, gen-

der and ethnicity.”

The winery won two Double Gold medals in the recent San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, plus a Gold and six Silver medals. The winery actively promotes the achievements, too, with its website sharing that “We are honored to have received nine Best of Class Awards from the prestigious San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition over the years. Winning Best of Class in the competitive group of wines is not only humbling but is truly an outstanding accomplishment.”

Such awards ultimately lead to increased attention and increased sales directly to consumers.

“Yes, the events are grand, and yes, it’s nice to get a bit of a discount, but we don’t put on parties for the sake of parties, nor do we put on events for the sake of reaching millennials or any specific demographic,” Humphreys said. “We make the greatest possible wine that is grown from Texas soil and then invest ourselves into the people that love our wine. And then, we all celebrate together.”

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Above: San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition Executive Director Bob Fraser, from left to right, Chronicle Vice President of Product Marketing Gabe Chavez, Chronicle Chief Revenue Officer Sean Jacobsen, Chronicle Director of Wine and Hospitality Heather Elliott-Hudson, Chronicle Senior Wine Critic Esther Mobley, Chronicle Marketing Manager Erin Jacobs and Chronicle Publisher and CEO Bill Nagel pose behind the winning Sweepstake wines. Below: Costeaux French Bakery CEO Will Seppi, left, and Head Baker Ramon Santana pose at the bakery. It is the competition's Official Artisan Bakery Sponsor.

ognition to Mark and Elizabeth Hanson for their support in making this evening so memorable.

Hats off to the **Cloverdale Citrus Fair**, home of the first fair in the state of California, for hosting the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition. Special thanks to Citrus Fair CEO Thomas B. Keane, Sr., and the Board of Directors for their continued support.

A number of food vendors are also participating this year:

- **Bohemian Creamery** — An artisanal creamery offering hand-made goat, cow, sheep and water buffalo milk cheeses.
- **Brioche Pasquier/Galaxy Desserts** — A bakery and dessert maker since 1936 that specializes in brioche and croissants.
- **Butterfly Brittles** — Uses ingredients from local suppliers to create small batches of gluten and preservative-free brittles.
- **Dry Creek Catering** (Official Caterer) — It has served Wine Country since 2000, using the amazing bounty of locally sourced



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- **Fourteen Magpies Jams** — Uses traditional European jam-making techniques to create low sugar jams and preserves.
- **Gim Belly** — Shares Filipino culture and cuisine with unique, hearty food that is sure to get you saying, "Get in my belly."
- **Golden State Pickle Works** — Creates fermented treats, like

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- **Hot Drops** — A premium brand that specializes in lacto-fermented hot sauces and partners with local farms.
- **Lala's Jam Bar and Urban Farmstead** — Makes jams and unique artisan products, like mole sauce and peanut butter.
- **Laura Chenel Cheese** — A creamery since 1979 that uses French techniques to create qual-

ity farmstead goat cheese.

- **LL's Kitchen** — Granolas made using natural, refined- and sugar-free ingredients and a touch of honey.
 - **Marin French Cheese Co.** — A creamery in Marin County since 1865 that uses French cheesemaking techniques.
 - **Petaluma Toffee** — Sweet confections, including whiskey and coffee toffees, that use locally sourced ingredients.
 - **Ronda's Fine Food's** — Dips, sauces and spreads are produced in small batches with Mediterranean-style ingredients.
 - **San Francisco Chocolate Factory** — Creates chocolate treats while also partnering with numerous Bay Area nonprofits.
 - **Sonoma Cake Creations and Sonoma Sauces** — Frosted wedding and cheesecakes and award-winning sauces.
 - **Swetty Betty's Gourmet Spice Rubs** — Hand-crafted rubs that use clean, non-GMO ingredients and no preservatives.
 - **Tienda Salsita** — Small batches of salsa that use stone ground hand toasted dried chilis and artisanal home goods.
 - **Valley Ford Cheese and Creamery** (Official Cheese and Creamery) — It is located on the rural coast of Sonoma County and produces handcrafted, Italian-style artisan cheeses made from 100% Jersey cows milk. The cheeses are sold in grocery stores, restaurants, wineries, online, farmers' markets, special events and in their brand new retail and restaurant location in Valley Ford. Visit www.valleyfordcheese.com.
 - **Volo Chocolate** — Creates chocolate masterpieces using cocoa beans direct from farmers in Guatemala and Haiti.
 - **Woodlands Charcuterie** — Creates high-quality charcuterie with ranchers and farmers who believe in sustainable practices.
- In addition the following food truck will be outside the venue:
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Come along with Mike Dunne for a road trip to American wine regions beyond California.

While California accounts for four of every five bottles of wine made in the United States, it faces competition from every other state in the union. New grape varieties, new styles of wine and new regions are flourishing across the country.

At this year's San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, more than 40 wines from states not named California won Best of Class honors. Here, Mike Dunne introduces 25 of them, chosen for their character, authority and backstory.

Dunne has written about wine for more than 50 years. He is the author of "The Signature Wines of Superior California: 50 Wines that Define the Sierra Foothills, the Delta, Yolo and Lodi," a deep and personal dive into the evolution of the wine trade around Sacramento. Dunne judges frequently at home and commercial wine competitions across the United States. He and his wife, Martha, also a wine judge, live in Sacramento.

Here are the Best of Class wines that most impressed him from states other than California, other than Sweepstakes winners on page U4.

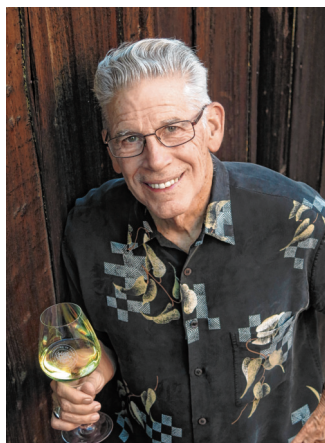
Blanc de Blancs: Ferrante Grand River Valley "Star Seeker" Bubbly Blanc (\$19)

If the Cleveland Browns had as much cohesion, attack and stamina as this sparkling wine, the NFL playoffs would have turned out differently this year. Cleveland comes into play because the Grand River Valley is an American Viticultural Area just east of the city. From there, Ferrante's "Star Seeker" is an aptly named sparkler. It has the thrust and flow of a successful launch into orbit. Its spritz is enduring, its acidity forthright, its sweetness delicate and its flavor has suggestions of peach and lime.

Fruit Sparkling: Lakeshore Farms Trading Company Natural Peach Sparkling Moscato (\$13)

Lakeshore Farms Trading Company is a brand of Leelanau Cellars in northern Michigan. Lakeshore Farms produces an extensive portfolio of fruit wines, still and sparkling. The Peach Sparkling Moscato stood out for capturing sleekly all the essence of a peach orchard at prime ripeness. It is sweet, but refreshing, not cloying.

Sauvignon Blanc/Fume Blanc (\$22-\$27.99): Aurora Cellars 2022 Michigan Leelanau Peninsula Sau-



Mike Dunne

vignon Blanc (\$24)

Sauvignon Blanc customarily is a straight-forward wine, bringing to the table suggestions of grass or grapefruit, reinvigorating acidity and an amiable adaptability. This Aurora has all that, but also a complexity rare to the varietal, with minerality and smoke coursing through its grapefruit, peach and lime fruit. It is almost feral in its attack and grip.

Viognier (Up to \$29.99): Jefferson Vineyards 2022 Virginia Viognier (\$29.95)

Out of nearly 100 Viogniers entered in two classes, both Best of Class winners not only were from Virginia, both were from the same winery, Jefferson Vineyards of Charlottesville. Jefferson Vineyards has been banking on Viognier — Virginia's official state grape — since the 1980s, perfecting a style clean, lilted and incessant. This version is their first to be made solely in stainless steel, accounting for its radiant transparency.

Viognier (\$30 and over): Jefferson Vineyards 2021 Virginia "Th. Jefferson" Viognier (\$32)

The "Th. Jefferson" is a bolder, more complex take. It seizes Viognier's acclaimed honeysuckle,

peach and spice with uncommon drive and grace. On top of that, it trails off reluctantly, perfume and flavor lingering resolutely.

Pinot Gris/Pinot Grigio (\$18 and over): Verterra Winery 2022 Michigan Leelanau Peninsula Pinot Grigio (\$22)

The sandy soils and cool temperatures of Michigan's Leelanau Peninsula merge in this tight and frisky Pinot Grigio. It delivers a beckoning balance of mature fruit and peppery acidity, earning it an invitation to any table where grilled shrimp or baked cod is the centerpiece.

Pinot Blanc: Amoritas Vineyards 2020 Leelanau Peninsula Pinot Blanc (\$21)

A veritable pineapple plantation is stuffed into this animated Pinot Blanc. Never mind that it is from Michigan, not Hawaii. It is all zingy fruit on a limber frame, underscored with the kind of electric and grippy acidity that comes only from a cool climate like the Leelanau Peninsula.

Malvasia Bianca: Callaghan Vineyards 2022 Arizona Willcox "Love Muffin White" Malvasia Bianca (\$35)

With gutsy experimentation and quick and savvy adaptation, Callaghan Vineyards has developed a reliable lineup of wines at home in the arid, windy and sun-blasted terrain of southern Arizona. Here's a fully ripe, floral, spicy and medium-bodied Malvasia Bianca, given refreshing acidity with 20 percent Picpoul Blanc.

Gruner Veltliner: Weis Vineyards 2022 Finger Lakes Gruner Veltliner (\$22)

Gruner Veltliner is customarily overly polite in its expected expression of peach, citrus and white pepper, but the Weis will have none of that, showcasing its refreshing fruit and sprightly spice with the vigor anticipated when its grapes are grown in a receptively cool region like Finger Lakes.

Gewurztraminer: Haak Vineyards and Winery 2022 Texas High Plains Gewurztraminer (\$25)

A Gewurztraminer as expansive and daunting as the High Plains itself. The wine delivers a lattice of



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Left: Christoval Vineyards 2020 Rambouillet Montepulciano.
Right: The Vineyards at Pine Lake 2022 Ohio Vignoles.

roses, a basket of lychee, grapefruit, peach and lime, a generous dash of spice, and no bitterness, just embracing and billowing pleasure.

Vignoles: The Vineyards at Pine Lake 2022 Ohio Vignoles (\$17)

This is one frolicking wine with brassy yellow color, floral bouquet, melodic sweetness, punctuating spice, and in flavor, happy suggestions of sponge cake — lemon or peach, take your pick. Thanks to its cleansing acidity, it bounds across the palate.

Riesling (Medium Dry): Weis Vineyards 2022 Finger Lakes Semi Dry Riesling (\$21)

With a chiming sweetness and offsetting acidity, the Weis is made for lounging in a hot tub or hammock, but also possessed of a framework sturdy enough to stand up to all the expressions of Cantonese cooking likely to be shared at a holiday banquet. Its peachy fruit, balance, clarity, spice and stinging acidity reaffirm the standing of Finger Lakes for noble Rieslings.

Riesling (Sweet): Brys Estate Vineyard & Winery 2022 Old Mission Peninsula Estate Riesling (\$20)

Old Mission Peninsula is an American Viticultural Area at the northern reaches of Michigan, neither large nor prominent, yet rising in stature for the purity and intensity of its wines, including this luxurious Riesling, saturated with

fruit redolent of various strains of the peach and apple families, especially after they have been baked in pies artfully seasoned with brown spices.

White Native American/Hybrid: Haak Wines 2023 Texas Dry Blanc du Bois (\$29)

Blanc du Bois is an American hybrid grape developed in 1968 in Florida to withstand the state's heat and humidity, but Texas is where it is yielding its most captivating wines. The Haak is refreshingly zesty. Think lemonade but without all the usual sugar. It delivers floral and fruity suggestions of Muscat but with a structure lean and snappy.

Other White Varietals: Lemon Creek Winery 2022 Lake Michigan Shore Kerner (\$19)

Kerner is a grape variety created in Germany about a century ago by crossing the black grape Trollinger with the green grape Riesling. It customarily yields a wine floral and fruity, running to suggestions of apples, mangoes and grapefruit. The Lemon Creek delivers all of that, plus notes of diverting and enticing spice.

White Blends (\$22-\$29.99): Duchman Family Winery Grape Growers Texas BBQ White (\$24)

The composition of BBQ White is a mystery. Regardless, the upshot is a stimulating white wine floral in aroma, fruity in flavor and spicy and sweet, perfect for sip-

ping at the start of a party or pairing with grilled chicken with chimichurri.

Montepulciano: Christoval Vineyards 2020 Texas High Plains Ram-bouillet Montepulciano (\$29)

Climatically, the Texas High Plains is one challenging place to grow wine grapes — high, dry, windy and stingy. Yet, from that terrain sprang this Montepulciano, wiry yet intense, dry yet fruity, compact yet expressive. This is a refined wine, more fitting for dishes of finesse than chili or brisket. Try it with salmon.

Syrah/Shiraz (Up to \$34.95): College Cellars of Walla Walla 2021 Walla Walla Valley Stoney Vine Vineyard Syrah (\$34)

In a showdown of college wine-making teams, College Cellars of Walla Walla would be the No. 1 seed on the strength of this luscious and spicy Syrah. The wine is loaded with blueberry fruit and generously laced with black pepper, all conveyed with restrained tannins. To win Best of Class, it beat out 49 commercially made entries.

Cabernet Sauvignon

(\$40-\$44.99): L'Ecole 2021 Walla Walla Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (\$44)

This is why Walla Walla Valley is recognized for wines of carefully considered modulation, all clarity, balance and grace. The complexity of the valley's soils and its temperate climate add up to a Cabernet Sauvignon svelte and serene.

Petit Verdot (Up to \$45.99): Barrister 2019 White Bluffs Dionysus Vineyard Petit Verdot (\$47)

White Bluffs is a plateau with complicated soils in Washington state's Columbia Valley. This Petit Verdot, dense in color and voluminous in aroma, shows off the sort of saturating and lifting dark fruit flavors that will establish this young appellation's standing for fine wine. As a measure of the wine's authority, do not hesitate to pour it alongside Chateaubriand.

Carmenere: Texas Heritage Vineyard 2019 Texas High Plains Narra Vineyards Carmenere (\$36)

One exhilarating Carmenere, wild with cherry fruit, slaps of green herbs and a cord or so of oak. A



Left: Haak Wines 2023 Texas Dry Blanc du Bois. Right: Hocking Hills Winery Ohio Léon Millot.

wine both serious and jovial, like a topical stand-up comic with exquisite timing, original material and precise enunciation. It shows that a wine need not pack more than 14 percent alcohol to be robust and long; this comes in at 13.2 percent.

Tempranillo (\$40 and over): Cinder 2021 Snake River Valley Tempranillo (\$40)

This Tempranillo reinforces winemaker Melanie Krause's standing for wines of both might and



courtliness. With purity and range, it provides a study in precisely matching variety with place. It is inky, fragrant, juicy, balanced and long with oak carefully insinuated and tannins subdued.

Red Natives/Hybrid Varietals: Hocking Hills Winery Ohio Léon Millot (\$30)

Wines made from hybrid grapes can be quirky. This Léon Millot, however, comes across as more traditional vitis vinifera than

the French/American hybrid it is. The color is bright, the aroma falls in the cherry family, the tannins are more velveteen than grating, the acidity spunky, the impression dry and the finish lasting.

Red Blend: Red Native/Hybrid: Sovereign Estate 2021 Minnesota Reserve Marquette (\$33)

A cold-climate grape developed and introduced by the University of Minnesota in 2006 and planted by Sovereign in 2007, Marquette yields here a dark red wine satiny in texture, fruity and earthy in smell, and rich yet lightly tripping with dark fruit flavors. Acid is revitalizing, tannins are mellow.

Sweet Red: Texas SouthWind Vineyard & Winery Purple Rose Sweet Red Table Wine (\$20)

The cherished and adaptable Concord grape, a staple of soft drink, jelly and pie in much of the United States, is being exploited by Texas SouthWind to produce a sweet red wine plush with candied fruit and beckoning spice. This is a wine for tailgate parties and late-night poker at the end of the day's cattle drive.



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- **Gloria Ferrer**, NV, Los Carneros, Blanc de Blancs, \$28.00
- **Michael Angelo's Winery**, 2022, Ohio, Blanc de Blancs, \$32.00
- **Breathless**, 2020, Alexander Valley, Sparkling Pinot Blanc, \$60.00
- **Scratch Wines**, 2022, Monterey, Blanc de Blanc, \$55.00
- **Comstock Wines**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Blanc de Blanc, \$55.00
- **Starfield Vineyards**, 2021, El Dorado, Blanc de Blancs, \$40.00
- **Scharffenberger Cellars**, 2019, Mendocino, Blanc de Blancs, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Holesinsky Winery**, 2022, Snake River Valley, Sparkling Cuvee, \$28.00
- **Wolf Mountain Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Dahlenoga Plateau, Blanc De Blancs, \$47.95
- **Silt Wine Company**, NV, Clarksburg, Sparkling Chenin Blanc, \$35.00
- **Tirridis Sparkling Wines**, NV, Columbia Valley, House Blanc, \$20.00
- **Gwinllan Estate**, 2020, Fair Play, Late Disgorged Blanc de Blanc, \$52.00
- **Vino Godfather**, 2021, North Coast, Prohibition Bubbles, Blanc de Blancs, \$32.99
- **The Vineyards at Pine Lake**, 2019, Grand River Valley, Blanc de Blancs, \$59.00
- **Priest Ranch**, 2018, Napa Valley, Grenache Blanc, \$85.00
- **Rack & Riddle**, NV, North Coast, Blanc de Blancs, \$20.00
- **Sauvage Spectrum**, NV, Grand Valley, Sparklet Effervescent White, \$24.00
- **Good Harbor Vineyards**, NV, Leelanau Peninsula, Davids Vineyard, Blanc de Blanc, \$32.00

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- **Rack & Riddle**, 2019, Russian River Valley, Pinot Meunier, \$58.00
- **Breathless**, NV, Sonoma County, Blanc de Noirs, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Good Harbor Vineyards** NV, Leelanau Peninsula, Benjamins Vineyard, Blanc de Noirs, \$32.00
- **Korbel**, NV, California, Blanc de Noirs, \$14.00
- **Brockmeyer Family Wines**, 2021, California, Cederquist Vineyard, Eva Mae Cuvee Sparkling Wine, \$30.00
- **Black Star Cellars**, 2019, Leelanau Peninsula, Traditional Method, Anniversary Cuvee Blanc de Noir, \$40.00

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- **Nfinity Cellars**, NV, North Coast, Sparkling Brut, \$40.00

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- **RGNY**, 2022, North Fork of Long Island, Scielo Sparkling Riesling, \$31.00
- **Chandon California**, NV, California, Chandon Brut, \$27.00
- **Amoritas Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, Sparkling, \$30.00

- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2018, Russian River Valley, Grand Cuvee, \$55.00

GOLD

- **Rack & Riddle**, NV, North Coast, Brut, \$8.98
- **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2016, Anderson Valley, Almittey, Brut, \$59.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, Prestige Cuvee Brut, \$50.00
- **Scotto Family Cellars**, NV, California, Brut, \$18.00
- **Gloria Ferrer**, 2015, Los Carneros, Royal Cuvee, \$72.00
- **Chandon California**, NV, Los Carneros, Etoile Brut, \$58.00
- **Carter Creek Family Winery**, NV, Texas High Plains, Carter Creek Brut, \$35.00
- **Piper Sonoma**, NV, Sonoma County, Brut, \$23.00
- **Piper Sonoma**, NV, Sonoma County, Brut Reserve, \$27.00
- **Banshee**, NV, California, Ten of Cups Sparkling Wine, \$24.99
- **Roederer Estate**, 2017, Anderson Valley, L Ermitage Brut, \$75.00
- **Scharffenberger Cellars**, NV, Mendocino County, Excellence, Brut, \$24.00
- **RGNY**, NV, North Fork of Long Island, White Sparkling, \$35.00

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- **Ammons Horn**, 2019, Los Carneros, Brut Rose, \$42.00
- **Picchetti Winery**, 2017, California, Brut Rose, \$49.95
- **Gwinllan Estate**, 2019, Fair Play, Late Disgorged Rose, \$54.00
- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2019, Russian River Valley, Brut Rose Sparkling Wine, \$55.00
- **Meadowcroft Wines**, NV, Sonoma County, Blanc de Noirs Rose, \$42.00
- **Bowers Harbor Vineyards**, 2020, Old Mission Peninsula Langley Single Vineyard, 2896 Brut Rose, \$45.00

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- **AvinoDos Wines**, 2021, Napa Valley; Carneros, Sparkling Rose, \$38.00
- **Roche**, 2022, Los Carneros, Brut Rose, \$48.00
- **McFadden**, NV, Potter Valley, Sparkling Cuvee Brut Rose, \$35.00
- **Korbel**, NV, California, Brut Rose, \$14.00
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2022, California, Sparkling Rose, \$22.00
- **Sarahs Vineyard**, 2021, Santa Clara Valley, Sparkling Rose d Ella Rae, \$48.00
- **Rack & Riddle**, NV, North Coast, Sparkling Rose, \$22.00
- **Vino Godfather**, 2021, North Coast, Prohibition, Prohibition Bubbles California Rose Demi Sec, \$32.99

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2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Hawk and Horse Vineyards**, 2021, Red Hills Lake County, Rose of Cabernet Sauvignon, \$75.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Aurora Cellars**, NV, Leelanau Peninsula, Brut Rose, \$34.00
- **Piper Sonoma**, NV, Sonoma County, Brut Rose, \$23.00
- **Rosetta**, 2022, Suisun Valley, Sparkling Rose, \$27.00
- **Scharffenberger Cellars**, NV, Mendocino, Brut Rose, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Campos Family Vineyards**, NV, Contra Costa County, Estate Sparkling Rose, \$39.00
- **Portlandia Vintners**, NV, Columbia Valley, Sparkling Rose, \$19.99
- **Relik Winery**, 2022, Applegate Valley, Sparkling Grenache, \$52.00
- **Holesinsky Winery**, 2022, Snake River Valley, Unicorn Sparkle, \$22.00
- **Chandon California**, NV, California, Chandon Rose, \$27.00
- **Chandon California**, NV, Los Carneros, Etoile Rose, \$63.00

- **Carter Creek Family Winery**, NV, Texas High Plains, Rose Sparkling Wine, \$35.00

- **Turkovich Family Wines**, NV, Yolo County, Sparkling Rose, \$46.00

- **Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards**, 2021, Mokelumne River, Grenache, \$55.00

FRUIT SPARKLING
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Lakeshore Farms Trading Company**, NV, American, Peach Sparkling Moscato, \$12.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Earl Stevens**, NV, California, Mango Peach Sparkling, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Earl Stevens**, NV, California, Cotton Candy Sparkling, \$20.00

OTHER SPARKLING
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Barefoot Bubbly**, NV, California, Moscato Spumante, \$9.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ferrante Winery**, NV, Lake Erie, Starseeker Carbonated Moscato, \$13.99
- **Rescue Dog Wines**, NV, Lodi, Demi Sec, \$28.99

GOLD

- **Tirridis**, Sparkling Wines, NV, Columbia Valley, House Gris, \$24.00
- **Chandon**, NV, Los Carneros, Reserve Meunier, \$45.00
- **Korbel**, NV, California, Extra Dry, \$14.00
- **Budhagirl**, NV, California, Sparkling Demi Sec, \$35.00
- **Barefoot Bubbly**, NV, California, Extra Dry, \$9.99
- **The Skeleton Root**, 2021, Grand River Valley, Methode Ancestrale Sparkling, Catawba, \$24.00

SAUVIGNON BLANC/
FUMÉ
Up to \$16.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Dreaming Tree**, 2022, California, \$16.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Barefoot Cellars**, NV, California, \$6.99
- **SIMI**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$15.00
- **Trecini**, 2023, Sonoma County, \$13.00
- **Dark Horse**, 2022, California, \$9.99

GOLD

- **Line 39**, 2022, California, \$10.99
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2022, California, \$11.00
- **Benziger Family Winery**, 2022, California, \$16.99
- **Cetto**, 2022, Baja California, \$14.99
- **Lillie Feather Boa**, 2022, North Coast, \$14.99

SAUVIGNON BLANC/
FUMÉ
\$17.00 – \$21.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Ferrari-Carano**, 2023, North Coast, \$17.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Almost Famous Wine Company**, 2023, San Francisco Bay, Pistachio Lane, \$21.00
- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino, \$18.00
- **Scotto Family Cellars**, 2022, Lodi, Reserve, \$19.99
- **Annabella**, 2022, Napa Valley, \$20.00
- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2022, Sonoma County, Charlotte's Home, \$18.00

GOLD

- **King Estate**, 2022, Oregon, \$19.00
- **Cabana Wines**, 2022, Lodi, \$20.00
- **Grateful Lane**, 2021, Ventura County, Artist Series, \$21.00
- **Ancient Peaks Winery**, 2022, Paso Robles, \$18.00
- **Robert Hall**, 2022, Paso Robles, Artisan Collection, \$17.99
- **Hanna**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$19.00

**SAUVIGNON BLANC/
FUMÉ**
\$22.00 – \$27.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Aurora Cellars**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$24.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Lagana Cellars**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Oasis Vineyard, \$22.00
- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino, Renegade, \$23.00
- **Smith Devereux**, 2022, California, Setta, \$25.00
- **Tin Barn Vineyards**, 2022, Los Carneros, Hi Vista Vineyard, \$23.00
- **Veritas**, 2022, Monticello, \$25.00
- **Camaraderie Cellars**, 2022, Horse Heaven Hills, \$27.50
- **Pip & Plow**, 2022, Horse Heaven Hills, \$24.00

GOLD

- **Almost Famous Wine Company** 2023, Livermore Valley, Darcie Lemmons Vineyard, \$24.00
- **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2022, Alexander Valley, Social Justice, \$22.00
- **Paso Point**, 2022, Paso Robles, \$24.95
- **Scheid Vineyards**, 2022, Monterey, \$24.99
- **The Mill Keeper**, 2022, California, \$24.00
- **Provenance Vineyards**, 2022, North Coast, \$24.99
- **Noria**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Bevill Family Vineyard, \$26.00
- **Details by Sinegal**, 2022, Sonoma County, Wildwood Vineyard planted in the late 1800s, \$25.00
- **Rock and Clay Wines**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Coffey Lane Vineyard, \$25.00
- **Scattered Peaks**, 2022, Napa County, \$24.99

**SAUVIGNON BLANC/
FUMÉ**
\$28.00 – \$30.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Di Arie**, 2023, Sierra Foothills, Estate, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2023, Livermore Valley, Triska Vineyards, \$28.00
- **Trione Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$28.00
- **Trump Winery**, 2022, Monticello, \$29.99
- **Integrity Wines**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, \$28.00

- **Chester Wines**, 2022, Big Valley District, \$29.99
- **RGNY**, 2022, North Fork of Long Island, Scielo, \$29.00
- **Silverado**, 2022, Yountville, Miller Ranch Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Comstock Wines**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, \$28.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Shanti Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Cosa Obra**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$28.00
- **Kontokosta Winery**, 2022, North Fork of Long Island, \$29.00
- **Haak Vineyards & Winery**, 2023, Texas High Plains, \$28.95
- **Langtry**, 2022, Guenoc Valley, Lillies Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Bella Montagna**, 2022, Santa Clara Valley, \$30.00

**SAUVIGNON BLANC/
FUMÉ**
\$31.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Ehret Family Winery**, 2022, Knights Valley, Bavarian Lion Vineyards, \$42.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Liquid Sky Vineyards**, 2022, Moon Mountain District, \$45.00
- **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2022, Fountaingrove District, Kick Ranch, \$36.00
- **Oak Creek Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, Cochise County, \$35.00
- **Annadel Estate Winery**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$39.00
- **Familia Hicks Wines LLC**, 2022, Paso Robles, Ohana, \$35.00
- **La Prenda**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, \$32.00
- **Lasseter Family Winery**, 2021, Moon Mountain District, Trinity Ridge Vineyard, \$60.00
- **Martin Ranch**, 2022, Arroyo Seco, Griva Vineyard Therese Vineyards, \$35.00
- **Alapay**, 2023, Santa Barbara County, \$39.00
- **Wente Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$35.00

CHARDONNAY
Up to \$13.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Line 39**, 2022, California, \$10.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **CK Mondavi**, 2022, California, Buttery, \$7.00
- **Rebuttel**, 2022, California, \$6.99
- **Akiyoshi**, 2021, Lodi, \$11.90

- **Simple Life**, 2021, California, \$12.99
- **Smoking Loon**, 2021, California, \$9.99
- **CK Mondavi**, 2022, California, \$7.00
- **Trader Moon**, 2022, California, Purple Moon, \$3.99
- **McManis Family Vineyards**, 2022, River Junction, \$11.99
- **L.A. Cetto**, 2021, Baja California, \$13.00

CHARDONNAY
\$14.00 – \$17.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cannonball**, 2022, California, \$16.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Arroyo Seco, Estates Riverstone, \$14.00

GOLD

- **Donovan-Parke**, 2022, California, \$16.95
- **Long Valley Ranch**, 2022, Monterey County, \$17.95
- **Broadside**, 2022, Central Coast, \$17.00
- **Tribute**, 2021, California, \$17.99
- **Harken**, 2022, California, \$14.99
- **McBride Sisters Collection**, 2022, Central Coast, \$16.99
- **Smith & Elliott**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$16.99

CHARDONNAY
\$18.00 – \$22.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Charles Woodson's Intercept**, 2022, Monterey, \$19.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ancient Peaks Winery**, 2022, Santa Margarita Ranch, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Main & Geary**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$20.95
- **Bellview**, 2021, Outer Coastal Plain, \$18.00
- **Banshee**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$21.99
- **Francis Ford Coppola Director's Cut**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$22.00
- **Freakshow**, 2022, Lodi, \$18.00
- **Taft Street**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$22.00
- **Ferrante Winery**, 2021, Grand River Valley, \$21.99
- **Phantom**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$18.00
- **SIMI**, 2021, California, \$20.00

CHARDONNAY
\$23.00 – \$27.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cache Creek Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Lake County, Cache Creek Vineyards, \$26.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Almost Famous Wine Company**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Dog Day, \$24.00
- **Half Moon Bay Winery**, 2022, Central Coast, \$24.99
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Arroyo Seco, Arroyo Vista, \$25.00
- **Alexander Valley Vineyards**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$23.00
- **Tondre**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Tondre Grapeland, \$25.00
- **Weis Vineyards**, 2022, Finger Lakes, \$24.99

GOLD

- **Cardella Winery**, 2022, Monterey County, \$25.00
- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2022, Sonoma County, Wild Thing, \$23.00
- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino, \$25.00
- **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2021, Santa Maria Valley, \$26.00
- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Vine One, \$23.00
- **Cru Winery**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$25.00
- **D & L Carinalli Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$25.00
- **Michael David**, 2022, Lodi, \$24.00
- **LangeTwins Family Winery**, 2021, Clarksburg, Merrill Vineyard, \$25.00
- **Bel Lago**, 2018, Leelanau Peninsula, \$24.00
- **Everly Farms**, 2022, American, \$26.00

CHARDONNAY
\$28.00 – \$31.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Triska Vineyards, \$28.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **La Chertosa Old World Wines**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, \$28.00
- **Outerbound**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Glory Cellars**, 2022, California, \$30.00
- **Peconic Bay Vineyards**, 2021, North Fork of Long Island, \$30.00
- **Bonterra Organic Estates**, 2022, Mendocino County, The Roost, \$30.00

- **AIAnne Vineyard**, 2021, Rogue Valley, Estate, \$30.00
- **Jessies Grove Winery**, 2023, Lodi, \$28.00
- **Becker Vineyards**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, \$30.00
- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Premiere Reserve, \$29.00
- **Miro**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Olivet Ranch Vineyard, \$28.00
- **Dusk To Dawn**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$30.95

- **Fotinos Vineyard**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Vivians Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Mahoney Family Vineyards**, 2021, Los Carneros, Gavin Vineyard, \$28.00

CHARDONNAY
\$32.00 – \$35.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Roche**, 2022, Los Carneros, \$34.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Balverne**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$35.00
- **Lula Cellars**, 2021, Anderson Valley, \$35.00
- **St. Francis**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Artisan Collection Martinelli Vineyard, \$34.00
- **Storrs**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Christie Vineyard, \$34.00
- **Wrath**, 2021, Monterey, Fermata, \$35.00
- **Two Twisted Posts Winery**, 2021, Virginia; Loudoun County, \$34.00
- **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Hammer Olsen Vineyard, \$35.00
- **Chalone Vineyard**, 2022, Chalone, \$32.99

- **Garre Vineyard and Winery**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$35.00
- **Christopher Cellars**, 2022, Lodi, \$32.00
- **Chateau St Jean**, 2022, Los Carneros, \$35.99
- **Serendipity Cellars**, 2022, Contra Costa County, California Sunset, \$32.00

- **Del Valle Winery**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$35.00
- **Peconic Bay Vineyards**, 2020, North Fork of Long Island, \$35.00

- **Cache Creek Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Lake County, \$35.99

- **Carica Wines**, 2022, Solano County, \$35.00
- **Inside Track**, 2020, Willamette Valley, \$32.99
- **Noria**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, Sangiacomo Vineyard, \$34.00
- **Meadowcroft Wines**, 2022, Napa Valley; Carneros, \$35.00
- **Relik Winery**, 2021, Applegate Valley, \$34.00

- **Lake Sonoma Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$34.00
- **Lost Creek Winery**, 2022, Virginia; Loudoun County, Barrel Select, \$35.00
- **Concannon Vineyard**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$32.00
- **Peacock Cellars**, 2022, Central Coast, Reserve, \$35.00
- **Hoyt Family Vineyards**, 2021, California, \$35.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$34.00
- **Brassfield Estate Winery**, 2022, High Valley, \$32.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Para Mas Amigas, \$34.00
- **Balletto Vineyards**, 2019, Russian River Valley, Russian River, \$32.00
- **St. Francis**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Artisan Collection Wild Oak Vineyard, \$34.00

CHARDONNAY
\$36.00 – \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, The Cutrer, \$36.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Bowman**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$36.00
- **Sequoia Grove Winery**, 2022, Napa Valley, \$38.00
- **Materra | Cunat Family Vineyards**, 2022, Oak Knoll District, \$36.00
- **Storrs**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Wildcat Ridge, \$38.00
- **Padigan Wines**, 2021, Rogue Valley, Estate Reserve, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Amaterra**, 2022, Willamette Valley, \$38.00
- **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Unoaked, \$36.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Demayo Vineyards, \$36.00
- **Wise Villa Winery**, 2022, Sierra Foothills, California Style, \$38.00
- **Meyer Family Cellars**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Elke Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Benziger Family Winery**, 2022, Los Carneros (Sonoma), West Rows, \$37.00
- **Longitude 120 West**, 2019, Sonoma County, \$38.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Los Carneros, Sisters Vineyard, \$37.00
- **Nella Terra Cellars**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Sunol Highlands Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Lawer Estates**, 2021, Knights Valley, \$36.00

- **Kunde Family Winery**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Wildwood Vineyard, \$38.00

CHARDONNAY

\$40.00 – \$45.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **McIlroy Cellars**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Aquarius Ranch Vineyard, \$44.00
- **Jaclynn Renee Wines**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, Sangiacomo-Roberts Road Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Landmark Vineyards**, 2020, Sonoma County, Damaris Reserve, \$40.00
- **Yonah Mountain Vineyards**, 2022, Georgia, Elizabeths, \$42.00

GOLD

- **Bishop Forbes Wines**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$45.00
- **Domaine Anderson**, 2020, Anderson Valley, \$40.00
- **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$42.00
- **Naidu Wines**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Caties Corner Vineyard, \$44.99
- **Kagan Cellars**, 2019, Petaluma Gap, Rodgers Creek Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Roche**, 2022, Los Carneros, American Oak Reserve, \$40.00

CHARDONNAY

\$46.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

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AWARD WINNER



Annadel
ESTATE WINERY
2022 CHARDONNAY
GAP'S CROWN VINEYARD
SONOMA COAST, CA
\$58.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Adega Vinho**, 2022, Texas Hill Country, \$60.00
- **Optio Vineyards**, 2022, San Luis Obispo, \$48.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Collina d Oro, \$52.00
- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Le Pierres, \$46.00

- **Knudsen Vineyards**, 2021, Dundee Hills, Family Series, \$55.00

GOLD

- **Wente Vineyards The Nth Degree**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$70.00
- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Founders Reserve, \$70.00
- **Notre Vue Estate**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$49.00
- **Bluebird Hill Cellars**, 2021, Willamette Valley, Reserve, \$54.00
- **Greenhill Vineyards**, 2022, Virginia; Loudoun County, Reserve, \$54.00
- **McBride Sisters Collection**, 2022, Santa Lucia Highlands, The Great Escape, \$49.99
- **McManis Family Vineyards**, 2022, River Junction, \$11.99
- **Cinder**, 2022, Snake River Valley, \$28.00

- **Nicholson Ranch**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$50.00
- **Nicholson Ranch**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, \$60.00
- **Nicholson Ranch**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Cuvee Natalie, \$85.00

- **Silver Mountain Vineyards**, 2020, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$48.00
- **Vezer Family Vineyard**, 2022, Suisun Valley, Arlene, \$59.00
- **LVE: Legend Vineyard, Exclusive**, 2022, Los Carneros, \$55.00

- **Auteur Wines**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$50.00
- **Auteur Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Durell, \$65.00

- **Ogden Wine Co.**, 2022, Napa Valley, No Malolactic Fermentation, \$65.00
- **Capo Isetta**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Sangiacomo Vineyards, \$49.00

- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Next Door Neighbor, \$65.00
- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Flora Marie Vineyard, \$75.00

- **Landmark Vineyards**, 2020, Los Carneros, Sangiacomo, \$55.00

- **Capo Isetta**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Sangiacomo Vineyards, \$49.00
- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Next Door Neighbor, \$65.00

- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Flora Marie Vineyard, \$75.00

- **Landmark Vineyards**, 2020, Los Carneros, Sangiacomo, \$55.00

VIIGNIER

Up to \$29.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Jefferson Vineyards**, 2022, Virginia, \$29.95

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Becker Vineyards**, 2022, Texas, \$18.00
- **Veritas**, 2022, Monticello, \$25.00
- **Lewis Grace**, 2023, Sierra Foothills, Aloria Vineyard, \$26.00
- **Trader Moon**, 2022, California, Honey Moon, \$5.99

- **Rellik Winery**, 2022, Applegate Valley, \$23.00

GOLD

- **Bluestone Vineyard; INC**, 2022, Virginia, \$25.50

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2022, Clarksburg, Seka Hills, \$25.00

- **Lost Oak Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$24.00

- **Trump Winery**, 2022, Monticello, \$29.99

- **Sobon Estate**, 2023, Amador County, \$18.00

- **Spicewood Vineyards**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$28.99

- **McManis Family Vineyards**, 2022, River Junction, \$11.99

- **Cinder**, 2022, Snake River Valley, \$28.00

VIIGNIER

\$30.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Jefferson Vineyards**, 2021, Virginia, \$31.95

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Eberle**, 2022, Paso Robles, \$34.00

- **Pedernales Cellars**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Reserve, \$42.00

- **Shale Oak Winery**, 2022, Paso Robles, Fu, \$42.00

- **Anaba Wines**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, \$44.00

- **Kobler Estate Winery**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$50.00

- **Tinte Cellars**, 2022, Columbia Valley, \$38.00

- **West**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, \$32.00

GOLD

- **Oak Creek Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, Cochise County, \$35.00

- **Darjean Jones**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Catie's Corner Vineyard, \$38.00

- **Two Twisted Posts Winery**, 2022, Virginia; Loudoun County, \$34.00

PINOT GRIS/GRIGIO

Up to \$17.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Barefoot Cellars**, NV, American, \$6.99

GOLD

- **Acrobat**, 2022, Oregon, \$15.99

- **The Collection**, 2022, California, \$9.99

- **Trader Moon**, 2022, California, Venetian Moon, \$4.99

- **Good Harbor Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$17.00

- **Lillie Feather Boa**, 2022, California, \$14.99

PINOT GRIS/GRIGIO

\$18.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Verterra Winery**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$22.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Shady Lane Cellars**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$22.00

- **King Estate**, 2022, Willamette Valley, Artisan Series, \$20.00

- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, \$25.00

- **Bellview**, 2022, Outer Coastal Plain, \$18.00

- **La Prenda**, 2022, Napa Valley, \$24.00

GOLD

- **Heringer Estates**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$24.00

- **Archer Vineyard**, 2022, Chehalem Mountains, Archer Reserve, \$36.00

- **Trailstone**, 2021, Columbia Valley, \$28.00

- **Hocking Hills Winery**, 2023, American, \$22.00

- **King Estate**, 2022, Willamette Valley, Domaine, \$29.00

- **Boathouse Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$28.00

- **The Four Graces**, 2022, Willamette Valley, \$20.99

- **J Vineyards**, 2022, California, \$20.00

SEMILLON

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Spicewood Vineyards**, 2022, Texas, Dell Valley Vineyards, \$29.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Fences**, 2022, Applegate Valley, \$32.00

GOLD

- **Cellardoor Winery**, 2022, American, \$16.00

- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2022, Red Mountain, \$36.00

VIGNOLES

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **The Vineyards at Pine Lake**, 2022, Ohio, \$17.00

GOLD

- **Prejean**, 2022, Seneca Lake, \$19.00

- **Les Bourgeois Vineyards**, 2021, Missouri, \$20.00

MUSCAT

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino, Muscat Canelli, \$18.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Peltzer Family Cellars**, 2021, Temecula Valley, Muscat Canelli, \$34.00

- **Wise Villa Winery**, 2022, Sierra Foothills, Muscat, \$29.00

- **Eberle**, 2023, Paso Robles, Muscat Canelli, \$25.00

- **Peltier Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, California, Sweet P, Muscat Canelli, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2022, Yakima Valley, Muscat, \$36.00

- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2020, California, Moscato, \$11.00

- **Celestial Cellars**, 2022, Lodi, Orange Muscat, \$28.00

- **Barefoot Cellars**, NV, California, White Moscato, \$6.99

- **Lost Oak Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Orange Muscat, \$23.00

- **Vegas Valley Winery**, 2022, Suisun Valley, Mist, \$24.00

ALBARINO

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cru Winery**, 2022, San Luis Obispo, \$20.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$42.00

- **English Newsom**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$28.00

- **Augusta Vin Winery**, 2022, Texas Hill Country, \$32.00

GOLD

- **Coyote Canyon**, 2022, Horse Heaven Hills, \$28.00

- **Horton Vineyards**, 2019, Virginia; Orange County, \$25.00

- **Halcyon**, 2022, California, \$26.50

- **Silt Wine Company**, 2022, Clarksburg, \$28.00

- **Thirty-Seven**, 2022, Petaluma Gap, \$28.00,

- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2022, Clarksburg, Reserve, \$18.00

- **Edio Vineyards at Delfino Farms**, 2022, El Dorado, \$28.00

CHENIN BLANC

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Clarksburg Wine Company**, 2022, Clarksburg, \$25.00

GOLD

- **Clarksburg Wine Company**, 2022, Clarksburg, VS, \$35.00

- **Greenhill Vineyards**, 2022, Virginia, \$42.00

- **Dry Creek Vineyard**, 2022, Clarksburg, \$17.00

- **Fellow**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$16.00

- **On The Line**, 2022, California, \$24.99

- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Clarksburg, Salman Vineyard, \$22.00

GRENACHE BLANC

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Double Bond**, 2021, Ballard Canyon, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2023, Lodi, \$20.00

- **The Grenachista**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Estate, \$34.00

GOLD

- **Solo Nostro**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Raga, \$36.00

- **Halter Ranch**, 2022, Adelaida District, \$45.00

FIANO

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Oak Farm Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, Estate, \$28.00

GOLD

- **Bajka Wine Company**, 2022, Monterey, Riverview Vineyard, \$36.00

VERMENTINO

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Fleur de California**, 2022, Los Carneros (Sonoma), Las Brisas Vineyard, \$22.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Thornton Winery**, 2022, Temecula Valley, \$33.00

- **Starfield Vineyards**, 2022, El Dorado, \$30.00

GOLD

- **m2**, 2022, Mokelumne River, \$26.00

- **Sassoferrato**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Keyhole Ranch, \$29.00

- **MEA Wine**, 2022, Adelaida District, \$40.00

- **Barterra Winery**, 2022, Lodi, \$29.00

PINOT BLANC

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Amoritas Vineyards**, 2020, Leelanau Peninsula, \$21.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Verterra Winery**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$27.00

- **Scheid Vineyards**, 2022, Monterey, Certified Sustainable, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Boathouse Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$28.00

- **Girasole Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino County, \$16.00

- **Rancho Coyote Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Noir Blanc, \$25.00

ROUSSANNE
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Meadowcroft Wines**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, Wyldvin Vineyard, \$36.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Wedding Oak Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$36.00

- **Coyote Canyon**, 2021, Horse Heaven Hills, \$25.00

GOLD

- **AMOK Cellars**, 2021, Adelaida District, Golden Ticket, \$38.00

- **Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, Mokelumne River,, \$38.00

- **Perissos Vineyards and Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Reserve One Way Vineyards, \$38.00

- **Christoval Vineyards**, 2020, Texas High Plains, \$26.00

- **Duchman Family Winery**, 2021, Texas High Plains, Oswald Vineyard, \$26.00

- **Lost Oak Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Reserve, \$35.00

MARSANNE
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Starfield Vineyards**, 2022, El Dorado, \$34.00

GRUNER VELTLINER
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Weis Vineyards**, 2022, Finger Lakes, \$21.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Yellow House Cellars**, 2021, Texas High Plains, \$29.00

GOLD

- **Wine Without Borders**, 2022, San Francisco Bay, \$24.00

- **Aurora Cellars**, 2021, Leelanau Peninsula, \$24.00

- **Autry Cellars**, 2022, Edna Valley, \$40.00

- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2022, Umpqua Valley, Green Lizard, \$38.00

- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2022, Umpqua Valley, Hefeabzug Estate Selection, \$36.00

- **Huston Vineyards**, 2022, Snake River Valley, Barrel Fermented; Unoaked, \$38.00

VERDELHO
2024 AWARD WINNERS

2024 San Francisco Chronicle WINE COMPETITION
WHITE SWEETSTAKE
AWARD WINNER



Las Positas
VINEYARDS
2023 VERDELHO
LIVERMORE VALLEY, CA
\$42.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Lewis Grace**, 2023, Alta Mesa, \$25.00

- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$42.00

GOLD

- **Drytown Cellars**, 2023, Amador County, \$25.00

PETIT MANSENG
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Effingham**, 2022, Virginia, \$34.00

GOLD

- **Callaghan Vineyards**, 2021, Willcox, Greys, \$40.00

MALVASIA BIANCA
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Callaghan Vineyards**, 2022, Arizona, Love Muffin White, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Cove Mesa Vineyard**, 2022, Willcox, Bonita Springs Vineyard, \$36.00

GEWÜRZTRAMINER
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Haak Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$24.95

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Blue Quail**, 2022, Potter Valley, Mendocino County, \$19.00

- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, \$18.00

- **Leelanau Cellars**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$26.00

GOLD

- **Larson Family Winery**, 2022, Los Carneros, \$24.99

- **Lemon Creek**, 2022, Lake Michigan Shore, 25.00

RIESLING
Dry
RS < .99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **English Newsom**, 2021, Texas High Plains, \$35.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Blue Quail**, 2021, Potter Valley, \$19.00

- **Domaine Berrien Cellars**, 2022, Lake Michigan Shore, Estate, \$18.00

- **Ra Ra Wine Co.**, 2023, Sonoma Mountain, \$26.00

- **Blustone Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, \$24.00

GOLD

- **August Forest**, 2022, Columbia Valley, White Bluffs, 36.00

- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2022, Lake Chelan, Estate, \$28.00

- **Arcturos**, 2022, Old Mission Peninsula, \$19.00

- **Prejean**, 2022, Finger Lakes, Goldfinch Vineyards Dry, \$22.00

- **San Pasqual Winery**, 2023, San Diego County, \$30.00

- **Charles Smith**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Kung Fu Girl, \$14.99

RIESLING
Medium
RS 1.0 – 2.00

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Weis Vineyards**, 2022, Finger Lakes, \$20.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Integrity Wines**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$26.00

- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Another World, \$32.00

- **Arrington Vineyards**, 2022, Columbia Valley, \$22.00

GOLD

- **Wedding Oak Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$30.00

- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Mt Veeder, \$34.00

- **Good Harbor Vineyards**, 2021, Leelanau Peninsula, \$24.00

- **Peconic Bay Vineyards**, 2022, North Fork of Long Island, \$30.00

- **Michael Angelo's Winery**, 2022, Ohio, \$29.00

- **Goose Watch**, 2022, Finger Lakes, Reserve, \$22.00

RIESLING
Medium Sweet
RS 2.1 – 4.0

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Keuka Spring Vineyards**, 2022, Finger Lakes, Winemaker Select Estate Bottled, \$24.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Stemilt Creek Winery**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Sweet Adelaide, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Baily Vineyard & Winery**, 2022, Temecula Valley, \$35.00

- **Prejean**, 2022, Finger Lakes, \$19.00

- **Latah Creek Wine Cellars**, 2022, Ancient Lakes, \$14.00

RIESLING
Sweet
RS > 4.1

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Brys Estate Vineyard & Winery**, 2022, Old Mission Peninsula, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Mogollon Vineyards**, 2022, Willcox, Patricia Lee, \$34.00

WHITE NATIVE
AMERICAN/HYBRID
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Haak Vineyards & Winery**, 2023, Texas, Dry Blanc du Bois, \$28.95

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sovereign Estate**, 2022, Minnesota, La Crescent, \$29.00

- **Cellardoor Winery**, 2021, American, Perfect Stranger, \$18.00

- **Rolling Forks Vineyards**, 2020, Minnesota, Prairie Edge, Petite Amie, \$21.00

- **Schram Vineyards**, 2022, Minnesota, La Crescent, \$29.00

GOLD

- **Schram Vineyards**, 2022, Minnesota, Frontenac Blanc, \$28.00

- **7 Vines Vineyard**, 2022, Minnesota, Itasca, \$40.00

- **Rolling Forks Vineyards**, 2021, Minnesota, Frontenac Blanc, \$21.00

- **Burntshirt Vineyards**, 2021, Crest of the Blue Ridge Henderson County, Vidal Blanc, \$26.00

- **Baker Bird Winery**, NV, Kentucky, Vidal Blanc - Semi Dry, \$19.95

OTHER
WHITE VARIETALS
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Lemon Creek**, 2022, Lake Michigan Shore, Kerner, \$19.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Perissos Vineyards and Winery**, 2022, Texas Hill Country, Picpoul Blanc, \$38.00

- **Obsession Wines**, 2022, Lodi, Symphony, \$14.00

- **Perlegos**, 2022, Clements Hills, Assyrtiko, \$28.00

- **Ra Ra Wine Co.**, 2023, Alexander Valley, Melon de Bourgogne, \$26.00

GOLD

- **Speckle Rock Vineyards**, 2022, San Diego County, Falanghina, \$35.00

- **Andante Vineyard**, 2021, Willamette Valley, Van Duzer Corridor AVA, Aligote, \$35.00

- **Augusta Vin Winery**, 2022, Texas Hill Country, Picpoul Blanc, \$32.00

- **Chateau Tumbleweed**, 2022, Willcox, Dos Amigos Vineyard, Picpoul Blanc, \$34.00

- **Ron Yates**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Rowland Taylor Vineyards, Picpoul Blanc, \$28.00

- **Orsi Family Vineyards**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, Biancolella d Ischia, \$28.00

- **Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, Mokelumne River, Bourboulenc, \$34.00

- **Lewis Grace**, 2023, Alta Mesa, Torrontes, \$27.00

- **Rendez-vous**, 2022, Clarksburg, Symphony, \$30.00

- **Two Twisted Posts Winery**, 2022, Virginia; Loudoun County, Traminette, \$22.00

- **Keuka Spring Vineyards**, 2022, Finger Lakes, Traminette, \$19.99

- **Jacuzzi Family Vineyards**, 2022, Petaluma Gap, Arneis, \$30.00

WHITE BLENDS
Up to \$21.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Goose Watch**, 2022, Finger Lakes, Riesling Gewurztraminer, \$17.00

GOLD

- **Les Bourgeois Vineyards**, 2022, Missouri, Solay, \$20.00

- **Bluestone Vineyard; INC**, NV, Shenandoah Valley, Beau, \$18.50

- **Half Moon Bay Winery**, 2022, Monterey, Coastal Fog White, \$15.99

- **Quady North Winery**, 2022, Rogue Valley, Pistoleta, \$20.00

- **Greenwood Ridge Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino County, Dragon White, \$20.00

- **Mom Jeans**, NV, Yakima County, Blend, \$17.99

WHITE BLENDS
\$22.00 – \$29.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Grape Growers**, NV, Texas High Plains, BBQ White, \$24.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Carter Creek Family Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Plateau White, \$29.00

- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Dolce Donna, \$28.00

- **Fenestra**, 2023, California, True White, White Blend, \$22.00

- **SummerWood**, 2020, Paso Robles, Vin Blanc, \$25.00

GOLD

- **Rendez-vous**, 2022, Clarksburg, Rendez-Blanc, \$26.00

- **Two Twisted Posts Winery**, 2022, Virginia; Loudoun County, Piebald White, \$29.00

- **JOLO Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, North Carolina, Reserve, Golden Hallows, \$28.00

- **Veritas**, 2021, Monticello, Momentarius, Momentarius White, \$25.00

- **Les Bourgeois Vineyards**, 2021, Missouri, Vignoles/Traminette, \$25.00

- **Boathouse Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, Provemont White, \$22.00

- **Kite Hill Vineyards**, 2022, Illinois, Broadwing, \$22.00

- **Coruce Vineyards and Winery**, 2022, Antelope Valley of the California High Desert (Los Angeles), Cactus Curtain Blend, \$29.00

- **JMC Cellars**, 2022, California, White Wine Blend, \$28.00

- **Sauvage Spectrum**, 2022, Grand Valley, Veritage White, \$27.00

- **Hilmy Cellars**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Tejas Blanc, \$28.00

WHITE BLENDS
\$30.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Helwig Winery**, 2020, Shenandoah Valley, Davancy Trois Soeurs, \$45.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **DuCard Vineyards**, 2022, Virginia, Veni; Vidi; Vino (V3), \$34.00

- **Tres Sabores**, 2022, California, Thinking Cap White, \$34.00

- **Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, Mokelumne River, Jolie, \$34.00

• **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Los Carneros, Tre Uve Bianco, \$35.00

• **Elk Haven Winery**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Confluence, \$36.00

• **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2022, Anderson Valley, PinoTrio, \$33.00

GOLD

• **Las Positas Vineyards**, NV, Livermore Valley, Lucidus, \$42.00

• **Invention Vineyards**, 2022, American, Imaginada, \$35.29

• **Eberle**, 2022, Paso Robles, Cotes-du-Robles Blanc, \$30.00

• **Becker Vineyards**, 2022, Texas High Plains, D Estate, \$35.00

• **Jolo Vineyards**, 2023, North Carolina, Reserve, Golden Hollows, \$45.00,

• **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Mendocino County, Alder Springs, Cuvee Luke, \$32.00

• **Carter Creek Family Winery**, 2018, Texas High Plains, Viognier Roussanne, \$30.00

• **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Paso Robles, Gesture RVG, \$35.00

• **Ron Yates**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Commingle, \$33.99

• **Imagery Estate Winery**, 2022, North Coast, White Burgundy, \$36.00

• **Pillsbury Wine Company**, 2022, Cochise County, Inappropriate, White Blend, \$35.00

• **Picchetti Winery**, 2022, California, White Pavone, \$38.95

DRY ROSÉ
One varietal
RS 0

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Pleiades**, 2022, Mendocino County, Rose, \$20.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Tempranillo Rosado, \$38.00

• **Favalora Vineyards Winery**, 2022, Contra Costa County, Rose De Sophia, Carignane, \$26.00

• **Trentadue**, 2022, Alexander Valley, Rosato Di Sangiovese, \$24.00

• **SMAK Wines**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Summer Rose, \$22.00

• **Ferrante Winery**, NV, Grand River Valley, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$16.99

• **Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, Mokelumne River, Grenache Rose, \$32.00

• **Ryder Estate**, 2022, California, Pinot Noir Rose, \$14.99

• **AronHill Vineyards**, 2022, Willow Creek, Primrose, \$34.00

• **Lula Cellars**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$26.00

• **Passion Cellars**, 2021, Willcox, Estate Corvina, Rose, \$39.00

• **Bartholomew Estate**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Antonias Garden, Rose of Zinfandel, \$30.00

DRY ROSÉ
One varietal G;S;M
RS 0 - .099

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Eberle**, 2023, Paso Robles, Cotes-du-Robles Rose, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Grindstone**, 2022, California, Rose of Syrah, \$23.00

GOLD

• **Portlandia Vintners**, 2022, Columbia Valley, Rose of Syrah, \$17.99

• **Ron Yates**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Farmhouse Vineyards, Grenache Rose, \$29.00

• **Rowdy Creek Ranch**, 2021, California, Grenache, \$21.99

• **Fortunati Vineyards**, 2022, Oak Knoll District, Rose of Syrah, \$32.00

• **Helwig Winery**, 2022, Amador County, Gold Country, Grenache Rose, \$18.00

• **Tsillian Cellars**, 2022, Goose Gap, Bocciolo di Rosa, Syrah, \$28.00

• **Double Bond**, 2020, Ballard Canyon, Rose, \$32.00

• **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2023, Livermore Valley, Pink Pearl, Pink Pearl Rose, \$34.00

• **Ra Ra Wine Co.**, 2023, Dry Creek Valley, Rose, \$26.00

DRY ROSÉ
One varietal
RS .001 - .099

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Ferrari-Carano**, 2022, Sonoma County, Dry Rose, \$24.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Alexander Valley Vineyards**, 2022, Sonoma County, Dry Rose of Sangiovese, \$22.00

• **Frostwatch Vineyard & Winery**, 2022, Bennett Valley, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$29.00

• **Pech Merle Winery**, 2022, Mendocino County, Ivy Rose de Zinfandel, Rose, \$27.00

• **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, Rose, \$30.00

• **Half Moon Bay Winery**, 2021, Monterey, Rose of Dolcetto, \$16.99

GOLD

• **Pressley Vineyards**, 2021, Solano County, McCormack Ranch, Rose, \$22.00

• **Jessies Grove Winery**, 2023, Lodi, Pinot Noir Rose, \$28.00

• **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$20.00

• **Great Bear Vineyards**, 2022, Yolo County, Rose of Cabernet Fleur Rouge, \$26.00

• **LangeTwins Family Winery**, 2022, Jahant, River Ranch Vineyard, Aglianico Rose, \$25.00

DRY ROSÉ
Blend
RS 0 - .099

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Bella Grace Vineyards**, 2022, Amador County, Estate, Bella Rose, \$28.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **JOLO Winery & Vineyards**, 2023, North Carolina, Pink, \$32.00

• **Bota Box**, NV, California, Dry Rose, \$22.99

• **Hogwash**, 2023, California, Hogwash Rose, \$18.00

• **HWY 9 Winery**, 2022, Lodi, Dry Rose, \$24.00

• **Cove Mesa Vineyard**, 2022, Willcox, Rose, \$30.00

GOLD

• **Ron Yates**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Farmhouse Vineyards, \$29.00

• **Anchor Valley**, 2022, Rogue Valley, Rose, \$27.00

• **The Collection**, 2022, California, Rose, \$9.99

• **Lucca & Sons Cellars**, 2022, Oregon, Rose, \$19.99

• **McGrail Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Lucky 8 Vineyard, Kylie Ryan Rose, \$28.00

• **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2023, Mokelumne River, Rose; Bricks And Roses, \$17.00

• **Tres Sabores**, 2022, Napa Valley, Ingrid and Julia, \$32.00

• **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2022, California, Rose, \$13.00

• **Spicy Vines**, 2022, Dry Creek Valley, Burnett Vineyards, Violet Rose, \$32.00

DRY ROSÉ
One varietal
RS .1 - .299

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **AMOK Cellars**, 2022, Templeton Gap District, Rose, \$38.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Santa Rosa Junior College**, Shone Farm, 2022, Russian River Valley, Rose of Pinot noir, \$16.00

• **Rabble**, 2022, Paso Robles, Rose, \$17.99

• **Chacewater**, 2022, Sierra Foothills, Rose, \$26.00

GOLD

• **Donovan-Parke**, 2022, California, Rose, \$16.95

• **Pedroncelli**, 2023, Dry Creek Valley, Bushnell, Vineyard, Rose, \$22.00

• **King Estate**, 2022, Willamette Valley, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$20.00

• **Pech Merle Winery**, 2022, Mendocino County, Vin Rose de Zinfandel, Rose, \$27.00

• **Lewis Grace**, 2023, El Dorado, Rose, \$25.00

• **Hamilton Family Wines**, 2022, Sonoma Valley, Rose of Grenache, \$34.00

• **Sweetheart Vineyards**, 2022, Colusa County, Surprise Me, Rose of Tempranillo, \$20.00

DRY ROSÉ
Blend
RS .1 - .299

2024 AWARD WINNERS



GOLD

• **Harney Lane**, 2022, Mokelumne River, Dry Rose, \$26.00

• **Paradise Hills**, NV, Georgia, Sunset, Rose, \$20.00

• **Michael David**, 2022, Lodi, Rose, \$20.00

• **Rellik Winery**, 2022, Applegate Valley, Raven, Rose, \$24.00

• **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2022, Alexander Valley, Pink Pride Rose, \$22.00

DRY ROSÉ
One varietal
RS .3 - .99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Trevor Grace**, 2023, Alta Mesa, Touriga Rose, \$26.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **GoodMills Family Winery**, 2022, Lodi, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$25.00

GOLD

• **Acrobat**, 2022, Oregon, Rose, \$15.99

• **Fenestra**, 2023, Livermore Valley, Grenache Rose, \$28.00

• **Peltier Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, Estate Diamond, Rose, \$26.00

DRY ROSÉ
Blend
RS .3 - .99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Santa Barbara County, Rosato di, Pinot Noir, \$36.00

GOLD

• **Dark Horse**, 2022, California, Rose, \$9.99

• **Longevity Winery**, 2021, California, Debras Cuvee, Rose of Pinot Noir, \$13.99

• **Vegas Valley Winery**, 2022, Suisun Valley, Rose, Rosa Secco, \$26.00

DRY/ SEMI-SWEET ROSÉ
One varietal
RS >1.00 and more

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Michael Angelo's Winery**, 2022, Ohio, Rose, \$29.00

DRY/ SEMI-SWEET ROSÉ
Blend
RS >1.00 and more

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Barefoot**, NV, California, White Zinfandel, \$6.99

GOLD

• **Electra**, 2022, California, Rose, \$15.99

PINOT NOIR
Up to \$17.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Chloe Wine Collection**, 2021, Monterey County, \$17.99

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Shaw Organic by Charles Shaw**, 2022, California, \$10.99

• **Winemaker's Selection**, 2021, Monterey County, \$9.96

• **Jacks Peak**, 2022, California, \$10.99

GOLD

• **Simple Life**, 2020, California, \$12.99

• **Barefoot Cellars**, NV, California, \$6.99

• **Misfits & Mavens**, 2022, California, \$16.00

• **Cameron Hughes**, 2021, Santa Barbara, Lot 928, \$17.00

• **Art of the Cooper**, 2022, Monterey, \$10.99

• **Nadia**, 2020, California, \$15.99

• **Angels Ink**, 2021, Central Coast, \$17.99

• **Ironstone Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, \$13.99

• **Dark Horse**, 2021, California, \$9.99

• **Trader Moon**, 2022, California, MoonX Dark, \$6.99

• **Forever Vineyards**, 2022, California, Forever Vineyards, \$11.99

• **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Monterey County, Estates Falcons Perch, \$17.00

• **Castle Rock**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$17.99

PINOT NOIR
\$18.00 - \$23.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Educated Guess**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$23.99

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Charles Woodson's Intercept**, 2020, Santa Barbara County, \$19.99

• **Cru Winery**, 2021, Monterey County, \$20.00

• **Diora**, 2021, Monterey, La Petite Grace, \$20.00

GOLD

• **Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection**, 2022, Santa Barbara County, \$19.00

• **Signature Reserve**, 2022, Los Carneros (Napa), \$23.99

• **Benziger Family Winery**, 2021, California, \$19.99

• **McBride Sisters Collection**, 2022, Central Coast, \$18.99

• **La Honda Winery**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Sequence, \$23.00

• **Pressley Vineyards**, 2019, Solano County, McCormack Ranch, \$23.00

• **Bennett Valley Cellars**, 2021, Sonoma County, Bin 6410, \$19.99

PINOT NOIR
\$24.00 - \$28.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Chalk Hill**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$24.99

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Peacock Cellars**, 2022, Central Coast, \$26.60

GOLD

- **Dove Hunt Dog**, 2022, California, \$26.00
- **SIMI**, 2022, California, \$25.00
- **Mia Bea Wines**, 2022, Mendocino County, \$26.50
- **Cardwell Hill Cellars**, 2022, Willamette Valley, Estate Grown, \$28.00
- **Barra**, 2022, Mendocino, Estate Reserve, \$26.00
- **Planet Oregon**, 2021, Willamette Valley, Planet Oregon, \$24.00
- **Karma Vista Vineyards**, 2021, Lake Michigan Shore, \$28.00
- **Sean Minor**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, Signature Series, \$28.00

PINOT NOIR
\$29.00 - \$34.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Partners Reserve, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Dusk To Dawn**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$30.95
- **Vino Godfather**, 2022, Clarksburg (Sacramento), \$32.99
- **Balletto Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, \$34.00
- **Bennett Valley Cellars**, 2021, Bennett Valley, \$34.99
- **Juliet**, 2022, Central Coast, \$34.99
- **Miro**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$32.00
- **Chester Wines**, 2021, Central Coast, \$34.99
- **Peter Cellars**, 2020, Los Carneros (Sonoma), \$32.00

GOLD

- **Mission Peak Wine**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, \$34.00
- **Capioux Cellars**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Chimera, \$34.00
- **Devil's Fog**, 2021, Lodi, \$32.00
- **Wente Vineyards**, 2021, Arroyo Seco, Riva Ranch Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$30.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Clarksburg, William Marie Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$32.00
- **Cellar 777**, 2021, Santa Cruz, \$31.00
- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, \$29.00
- **Ektimo Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, \$34.00

PINOT NOIR
\$35.00 - \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Mahoney Family Vineyards**, 2021, Los Carneros, Las Brisas Vineyard, \$36.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Arroyo Seco, Fogs Reach, \$35.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Santa Lucia Highlands, Highlands Bench, \$35.00
- **D & L Carinalli Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$35.00
- **Greenwood Ridge Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$38.00
- **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2021, Anderson Valley, \$39.00
- **Lake Sonoma Winery**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$38.00
- **Chalone Vineyard**, 2021, Chalone, Estate, \$39.99
- **Integrity Wines**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$36.00
- **Roden Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Bluebird Hill Cellars**, 2021, Willamette Valley, Flagship, \$35.00
- **Drive Wines**, 2021, Los Carneros, \$38.00
- **Silt Wine Company**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$38.00
- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$36.00
- **Metz Road**, 2021, Monterey, Riverview Vineyard, \$36.99
- **Iris Vineyards**, 2022, Willamette Valley, C Block, \$39.99
- **Kitson Wines**, 2017, Sonoma Coast, Black Knight Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$38.00
- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Methode a l'Ancienne, \$39.00
- **Storrs**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$38.00
- **Thirty-Seven**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, \$36.00
- **Premonition Cellars**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$38.00
- **Monte Ferro**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, \$35.00

PINOT NOIR
\$40.00 - \$46.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Mission Peak Wine**, 2021, San Francisco Bay, Reserve, \$44.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Taft Street**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Garagistes, \$42.00

GOLD

- **Balverne**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$45.00
- **Jackson Hole Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$44.00

- **Tondre**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Tondre Grapefield, \$40.00
- **Nicholson Vineyards**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Estate Brooks Bloc, \$45.00
- **Meadowcroft Wines**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$42.00
- **Arndt Cellars**, 2021, Edna Valley, \$44.00
- **Bargetto Winery**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Reserve, \$46.00
- **Compris Vineyard**, 2021, Chehalem Mountains, Mountain Echo Estate, \$45.00
- **Brooks Note**, 2022, Petaluma Gap, \$45.00
- **Indigene Cellars**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$40.00
- **Daria Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, \$40.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$44.00
- **Portlandia Vintners**, 2021, McMinnville, Hyland Vineyard, \$45.00

PINOT NOIR
\$47.00 - \$49.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wrath**, 2021, Monterey, San Saba Vineyard, \$49.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Mersenne**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$47.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Warm Springs Ranch, \$48.00
- **McCarter Cellars**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Martini Clone Forchini Vineyard, \$49.00

GOLD

- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Willowside, \$48.00
- **J. Cage Cellars**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$49.00
- **Wrath**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Boekenooogen Vineyard, \$49.00
- **Fotinos Vineyard**, 2022, Los Carneros, \$47.50

PINOT NOIR
\$50.00 - \$54.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Windward Vineyard**, 2021, Paso Robles; Templeton Gap District, Monopole, \$54.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Thirty-Seven**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, \$50.00
- **Greenwood Ridge Vineyards**, 2021, Anderson Valley, Island in the Clouds, \$50.00
- **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$50.00

- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Vine Hill Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Langhart & Hill**, 2019, Russian River Valley, Adam & Eve Redwoods Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Bluebird Hill Cellars**, 2021, Willamette Valley, Reserve, \$54.00
- **Speckle Rock Vineyards**, 2021, San Diego County, \$50.00
- **Capo Isetta**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Sangiacomo Vineyards Roberts Road, \$54.00
- **Eden Dale**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, \$50.00
- **Bramble & Bower**, 2021, Anderson Valley, \$51.00

GOLD

- **Elaine**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Calypso Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Landmark Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Hop Kiln, \$50.00
- **Theopolis Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Lucia Highlands, Cortada Alta Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Native Flora**, 2021, Dundee Hills, Time Waits for No One, \$50.00
- **Bucher**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Bucher Vineyard, \$52.00
- **Noria**, 2021, Chalone, Brosseau Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Greenwood Ridge Vineyards**, 2021, Mendocino County, Elke Reserve, \$50.00
- **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Saveria Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Blair Estate**, 2018, Arroyo Seco, Morgantini Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Silver Mountain Vineyards**, 2014, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$50.00

PINOT NOIR
\$55.00 - \$59.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Fortunati Vineyards**, 2021, Sta. Rita Hills, \$55.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Truckee River Winery**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Tondre Grapefield, \$56.00
- **Balletto Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Sexton Hill Vineyard, \$55.00
- **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2021, Anderson Valley, Monty In Vineyard, \$59.00
- **Notre Vue Estate**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$55.00
- **Naidu Wines**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$59.99
- **Scratch Wines**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, KW Ranch, \$55.00

GOLD

- **JMC Cellars**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$59.00

- **FIELD**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$59.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, Rockpile, \$56.00
- **Domaine Anderson**, 2019, Anderson Valley, \$55.00
- **Notre Vue Estate**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Certified Sustainable, \$55.00
- **Capioux Cellars**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Starscape Vineyard, \$56.00
- **De Tierra**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, \$59.00
- **Fathers & Daughters Cellars**, 2020, Anderson Valley, Ferrington Vineyard; Ellas Reserve, \$55.00
- **Picchetti Winery**, 2022, Napa Valley, Truchard Vineyard, \$59.95
- **Pennyroyal Farm**, 2020, Anderson Valley, Jeansheep Vineyard, \$59.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Dianas Vineyard, \$56.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Eastside Estate Vineyard, \$56.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Zoras Estate Clone 667, \$55.00

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Zora Estate; Clone 667/777, \$55.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Zoras Vineyard, \$55.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Sonoma Valley; Carneros, Santo Giordano, \$55.00

- **Cazadero Winery**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Hummingbird Hill, \$59.00
- **J. Cage Cellars**, 2022, Petaluma Gap, El Coro Vineyard, \$55.00

- **Knudsen Vineyards**, 2021, Dundee Hills, Family Series, \$55.00
- **Jaclynn Renee Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Bacigalupi Vineyard, \$58.00

PINOT NOIR
\$60.00 - \$69.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, RSV Bacigalupi, \$65.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Naidu Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, \$69.99
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Estate Reserve, \$65.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Six Hands, \$65.00
- **Furthermore Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Graton Ridge Vineyard, \$60.00
- **Gust Wines**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, Gust, \$60.00

- **Kings Mountain Vineyards**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, Clone 13, \$65.00
- **Kings Mountain Vineyards**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, Bacchus, \$65.00
- **Nicholson Ranch**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$60.00
- **Amaterra**, 2021, Yamhill-Carlton, Gregory Ranch Vineyard, \$67.00
- **Amaterra**, 2021, Yamhill-Carlton, Hirschy Vineyard, \$67.00

GOLD

- **Ammons Horn**, 2021, Los Carneros, Reserve, \$62.00
- **Kelley & Young Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$65.00
- **Bartholomew Estate**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Wildcat Mountain Vineyard, \$65.00
- **Furioso Vineyards**, 2021, Dundee Hills, L Altra, \$61.00
- **J. Rickards Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Pommard Clones, \$63.00
- **Mi Sueno Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$65.00
- **Nicholson Vineyards**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Reserve Brooks Block, \$60.00
- **Kings Mountain Vineyards**, 2021, Santa Cruz Mountains, Kings Mountain Bacchus Vineyards, \$65.00
- **McIlroy Cellars**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Reserve Vines & Roses Vineyard, \$65.00
- **De La Montanya Vineyards & Winery**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, Christines Vineyard, \$65.00
- **Bargetto Winery**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Mount Eden Clone, \$60.00
- **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Soul Patch, \$65.00
- **Furthermore Wines**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, Gaps Crown Vineyard, \$65.00

- **Sangiacomo**, 2022, Sonoma Coast, \$65.00
- **Furthermore Wines**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Sierra Mar Vineyard, \$60.00

- **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Founders Block, \$60.00

- **Vine Wrangler**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Highland Estate Vineyard, \$65.00

- **Gracianna**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Mercedes Riverblock Vineyard, \$68.00

- **Gracianna**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Lasaga Estate Vineyard, \$68.00

PINOT NOIR
\$70.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Red Barn Block; Vineyard Eleven, \$92.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Wente Vineyards**, **The Nth Degree**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$95.00
- **Innumero**, 2022, Russian River Valley, \$90.00
- **Nicholson Ranch**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Cactus Hill, \$90.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Collina d Oro, \$70.00
- **Gracianna**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Westside Reserve, \$76.00
- **Innumero**, 2022, Russian River Valley, Wente Clone; Norstar, \$75.00
- **Domaine de la Riviere**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Middle Reach Vineyards, \$75.00

GOLD

- **Innumero**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Wente Clone, \$80.00
- **Innumero**, 2022, Green Valley of Russian River Valley, Little Boot Vineyard; Calera; 457 and 37 Clones, \$75.00
- **Sonoma Cutrer Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Founders Reserve, \$70.00
- **Ladera**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Pillow Rd Vineyards, \$79.00
- **Sangiacomo**, 2022, Petaluma Gap, Five Clone, \$75.00
- **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Special Selection, \$85.00
- **Woodenhead**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Starbridge Vineyard, \$84.00
- **Ogden Wine Co.**, 2022, Santa Cruz County, \$85.00
- **Furthermore Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Nevinas Vineyard, \$75.00
- **Furthermore Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Starbridge Vineyard, \$75.00
- **Ketcham Estate**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Allies Reserve, \$95.00
- **Tekstura**, 2021, Eola-Amity Hills, Practicing Organic, \$70.00
- **McClain Cellars**, 2021, Santa Ynez Valley, Wings, \$74.00
- **Talisman Wine**, 2019, Sonoma Coast, Wildcat Mountain Vineyard, \$78.00
- **Red Stitch**, 2021, Santa Lucia Highlands, Rosellas Vineyard, \$70.00

ZINFANDEL
Up to \$22.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Black Sheep Winery**, 2019, Amador County, \$22.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Black Sheep Winery**, 2019, Calaveras County, \$22.00
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2021, California, Old Vine, \$11.00
- **Tievoli**, 2021, Lodi, Tievoli, \$19.00
- **Lodi Zin**, 2020, Lodi, \$15.00
- **Karen Birmingham**, 2021, Lodi, \$14.99
- **Plungerhead**, 2020, California, \$21.99
- **GFF Lodi**, 2022, Lodi, \$18.99

GOLD

- **Cline Cellars**, 2021, Contra Costa County, Ancient Vines, \$15.99
- **Aimee June Winery**, 2021, Adelaida District, \$18.00
- **Cetto**, 2021, Baja California, L.A. Cetto, \$12.99
- **Trader Moon**, 2021, Lodi, Old Moon, \$5.99
- **Collier Creek**, 2021, Lodi, Old Press, \$9.99
- **Rosenblum Cellars**, NV, California, Vintners Cuvee, \$13.99
- **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2020, Mokelumne River, \$22.00
- **St. Francis**, 2021, Sonoma County, Old Vines, \$22.00
- **Freakshow**, 2021, Lodi, \$18.00

ZINFANDEL
\$23.00 - \$28.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Victor Hugo**, 2021, Paso Robles; Templeton Gap District, \$28.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2021, Cucamonga Valley, Monga Zin Lopez Vineyard, \$27.99
- **Bella Grace Vineyards**, 2021, Amador County, \$28.00

GOLD

- **Sobon Estate**, 2021, Amador County, ReZerve Zin, \$26.00
- **Earthquake**, 2021, Lodi, \$26.00

ZINFANDEL
\$29.00 - \$34.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Milliaire Winery**, 2020, Mokelumne River, Rous, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Opaque**, 2020, Paso Robles, \$30.00
- **Element 79 Vineyards**, 2020, Fair Play, \$33.00

GOLD

- **Givich Vineyards**, 2019, Dry Creek Valley, \$30.00

- **Element 79 Vineyards**, 2019, Fair Play, \$33.00
- **Fifth Note Cellars**, 2022, Lodi, \$29.00
- **Helwig Winery**, 2018, Shenandoah Valley, Old Driller, \$30.00
- **Bump City Wine Co**, 2020, Lodi, Old Vine, \$29.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Aguilera, \$32.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Briar, \$29.00
- **Comstock Wines**, 2016, Dry Creek Valley, \$34.00
- **Comstock Wines**, 2017, Dry Creek Valley, \$34.00
- **Crystal Basin Cellars**, 2020, El Dorado, \$34.00
- **Amador Cellars**, 2019, Amador County, \$30.00
- **Homefire of Sonoma**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Sustainably Grown, \$30.00
- **Harney Lane**, 2021, Lodi, Henry Ranch, \$30.00
- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Black Oak, \$34.00

ZINFANDEL
\$35.00 - \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Elevation 1040, \$38.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Tripi, \$38.00
- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Collins Reserve, \$39.99
- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2021, Fountaingrove District, Karma Zin - Bastoni Vineyard, \$35.99

GOLD

- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2020, Fountaingrove District, Peaceland Vineyard, \$37.99
- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Albini, \$39.99
- **Deaver Vineyards**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley, Signature, \$35.00
- **Kelley & Young Wines**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Robert Young Vineyards, \$36.00
- **Scott Harvey**, 2021, Amador County, Mountain Selection, \$35.00
- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Bacchi Reserve, \$39.99
- **Eberle**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$35.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Kitchen Hill, \$36.00
- **Tom Mackey Cellars**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$35.00

- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Midnight, \$38.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Verano, \$38.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Warm Springs Ranch, \$38.00
- **Bowman**, 2020, Sierra Foothills, \$36.00
- **Charles R Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$36.00
- **P & V Winery**, 2019, Santa Clara County, \$37.00

ZINFANDEL
\$40.00 - \$44.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2021, Rockpile, Rockpile Reserve Florence Vineyard, \$43.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Dolan Vineyard, \$42.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Buzz, \$44.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Nolan, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Forchini, \$44.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Sydney, \$44.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Big Wood, \$40.00
- **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2021, Mokelumne River, Old Ghost, \$40.00
- **Harney Lane**, 2021, Mokelumne River, Lizzy James Vineyard, \$44.00
- **Mikami Vineyards**, 2021, Lodi, \$42.00
- **Hawley**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Old Vine; Alegria Vineyard, \$44.99
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2021, Amador County, Peroni Ranch; Shenandoah Valley; CA, \$40.00
- **Bella Grace Vineyards**, 2019, Amador County, Estate, \$40.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$40.00

ZINFANDEL
\$45.00 - \$54.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Sonoma County, Coyote Reserve, \$54.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **3 Steves Winery**, 2018, Dry Creek Valley, \$46.00
- **Jaxon Keys**, NV, Mendocino Estate JaxZin, \$45.00

- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Harris Kratka Reserve, \$46.00
- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Harris Kratka, \$46.00
- **Zo Wines**, 2019, Dry Creek Valley, Triple Ten Vineyard Winemakers Select, \$54.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Serracino Reserve, \$50.00
- **Zerba Cellars**, 2020, Walla Walla Valley, \$50.00
- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$52.00
- **Jessies Grove Winery**, 2021, Lodi, Westwind - Old Vine, \$45.00

GOLD

- **Dry Creek Vineyard**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Old Vine, \$45.00
- **Lust**, 2020, Lodi, \$50.00
- **Dutcher Crossing**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Bacigalupi Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Hawley**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Estate, \$48.00
- **Adrice Wines**, 2021, Walla Walla County, \$45.00
- **St. Francis**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Artisan Collection Maggies Vineyard, \$54.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Old Vine Grlsson Vineyard, \$48.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Ramazotti Vineyard, \$49.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, School House Creek Vineyard, \$46.00
- **Fortunati Vineyards**, 2021, Mt Veeder, \$46.00
- **Scott Harvey**, 2021, Amador County, Old Vine Reserve, \$49.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Elso Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Sichel Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Tombstone, \$45.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Wedding Cake, \$45.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Foppiano RSV, \$45.00
- **Bartholomew Estate**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Garden Block, \$48.00
- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Angelo, \$46.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Forchini, \$48.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Harris Kratka, \$50.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Pony, \$46.00

ZINFANDEL
\$55.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Snake Patch RSV, \$62.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Treborce RSV, \$60.00
- **Muscardini Cellars**, 2020, Sonoma Valley; Moon Mountain District, Monte Rosso Vineyard, \$72.00
- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Rockpile, Rockpile RSV, \$65.00

GOLD

- **Clif Family Winery**, 2022, Napa Valley; Oak Knoll District, Valle di Sotto Vineyard, \$75.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Maple, \$70.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Smith Orchard Reserve, \$58.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Moon Mountain District, Monte Rosso Reserve, \$90.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Forchini RSV, \$62.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Sawyer RSV, \$62.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Buzz RSV, \$62.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Forchini RSV, \$62.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2021, Rockpile, Rockpile Reserve, \$60.00
- **Rockpile Vineyards**, 2021, Rockpile, Florence, \$63.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Sullivan, \$60.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Rockpile, Jacks Reserve, \$65.00

PRIMITIVO
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wine Without Borders**, 2022, Livermore Valley, \$24.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Helwig Winery**, 2021, Amador County, Gold Country, \$18.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Amador County, Nostro Vino Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Cooper Vineyards LLC**, 2020, Amador County, \$30.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, McClain, \$45.00
- **Jaxon Keys**, 2021, Mendocino, Michaels Reserve, \$40.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Osborn Ranch, \$42.00

- **AronHill Vineyards**, 2021, Paso Robles Willowcreek District, \$52.00

GOLD

- **Lewis Grace**, 2021, El Dorado, \$35.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma Valley; Carneros, Santo Giordano, \$40.00
- **Wedding Oak Winery**, 2021, Texas High Plains, \$38.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, River Lane Vineyard, \$44.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Estate Vineyard, \$44.00
- **Deaver Vineyards**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley, \$35.00
- **Bella Grace Vineyards**, 2018, Amador County, \$38.00
- **La Mesa**, 2020, Amador County, Estate Reserve, \$34.00
- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Shumahi, \$42.00
- **Garre Vineyard and Winery**, 2020, Livermore Valley, \$34.00

SANGIOVESE Up to \$39.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **McNab Ridge**, 2021, Mendocino County, Family Reserve, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Noceto**, 2020, Amador County, \$28.00
- **Yellow House Cellars**, 2019, Texas High Plains, \$36.00
- **Trentadue**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$34.00
- **Nello Olivo Wines**, 2021, El Dorado, \$34.00
- **Lanza**, 2021, Suisun Valley, \$32.00
- **Wedding Oak Winery**, 2021, Texas High Plains, \$32.00
- **Callaghan Vineyards**, 2021, Willcox, \$35.00
- **Zarpara**, 2021, Willcox, \$27.00

SANGIOVESE \$40.00 and Over 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Imagery Estate Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$55.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Dancin**, 2021, Rogue Valley, Pique, \$48.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Keeper Vineyard, \$44.00

GOLD

- **Manzanita Grove**, 2021, Moon Mountain District, \$40.00
- **Meadowcroft Wines**, 2021, Knights Valley, Speedy Creek Vineyard, \$55.00

- **Eberle**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$40.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma Valley; Carneros, Santo Giordano, \$45.00
- **Vezer Family Vineyard**, 2021, Suisun Valley, Blue Victorian, \$59.00
- **Kagan Cellars**, 2019, Sonoma County, Windsor Oaks Vineyard, \$42.00
- **Wise Villa Winery**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$42.00
- **Bocce Ball Wine**, 2021, Cienega Valley, \$42.00
- **Noceto**, 2020, Shenandoah Valley, Marmellata, \$44.00
- **Peltzer Family Cellars**, 2019, Temecula Valley, \$48.00

BARBERA Up to \$34.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

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2021 BARBERA
AMADOR COUNTY, CA
\$33.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Due Ragazze Vineyards**, 2021, El Dorado County, D seta, \$27.00

GOLD

- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Amador County, Cooper Vineyard, \$34.00
- **Durst Winery & Estate**, 2020, Lodi, \$28.00
- **Lanza**, 2021, Suisun Valley, \$32.00

BARBERA \$35.00 and Over 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **J. Rickards Winery**, 2021, North Coast, \$39.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Belle Fiore**, 2020, Rogue Valley, Icon, \$43.00

GOLD

- **Gouger Cellars**, 2021, Suisun Valley, \$49.00

- **Vina Moda**, 2020, Sierra Foothills, \$42.00
- **La Chertosa Old World Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, The Winemaker Remembrance Reserve Superior, \$50.00
- **Muscardini Cellars**, 2020, Redwood Valley, Pauli Ranch Vineyards, \$56.00
- **Alapay**, 2021, Paso Robles, French Camp Vineyard, \$39.00
- **Eberle**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$40.00
- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2021, Lake Chelan, Estate, \$50.00
- **Page Mill Winery**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$42.00
- **Helwig Winery**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley, \$39.00
- **Mogollon Vineyards**, 2020, Arizona; Yavapai County, Reserve, \$60.00
- **Little Uvas Vineyards**, 2021, Santa Clara Valley, \$50.00
- **Robert Renzoni Vineyards and Winery**, 2020, California, \$48.00

DOLCETTO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Montoliva Vineyard & Winery**, 2020, Chicago Park, \$35.00

SAGRANTINO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Monserate Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, San Diego County, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Nello Olivo Wines**, 2021, El Dorado, \$79.00

NEBBIOLO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Lago Lomita Vineyard, \$50.00

GOLD

- **Ce Acatl Vinos**, 2018, Baja California, Vinos Ce Acatl, \$25.00

GRACIANO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Lewis Grace**, 2021, El Dorado, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Jeff Runquist**, 2021, Paso Robles, Three Way Vineyard, \$33.00

AGLIANICO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Noceto**, 2018, Shenandoah Valley, Fumo e Terra, \$49.00

GOLD

- **Duchman Family Winery**, 2017, Texas High Plains, Oswald Vineyard, \$40.00
- **Callaghan Vineyards**, 2021, Willcox, \$45.00
- **Old 44 Cellars**, 2020, Shasta County, \$30.00

TOURIGA NACIONAL 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Milliaire Winery**, 2020, Calaveras County, \$28.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Chateau d' Estienne**, 2021, Fair Play, \$38.00
- **Parr Vineyards**, 2019, Texas Hill Country, Reserve, \$65.00

GOLD

- **Trevor Grace**, 2022, El Dorado, \$35.00
- **Signor Vineyards**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, Estate, \$56.00
- **Adega Vinho**, 2019, Texas Hill Country, \$68.00
- **Wise Villa Winery**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$37.00
- **Red Lily Vineyards**, 2021, Applegate Valley, The Song, \$75.00
- **Schmidt Family Vineyards**, 2021, Applegate Valley, Reserve, \$45.00

MONTEPULCIANO 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Christoval Vineyards**, 2020, Texas High Plains, \$29.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Perissos Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, Texas High Plains, Doro Selection, \$75.00
- **Jacuzzi Family Vineyards**, 2021, Contra Costa County, \$38.00

GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Russian River Valley, \$47.00
- **Secret Ravine**, 2021, Placer County, \$34.00
- **Hilmy Cellars**, 2021, Texas High Plains, Veasart Vineyards, \$60.00
- **JMC Cellars**, 2021, Lodi, \$38.00
- **Trentadue**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$30.00

CARIGNAN/ CARIGNANE 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Templeton Gap District, Winemaker Series; Red Door Ranch, \$62.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, \$38.00

GOLD

- **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2020, Lodi, \$28.00
- **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2019, Contra Costa, \$44.00
- **Christopher Cellars**, 2021, Mokelumne River, \$38.00

ALICANTE BOUSCHET 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Lodi, St. Jorge, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Sonoma County, Bastoni Vineyard, \$42.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Fountaingrove District, Bastoni Vineyard Fountain Grove, \$45.00
- **Fresno State Winery**, 2021, Madera County, \$16.95

SYRAH/SHIRAZ Up to \$34.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **College Cellars of Walla Walla**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, \$34.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Frey Biodynamic**, 2021, Mendocino, \$25.00
- **6th Sense**, 2021, Lodi, \$18.00

- **Thirty-Seven**, 2021, Petaluma Gap, \$34.00
- **Schultz Glory Oaks**, 2020, Applegate Valley, Shepherd, \$34.00

GOLD

- **Helwig Winery**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley, Frenchmens Creek, \$34.00
- **Cache Creek Vineyards & Winery**, 2020, Lake County, \$32.00
- **Drum Roll Wine**, 2021, Horse Heaven Hills, Seurat, \$24.00
- **Grateful Lane**, 2021, Ventura County, Artist Series, \$25.00
- **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2021, Santa Maria Valley, \$34.00
- **McNab Ridge**, 2021, Mendocino County, Family Reserve, \$30.00
- **Fallbrook Winery**, 2021, California, \$16.00
- **Holly's Hill Vineyards**, 2022, El Dorado, Fenaughty, \$28.00
- **Clearwater Canyon**, 2021, Lewis-Clark Valley, Estate, \$32.00
- **GoodMills Family Winery**, 2021, Lodi, \$28.00
- **Schooler Nolan**, 2019, Red Mountain, \$29.00
- **College Cellars of Walla Walla**, 2021, Horse Heaven Hills, \$34.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Amador County, Dal Porto Ranch, \$32.00
- **Quady North Winery**, 2021, Rogue Valley, 4-2, A, \$27.00
- **Amador Cellars**, 2020, Amador County, \$34.99
- **Best of Class**
 - **Lewis Grace**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, Renner Vineyard, \$35.00
- **Double Gold**
 - **Bitner Vineyards**, 2020, Snake River Valley, \$35.00
 - **Balistreri Vineyards**, 2022, Grand Valley, CSU Vineyard, \$42.00
 - **Pear Valley**, 2020, Adelaidda District, \$38.00
 - **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Reserve, \$42.00
 - **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$42.00
 - **Oak Creek Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, Cochise County, \$39.00
 - **Argonne Cellars**, 2020, Red Mountain, \$39.00
 - **Le Vigne Estate**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$42.00
 - **Quiddity Wines**, 2021, Rattlesnake Hills, AUDENTES, \$39.00
 - **Element 79 Vineyards**, 2020, Fair Play, Estate, \$42.00
 - **La Mesa**, 2021, Amador County, Estate Reserve, \$39.00
 - **Trevor Grace**, 2022, Sierra Foothills, \$37.00
 - **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Soul Patch Vineyard, \$42.00
 - **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, Estate Selection, \$39.00
 - **Cinder**, 2021, Snake River Valley, \$37.00
 - **Eberle**, 2021, Paso Robles, Steinbeck Vineyard, \$38.00
 - **Cathedral Ridge Winery**, 2021, Columbia Valley, \$36.00
 - **Cliff Creek Cellars**, 2019, Rogue Valley, \$40.00
 - **Wise Villa Winery**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$44.00
 - **m2**, 2021, Shenandoah Valley (Amador), Perritt Vineyard, \$40.00
 - **Flying Suitcase**, 2018, Russian River Valley, \$38.00

SYRAH/SHIRAZ
\$45.00 and Over**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Brick Barn Wine Estate**, 2021, Santa Ynez Valley, \$60.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Tsilan Cellars**, 2021, Lake Chelan, Estate Reserve, \$52.00
- **Winery at La Grange**, 2017, American, \$50.00
- **McKahn Wines**, 2021, Los Carneros, \$80.00
- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, Estate Selection, \$45.00
- **Mi Sueno Winery**, 2020, Napa Valley, \$65.00
- **Bartholomew Estate**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Vivianos Block, \$48.00
- **2156 Estate Vineyard**, 2020, South Coast, Estate Grown, \$52.00
- **Schmidt Family Vineyards**, 2021, Applegate Valley, Reserve, \$45.00
- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$65.00
- **Tinte Cellars**, 2020, Columbia Valley, \$45.00
- **Landa Vineyards**, 2018, Sonoma Valley, \$48.00
- **Deuce Cellars**, 2017, Walla Walla Valley, Non Filtered, \$45.00
- **Cass Winery**, 2020, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Backbone, \$49.00

GOLD

- **Dude Dewalt Cellars**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Seven Hills Vineyard B27, \$55.00
- **VanArnam Vineyards**, 2018, Yakima Valley, Grand Reserve, \$80.00
- **Meyer Family Cellars**, 2019, Yorkville Highlands, High Ground, \$48.00
- **Liquid Sky Vineyards**, 2019, Moon Mountain District, \$65.00
- **Stray Leaves**, 2020, Tehachapi Mountains, Single Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Vezer Family Vineyard**, 2021, Suisun Valley, Blue Victorian (Sammy Bacsi), \$45.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Chalk Hill, Javier Vyd, \$45.00
- **Cinquain Cellars**, 2019, Paso Robles, Nagengast Estate Vineyard, \$60.00
- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Willow Creek, Lock Vineyard, \$52.00
- **Cliff Creek Cellars**, 2018, Applegate Valley, Reserve, \$65.00
- **Amphora**, 2018, Sonoma County, \$45.00
- **Six Sigma Winery**, 2020, Lake County, Mariannes Reserve, \$54.00

- **Sovereign Estate**, 2022, American, \$45.00
- **Rockpile Vineyards**, 2020, Rockpile, Rockpile, \$63.00
- **Lagana Cellars**, 2018, Walla Walla Valley, Minnick Hills Vineyard, \$46.00
- **Zerba Cellars**, 2020, The Rocks District of Milton-Freewater, Rocks, \$60.00
- **Fortunati Vineyards**, 2021, Oak Knoll District, Vinto, \$48.00

PETITE SIRAH
Up to \$32.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Crusher**, 2019, California, \$14.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Fleur de California**, 2021, North Coast, \$22.00
- **Petite Petit**, 2021, Lodi, \$18.00
- **McManis Family Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, \$11.99
- **Old Soul**, 2021, Lodi, \$16.00
- **Inkblot**, 2021, Lodi, \$30.00
- **GoodMills Family Winery**, 2018, Lodi, Estate Grown, \$30.00

GOLD

- **La Storia**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$28.00
- **Cetto**, 2021, Baja California; Guadalupe Valley, L.A. Cetto, \$14.99
- **Cetto**, 2019, Baja California; Guadalupe Valley, Reserva Privada, \$24.99
- **Mettler Family Vineyards**, 2020, Lodi, \$24.99
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2021, California, \$11.00
- **Barra**, 2021, Mendocino, Estate Reserve, \$28.00
- **Fellow**, 2019, Clarksburg, \$19.00
- **Ironstone Vineyards**, 2021, Lodi, \$13.99

PETITE SIRAH
\$33.00 - \$38.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Tower Road, \$35.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Rendez-vous**, 2020, Clarksburg, \$36.00

GOLD

- **Coyote Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Tombstone, \$34.00
- **Silt Wine Company**, 2020, Clarksburg, \$38.00
- **Philo Ridge Vineyards**, 2019, Mendocino, \$35.00

- **Jaxon Keys**, 2021, Mendocino, Allie Keys, \$36.00
- **Bent Creek Wines**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$36.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Briar, \$38.00
- **Heringer Estates**, 2020, Clarksburg, \$36.00

PETITE SIRAH
\$39.00 - \$46.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Carol Shelton Wines**, 2018, Rockpile, Reserve, \$45.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Theopolis Vineyards**, 2021, Yorkville Highlands, \$42.00
- **Garre Vineyard and Winery**, 2020, Livermore Valley, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Campos Family Vineyards**, 2021, Contra Costa County, \$39.00
- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, \$42.00
- **Turkovich Family Wines**, 2020, Yolo County, \$44.00
- **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, \$42.00
- **Vina Moda**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$44.00
- **Wolff Vineyards**, 2021, Edna Valley, \$40.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Newsome, \$40.00
- **Mikami Vineyards**, 2021, Lodi, \$39.00
- **Pear Valley**, 2019, Paso Robles Geneseo District, \$40.00
- **Lewis Grace**, 2021, El Dorado, \$39.00

PETITE SIRAH
\$47.00 and Over**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Defiance Vineyard, \$58.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Pony Reserve, \$54.00
- **La De Vi**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$70.00
- **Aratas Wine**, 2019, Napa Valley; Rutherford, \$58.00
- **Aratas Wine**, 2018, Amador County, Shake Ridge, \$58.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2021, Clarksburg, Reserve Salman Vineyard, \$50.00

- **Balistreri Vineyards**, 2022, Grand Valley, Talbott Vineyard, \$48.00

GOLD

- **Anaba Wines**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Teldeschi Vineyard, \$74.00

- **Hawley**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, \$48.00
- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Mollys, \$50.00
- **Zerba Cellars**, 2020, Walla Walla Valley, \$60.00

MOURVEDRE
2024 AWARD WINNERS**BEST OF CLASS**

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, \$45.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sea Shell Cellars**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$55.00
- **Premonition Cellars**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Montgomery Vineyard, \$40.00
- **Klinker Brick Winery**, 2020, Mokelumne River, \$28.00
- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$65.00
- **Cass Winery**, 2020, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Damas Noir, \$90.00
- **Cooper Vineyards LLC**, 2020, Amador County, \$32.00
- **Vezer Family Vineyard**, 2021, Suisun Valley, Blue Victorian, \$49.00

GOLD

- **Three of Cups**, 2021, Columbia Valley, The Horseman Le Cavalier, \$28.00
- **Jazz Cellars**, 2021, Calaveras County, Holley Hills Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Adega Vinho**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, Estate, \$50.00
- **McKahn Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$50.00
- **La Mesa**, 2021, Amador County, Estate Reserve, \$39.00
- **Parr Vineyards**, 2019, Texas Hill Country, \$40.00
- **The Meeker Vineyard**, 2021, High Valley, La Sierra Vineyard - Block 8, \$50.00
- **Quiddity Wines**, 2021, Columbia Valley, CUR NON, \$39.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, San Francisco Bay, \$45.00
- **Edio Vineyards at Delfino Farms**, 2022, El Dorado, \$42.00

GRENACHE
Up to \$34.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Storrs**, 2021, Central Coast, \$34.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Lava Cap**, 2022, El Dorado, \$28.00
- **Crystal Basin Cellars**, 2020, El Dorado, \$32.00
- **Miro**, 2021, Mendocino, Cuvee Sasha Chevalier Vineyard, \$24.00

GRENACHE
\$35.00 and Over**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Seka Hills**, 2021, Yolo County, Estate, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Anaba Wines**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, Flora Marie, \$56.00
- **Enkidu**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$43.00
- **Lewis Grace**, 2022, El Dorado, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Henny Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Brick Barn Wine Estate**, 2021, Santa Ynez Valley, \$60.00
- **The.Grenachista**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Mounts Vineyard, \$38.00
- **The.Grenachista**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Mathis, \$38.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Clarksburg, Herringer, \$42.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma Valley, Henny Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Amador County, Lyman Vineyard, \$39.00
- **Picchetti Winery**, 2022, Arroyo Seco, Cedar Lane Vineyard, \$42.95
- **Mercer Estates**, 2019, Horse Heaven Hills, Mercer Small Lot, \$35.00
- **Oak Farm Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, Davis Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Staysail Cellars**, 2020, Templeton Gap District, Hollyhock Vineyard, \$40.00
- **JMC Cellars**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$36.00
- **Ramazzotti**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, \$52.00

MERLOT
Up to \$22.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Monterra**, 2021, Monterey, \$5.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **CK Mondavi**, 2022, California, \$7.00
- **Line 39**, 2021, California, \$10.99
- **Taft Street**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$20.00

GOLD

- **Cannonball**, 2021, California, \$16.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Los Osos, \$15.00
- **Black Box**, 2021, California, \$19.99

- **Charles Smith**, 2021, Washington, The Velvet Devil, \$14.99

- **Karen Birmingham**, 2020, Clarksburg, \$12.99

MERLOT
\$23.00 - \$29.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **Peter Cellars**, 2019, Los Carneros (Sonoma), \$26.59

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Peter Cellars**, 2021, Los Carneros (Sonoma), \$26.59
- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2022, Sonoma County, \$23.00

- **Houdini**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$29.95

- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2019, Alexander Valley, Reserve, \$25.00

- **La Storia**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$26.00

- **Cameron Hughes**, 2021, Wahluke Slope, Lot 917, \$25.00

- **Burnsini Vineyards**, 2017, Tehama County, \$24.00

GOLD

- **Colterris**, 2020, Grand Valley, \$28.00

- **Credia**, 2022, Lodi, \$28.00

- **Misson**, 2016, Livermore Valley, \$29.99

- **Cape May Winery**, 2020, American, \$25.00

- **Arroyo Cellars**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$25.00

- **Bishops Hill**, 2018, Lodi, \$24.99

- **Milliaire Winery**, 2021, Calaveras County, Dogtown, \$28.00

- **Spangler Vineyards**, 2021, Southern Oregon, \$29.00

- **Jones von Drehle**, 2019, Yadkin Valley, \$28.00

- **McConnell Estates Winery**, 2021, Cosumnes River, Wackman Ranch, \$25.00

- **Storrs**, 2019, San Ysidro District, \$29.00

- **Coruce Vineyards and Winery**, 2019, Antelope Valley of the California High Desert (Los Angeles), \$28.00

- **McConnell Estates Winery**, 2021, Cosumnes River, Wackman Ranch, \$25.00

- **Storrs**, 2019, San Ysidro District, \$29.00

MERLOT
\$30.00 - \$39.99**2024 AWARD WINNERS****BEST OF CLASS**

- **H•L•R Cellars**, 2019, Fountaingrove District, \$39.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Little Uvas Vineyards**, 2020, Santa Clara County, \$30.00

- **Bitner Vineyards**, 2018, Snake River Valley, Menapause Merlot, \$30.00

- **Nello Olivo Wines**, 2021, El Dorado, \$32.00

GOLD

- **Driftwood Estate Winery**, 2019, Texas High Plains, Newsom Vineyard, \$35.00
- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, Estate Selection, \$38.00
- **Pollak Vineyards**, 2021, Monticello, \$34.00
- **Arrington Vineyards**, 2021, Horse Heaven Hills, Russell, \$30.00
- **Mercer Estates**, 2019, Horse Heaven Hills, Mercer Small Lot, \$35.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, One Oak Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Scenic Valley Ranch**, 2021, Ramona Valley, \$37.00

MERLOT
\$40.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Forthright Winery**, 2019, Oak Knoll District, \$95.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Serres Ranch**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, Buchanan, \$75.00
- **De La Montanya Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, North Coast, \$52.50
- **Tom Mackey Cellars**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Woolard Family, \$40.00
- **Hawley**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Estate, \$50.00
- **Tin Barn Vineyards**, 2019, Sonoma Mountain, Pickberry Vineyard, \$42.00

GOLD

- **Langtry**, 2021, Lake County, Tephra Ridge, \$42.00
- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$47.00
- **Ehret Family Winery**, 2020, Knights Valley, Bavarian Lion Vineyards, \$69.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Windacre Vineyard, \$54.00
- **Benziger Family Winery**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Estate, \$55.00
- **Materra | Cunat Family Vineyards**, 2021, Napa Valley, Right Bank, \$60.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Foppiano, \$50.00
- **Athenaeum**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$40.95
- **Roche**, 2021, Los Carneros, Reserve, \$50.00
- **Roche**, 2021, Los Carneros, \$40.00
- **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Central Coast, R.E. Summers Ranch, \$40.00
- **Fifth Hill**, 2021, Sonoma Mountain, Oak Shade Ranch, \$45.00
- **Forthright Winery**, 2016, Oak Knoll District, Long Barrel Reserve, \$125.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
Up to \$15.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Avalon**, 2022, California, \$10.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **7 Deadly**, 2020, Lodi, 7 Deadly Cab, \$15.99
- **Winemaker's Selection**, 2021, Monterey County, \$9.96
- **Cycles Gladiator**, 2022, California, \$13.00
- **Jacks Peak**, 2022, California, \$10.99
- **Crusher**, 2020, California, \$14.99
- **Cannonball**, 2021, California, \$15.99

GOLD

- **Gnarly Head**, 2022, California, \$12.00
- **EG by Educated Guess**, 2021, California, \$14.99
- **Knotty Vines**, 2020, California, \$15.00
- **Noble Vines**, 2021, Lodi, 337, \$12.00
- **The Collection**, 2021, California, \$9.99
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2021, California, \$11.00
- **Peltier Green**, 2021, Lodi, \$12.00
- **Line 39**, 2021, California, \$10.99
- **Art of the Cooper**, 2022, Lodi, \$10.99
- **Carmenet**, 2021, California, \$15.99

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$16.00 - \$19.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sobon Estate**, 2020, California, \$19.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Francis Ford Coppola Diamond Collection**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$19.00
- **Becker Vineyards**, 2020, Texas, Iconoclast Barrel Select, \$19.00
- **Giapoza**, 2020, California, \$18.00
- **Oak Farm Vineyards**, 2022, Lodi, Tievoli, \$19.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Seven Oaks, \$17.00
- **CK Mondavi**, 2019, Adelaida District, Family Select, \$16.99
- **Plungerhead**, 2021, California, \$17.99
- **Tribute**, 2021, California, \$17.99

GOLD

- **Big Smooth**, 2021, Lodi, \$16.99
- **Craftwork**, 2021, Monterey County, \$19.99
- **Long Valley Ranch**, 2021, Monterey County, \$19.95
- **Firestone Vineyard**, 2022, Paso Robles, \$16.99
- **Mercer Brothers**, 2020, Horse Heaven Hills, \$19.99
- **Black Box**, 2022, California, Deep & Dark, \$19.99
- **Subsoil**, 2020, Horse Heaven Hills, \$18.99
- **CA-BEAR-NAY**, 2022, California, \$17.99
- **Sean Minor**, 2022, Paso Robles, California Series, \$18.00
- **Secret Cellars**, 2022, Paso Robles, \$17.99

- **Three Rivers Winery**, 2021, Columbia Valley, \$16.00
- **Three Finger Jack**, 2021, Lodi, East Side Ridge, \$19.00
- **Robert Hall**, 2021, Paso Robles, Artisan Collection, \$19.99
- **Aquinas**, 2021, North Coast, \$17.99
- **Vinafore Collection**, 2020, Alexander Valley, \$19.99
- **Scotto Family Cellars**, 2020, Lodi, Reserve, \$19.99

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$20.00 - \$23.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Bonterra Organic Estates**, 2022, Mendocino County, Estate Collection, \$21.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Rabble**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$21.99
- **Main & Geary**, 2022, Central Coast, \$20.95
- **Four Vines**, 2022, Paso Robles, The Cowboy Poet, \$22.95
- **Peltier Winery & Vineyards**, 2019, Lodi, \$20.00
- **St. Francis**, 2020, Sonoma County, \$22.00
- **One Stone**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$20.00
- **Lost Isle**, 2022, Clarksburg, \$22.99
- **The Soldier**, 2019, Columbia Valley, \$23.00
- **The Federalist**, 2022, Lodi, \$23.99
- **Francis Ford Coppola Director's Cut**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$22.00
- **Z. Alexander Brown**, 2021, California, Whiskey Barrel Aged, \$22.00
- **Almost Famous Wine Company**, 2019, Livermore Valley, Dog Day, \$21.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$24.00 - \$27.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **O'Leary Fine Wines**, 2022, California, \$24.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2020, Sonoma County, \$25.00
- **Educated Guess**, 2022, Napa County, \$24.99
- **Ravel & Stitch**, 2020, Central Coast, \$25.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2021, San Francisco Bay, Firepit, \$24.00
- **Durst Winery & Estate**, 2019, Lodi, \$27.00

GOLD

- **Estate Crush**, 2020, Lodi, \$26.00
- **Feather Hills Vineyard & Winery**, 2020, Horse Heaven Hills, \$27.00
- **Black Sheep Winery**, 2020, Calaveras County, \$24.00
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- **SIMI**, 2021, California, \$25.00
- **Phil Long Reserve**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$25.99
- **Banshee**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$24.99
- **The Mill Keeper**, NV, California, \$25.00
- **Mettler Family Vineyards**, 2020, Lodi, \$24.99
- **Shed Horn Cellars**, 2021, Lake County, \$24.00
- **Jaxon Keys**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Farmhouse Red, \$25.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$28.00 - \$30.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wade Cellars**, 2020, California, Three By Wade, \$28.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **San Simeon**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$30.00
- **Giguiere Estate**, 2021, Dunnigan Hills, The Herdsman, \$30.00
- **La Storia**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$30.00
- **Roth Estate**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$30.00
- **Rowdy Creek Ranch**, 2021, Texas, \$28.99
- **Signature Reserve**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$28.00
- **Yokayo**, 2021, Mendocino County, \$28.00
- **Barra**, 2021, Mendocino, Estate Reserve, \$28.00

- **Ranch 32**, 2021, Monterey, \$29.95

- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Sonoma County, \$30.00

- **Schooler Nolan**, 2019, Red Mountain, \$29.00

- **Hogback**, 2020, Grand Valley, \$30.00

- **Miro**, 2021, Chalk Hill, Hitchcock, \$28.00

- **Almost Famous Wine Company**, 2021, San Francisco Bay, Bings Barn, \$28.00

- **Galena Cellars Vineyard & Winery**, 2021, American, \$29.99

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$31.00 - \$35.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Rubino Estates Winery**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Riserva, \$32.00

GOLD

- **Ruby Hill Winery**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Reserve Collection, \$32.00
- **Phil Long Reserve**, 2020, Napa Valley, \$34.99
- **Wente Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Wetmore Vineyard, \$35.00
- **Grant-Marie Winery**, 2016, North Yuba, \$35.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$36.00 - \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **deLorimier Winery**, 2020, Sonoma County, Barrel Select Reserve, \$38.00

GOLD

- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, \$38.00
- **Bent Creek Wines**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$36.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$40.00 - \$44.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **L'Ecole No 41**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, \$44.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Whalebone**, 2021, California, \$42.00
- **Turkovich Family Wines**, 2020, Yolo County, \$44.00
- **Mazzocco Sonoma**, 2018, Dry Creek Valley, Inheritance, \$40.00
- **Miro**, 2021, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, Pine Mountain Vineyard, \$44.00

GOLD

- **Schmitz 24 Brix**, 2018, Amador County, \$40.00

- **Jackson Hole Winery**, 2021, American, The Outlaw Lot 21, \$44.00

- **Urban Legend**, 2020, Shenandoah Valley (Amador), \$44.00

- **Carruth Cellars**, 2019, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, \$40.00

- **Koi Zen Cellars**, 2019, Alexander Valley, Reserve, \$44.00

- **Hamilton Cellars**, 2020, Red Mountain, \$42.00

- **Little Uvas Vineyards**, 2020, Santa Clara County, \$40.00

- **Rosa Fierro Cellars**, 2017, Livermore Valley, Call me a Cab, \$40.00

- **Cuda Ridge Wines**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Black Label, \$43.00

- **J. Rickards Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, A.V. Selections, \$42.00

- **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, \$44.00

- **Hanna**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$44.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON
\$45.00 - \$49.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, \$45.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Langtry**, 2021, Lake County, Tephra Ridge, \$45.00
- **Roberts + Rogers Louer Family**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$45.00
- **Oak Tree Winery**, 2019, Alexander Valley, \$45.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, West Hill, \$48.00

GOLD

- **Concannon Vineyard**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Mother Vine, \$46.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Clone 30, \$48.00
- **Rosa Fierro Cellars**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Call me a Cab, \$45.00
- **Sea Shell Cellars**, 2020, Paso Robles Estrella District, Reserve, \$49.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Shotwell Vineyard, \$45.00
- **Boatique Wines**, 2021, Red Hills Lake County, \$45.00
- **Balverne**, 2021, Chalk Hill, \$48.00
- **Stonum Vineyards**, 2020, Alta Mesa, \$45.00
- **Michael Angelo's Winery**, 2021, Ohio, Sagebrush, \$49.00
- **Sarahs Vineyard**, 2020, Santa Clara Valley, Sarahs Vineyard, \$48.00

• **Chateau St Jean**, 2021, Knights Valley, \$45.00

• **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Preston Ranch, \$46.00

• **Belle Fiore**, 2019, Rogue Valley, Classic, \$47.00

• **Jaxon Keys**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Preston Reserve, \$45.00

• **BoaVentura Platinum**, NV, Livermore Valley, 2020/2021 Platinum Label, \$46.00

• **Rios-Lovell Estate Winery**, NV, Livermore Valley, \$45.00

• **Sakura Winery's Aphelion**, NV, Livermore Valley, \$45.00

• **Perrucci Family Vineyard**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$45.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$50.00 - \$59.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **915 Lincoln**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$50.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ruby Hill Winery**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Jewel Collection, \$59.00
- **Cass Winery**, 2020, Paso Robles Geneseo District, \$55.00
- **Eberle**, 2020, Paso Robles, \$52.00
- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Twisted Rail, \$54.00

GOLD

- **Rapture**, 2021, Lodi, \$50.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2020, Chalk Hill, Shiloh Reserve, \$54.00
- **Tom Mackey Cellars**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, \$50.00
- **Petar**, 2021, Oak Knoll District, \$59.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2020, Alexander Valley, Estate, \$56.00
- **Hoyt Family Vineyards**, 2018, Paso Robles, \$55.00
- **Halter Ranch**, 2019, Adelaida District, \$55.00
- **Cache Creek Vineyards & Winery**, 2020, Lake County, Reserve, \$55.00
- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, \$58.00
- **Sextant**, 2020, El Pomar District, Kamal Reserve, \$54.00
- **Indigene Cellars**, 2020, Templeton Gap District, \$50.00
- **Big Dog Vineyards**, 2019, San Francisco Bay, Cinq Chevaux Block, \$52.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$60.00 - \$69.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Rippee Family Vineyards**, 2021, Napa, Napa, \$65.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma Valley, Atwood Ranch, \$60.00
- **Sakura**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$60.00
- **Manzanita Grove**, 2019, Sonoma County, \$60.00
- **Black Stallion Estate Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, Limited Release, \$65.00
- **Lula Cellars**, 2019, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, \$60.00

GOLD

- **Steelemack**, 2019, Napa Valley; Oak Knoll District, \$63.00
- **J. Moss**, 2019, Napa Valley, \$69.00
- **Le Vigne Estate**, 2019, Paso Robles, Acquarello Vineyard Reserve, \$64.00
- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2019, Alexander Valley, Reserve, \$60.00
- **Henry Earl Estates**, 2018, Red Mountain, Shaw Vineyard, \$65.00
- **Bartholomew Estate**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$65.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2020, Russian River Valley, Windacre Vineyard, \$60.00
- **AronHill Vineyards**, 2020, Willow Creek, \$64.00
- **Wente Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Duetto, \$60.00
- **Comstock Wines**, 2017, Alexander Valley, \$65.00
- **Bonterra Organic Estates**, 2020, Mendocino County, The McNab, \$60.00
- **Denier-Handal Vineyards**, 2019, Dry Creek Valley, Reserve, \$65.00
- **Munselle Vineyards**, 2018, Alexander Valley, Wasson Ranch, \$68.00
- **Greyscale Wines**, 2018, Rutherford, \$69.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2019, St. Helena, Carols Vineyard, \$60.00

• **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Five Star RSV, \$65.00

• **Elk Haven Winery**, 2021, Red Mountain, \$66.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$70.00 - \$79.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Ancient Peaks Winery**, 2020, Santa Margarita Ranch, Pearl, \$72.00

• **San Simeon**, 2020, Paso Robles, Reserve, \$70.00

• **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2019, Livermore Valley, Clone 30, \$70.00

GOLD

- **deLorimier Winery**, 2020, Alexander Valley, Crazy Creek Reserve, \$75.00
- **Helwig Winery**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley (Amador), Davancy, \$75.00
- **Hawk and Horse Vineyards**, 2019, Red Hills Lake County, \$75.00
- **Mercer Estates Winery**, 2019, Horse Heaven Hills, Mercer Reserve Cavale 7, \$75.00
- **White Lane**, 2019, St. Helena, \$79.99
- **Flying Suitcase**, 2018, Rutherford, \$75.00
- **Dry Creek Vineyard**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Iron Slopes, \$72.00
- **Roche**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, \$72.00
- **Cliff Family Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, Kits Killer, \$75.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$80.00 - \$99.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Cyrus Creek**, 2020, Diamond Mountain District, Estate Grown, \$81.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Cardella Winery**, 2018, Napa Valley, \$80.00
- **Lunasa Wines**, 2020, Calistoga, \$85.00
- **Trujillo Wines**, 2020, Napa Valley, Trujillo, \$90.00
- **Cultivar Wine**, 2019, Napa Valley, Leaky Lake, \$92.00
- **Liquid Sky Vineyards**, 2019, Moon Mountain District, \$90.00
- **Muscardini Cellars**, 2019, Sonoma Valley; Moon Mountain District, Madrone Ridge Vineyards, \$85.00
- **J. Moss**, 2017, Coombsville, Steffensen Vineyard, \$89.00
- **Zo Wines**, 2021, St. Helena, Battle Family Vineyard, \$95.00

• **Kukeri Wines**, 2020, Stags Leap District, \$85.00

• **Ehret Family Winery**, 2020, Knights Valley, Bellas; Bavarian Lion Vineyards, \$91.00

• **Spicy Vines**, 2016, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, New World Phase III, \$98.00

• **Stanton Vineyards**, 2020, Oakville, \$85.00

GOLD

• **Bajka Wine Company**, 2017, Paso Robles, Nagengast Estate Vineyard, \$90.00

• **Sequoia Grove Winery**, 2021, Rutherford, Bench Reserve, \$90.00

• **Tara Bella Winery**, 2019, Russian River Valley, Single Vineyard, \$80.00

• **Mi Sueno Winery**, 2020, Napa Valley, \$85.00

• **Peltzer Family Cellars**, 2020, Central Coast, \$80.00

• **J. Moss**, 2019, Coombsville, \$89.00

• **McClain Cellars**, 2021, Santa Ynez Valley, Three Daughters, \$85.00

• **LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$95.00

• **Spicy Vines**, 2016, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, Old World Block 7, \$98.00

• **Rippee Family Vineyards**, 2021, Oakville, \$85.00

• **Mersenne**, 2019, Napa Valley; Rutherford, \$99.00

• **Great Bear Vineyards**, 2019, Yolo County, Admiral Benbow, \$85.00

• **Whitehall Lane Winery**, 2018, Napa Valley, Leonardini Estate, \$85.00

• **Bajka Wine Company**, 2018, Paso Robles, Nagengast Estate Vineyard, \$90.00

• **Smith Devereux**, 2019, Napa Valley, Nancys, \$80.00

• **Rockpile Vineyards**, 2020, Rockpile, Ravens Rock, \$90.00

• **Merriam Vineyards**, 2019, Rockpile, Gloeckner-Turner Ranch, \$88.00

• **Fortunati Vineyards**, 2021, Napa Valley, Signature, \$85.00

• **Magnus James**, 2021, Stags Leap District, \$85.00

• **Mission Peak Wine**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, \$81.00

• **Bricoleur Vineyards**, 2021, Fountaingrove District, Kick Ranch, \$90.00

• **AvinoDos Wines**, 2019, Napa Valley, Atlas Peak, \$95.00

• **Lunasa Wines**, 2019, Calistoga, \$85.00

CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$100.00 and Over 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Eagles Nest Winery**, 2020, NONE, Sayre, \$150.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Rutherford, Morisoli Vineyard, \$110.00
- **Cliff Family Winery**, 2019, Howell Mountain, Erta Block Designate, \$175.00
- **Obelisco Estate Winery**, 2020, Red Mountain, Nefer III, \$125.00

• **Wine Boss Paso Robles**, 2020, California, Hart Family Estate, \$125.00

• **Scalon Cellars**, 2019, Coombsville, \$115.00

• **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Mt Veeder, \$105.00

• **Serres Ranch**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, Marshall, \$100.00

• **Kagan Cellars**, 2018, Rutherford, K3, \$120.00

• **Materra | Cunat Family Vineyards**, 2021, Napa Valley; Diamond Mountain District, Reserve, \$100.00

• **Meadowcroft Wines**, 2020, Stags Leap District, \$125.00

• **Mi Sueno Winery**, 2020, Mt Veeder, Lynns Vineyard, \$105.00

• **Red Stitch**, 2018, Napa Valley, \$125.00

• **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2017, Alexander Valley, Old Vine, \$100.00

• **Wiens Family Cellars**, 2020, Temecula Valley, \$105.00

• **Ketcham Estate**, 2019, Alexander Valley, CabRenee, \$125.00

GOLD

• **Forthright Winery**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, \$150.00

• **Wiens Family Cellars**, 2020, Riverside County, San Ignacio, \$175.00

• **Teachworth Napa Valley**, 2019, Diamond Mountain District, \$125.00

• **Allen Wines**, 2018, Napa Valley; Rutherford, Rutherford Overlook, \$125.00

• **Rockpile Vineyards**, 2018, Rockpile, Barrel Select, \$100.00

• **Wallis Family Estate**, 2021, Diamond Mountain District, Haas Vineyards, \$150.00

• **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, Vangone Vineyard, \$125.00

• **Ehret Family Winery**, 2020, Knights Valley, Hillside Reserve; Bavarian Lion Vineyards, \$125.00

• **Seamus Wines**, 2017, Sonoma Valley, Atwood Ranch Vineyard Reserve, \$125.00

• **Mi Sueno Winery**, 2020, Rutherford, Dos Suenos Vineyard, \$125.00

• **Wine Boss Paso Robles**, 2021, California, Hart Family Estate, \$125.00

• **Forthright Winery**, 2019, Calistoga, \$150.00

• **Okapi**, 2019, Napa Valley, \$140.00

• **Vezer Family Vineyard**, 2021, Suisun Valley, Gabrielle, \$150.00

• **Eagles Nest Winery**, 2019, NONE, \$125.00

• **Gracianna**, 2021, Atlas Peak, Stagecoach Vineyard, \$128.00

CABERNET FRANC Up to \$34.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Almost Famous Wine Company**, 2021, San Francisco Bay, Strong Silent Type, \$32.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Le Casque**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$32.00

• **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2021, Santa Maria Valley, \$34.00

GOLD

• **Cellardoor Winery**, 2018, American, \$24.00

• **Scott Family Cellars**, 2020, Lodi, Reserve, \$19.99

• **Clarksburg Wine Company**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$28.00

• **College Cellars of Walla Walla**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Clarke Vineyard, \$34.00

• **Spangler Vineyards**, 2020, Oregon, \$32.00

• **Covert Wineworks**, 2020, Virginia, Bebe LeFranc, \$29.00

• **Jeff Runquist**, 2022, Clarksburg, Salman Vineyard, \$28.00

• **Soquel Vineyards**, 2022, Santa Cruz Mountains, Pleasant Valley Farms, \$30.00

• **Galena Cellars Vineyard & Winery**, 2021, Shawnee Hills, Wayside Ridge Vineyard, \$28.99

• **Madrona**, 2019, El Dorado, \$30.00

CABERNET FRANC \$35.00 - \$49.99 2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

• **Urban Legend**, 2021, Sonoma Coast, \$44.00

DOUBLE GOLD

• **Quady North Winery**, 2019, Applegate Valley, Maes Vineyard, \$39.00

• **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$42.00

• **Zerba Cellars**, 2020, Walla Walla Valley, \$40.00

• **Bumgarner Winery**, 2020, El Dorado, \$38.00

• **Cooper-Garrod Estate Vineyards**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, \$47.00

GOLD

• **Lemon Creek**, 2020, Lake Michigan Shore, Reserve, \$42.00

• **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Stone Patch, \$40.00

• **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Sonoma County, La Prenda Calistoga Road, \$46.00

• **Alapay**, 2021, Paso Robles, French Camp Vineyard, \$39.00

• **Carruth Cellars**, 2018, Chalk Hill, Windsor Oaks Vineyard, \$40.00

CABERNET FRANC
\$50.00 and Over

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Selin Cellars**, 2022, Alexander Valley, \$75.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Pine Mountain Vineyards**, 2019, Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak, \$52.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Home Ranch, \$60.00
- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$72.00
- **Hawk and Horse Vineyards**, 2019, Red Hills Lake County, \$65.00
- **Imagery Estate Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, Produced and Bottled By, \$55.00
- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Hardrock RSV, \$54.00
- **Greenhill Vineyards**, 2021, Virginia, Limited Release, \$54.00
- **Wautoma Springs**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Fork + Spoon, \$50.00
- **Tinte Cellars**, 2020, Columbia Valley, \$52.00
- **Sequoia Grove Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$65.00
- **Peltzer Family Cellars**, 2020, Temecula Valley, \$64.00
- **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2018, Alexander Valley, \$80.00
- **Cinnabar Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Lodi, Lewis Vineyard, \$52.00
- **AvinoDos Wines**, 2019, Oak Knoll District, \$52.00
- **Brick Barn Wine Estate**, 2019, Santa Ynez Valley, Fatalist, \$180.00
- **T. Berkley Wines**, 2021, Oak Knoll District, Big Ranch Vineyard, \$75.00
- **T. Berkley Wines**, 2021, Chalk Hill, Singing Hills Vineyard, \$50.00
- **De La Montanya Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$57.50
- **The Dancing Fox Winery & Brewery**, 2020, Clements Hills, Lodi rules certified sustainable, \$59.00
- **Amphora**, 2019, Dry Creek Valley, \$50.00
- **McGrail Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Lucky 8 Vineyard, \$52.00
- **Fallbrook Winery**, 2020, South Coast, 33 Degrees North, \$50.00
- **Ramazzotti**, 2019, Alexander Valley, \$58.00
- **Domaine Fortier**, 2017, Virginia; Loudoun County, \$58.00

MALBEC
Up to \$38.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Chateau Wright**, 2020, Davis Mountains, Point of Rocks, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Schooler Nolan**, 2019, Red Mountain, \$29.00
- **Barefoot**, NV, California, \$6.99
- **College Cellars of Walla Walla**, 2019, Walla Walla Valley, Clarke Vineyard, \$30.00
- **Jazz Cellars**, 2021, Calaveras County, Lee Vineyard, \$36.00
- **Familia Hicks Wines LLC**, 2021, Templeton Gap District, Mon Vieil Ami, \$35.00
- **Pear Valley**, 2020, Paso Robles Geneseo District, \$36.00
- **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2021, Santa Maria Valley, \$34.00
- **Walnut Creek**, 2022, American, \$21.50
- **Nello Olivo Wines**, 2021, El Dorado, \$32.00
- **Milliaire Winery**, 2020, Calaveras County, \$26.00

MALBEC
\$39.00 and Over

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Picchetti Winery**, 2021, Paso Robles Estrella District, Red Tail Vineyard, \$49.95

DOUBLE GOLD

- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, \$51.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$40.00
- **De La Montanya Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$55.00
- **Kelley & Young Wines**, 2019, Alexander Valley, Robert Young Vineyards, \$45.00
- **Tsillan Cellars**, 2021, Lake Chelan, Estate, \$56.00
- **Mia Marie**, 2021, San Diego County, \$60.00

GOLD

- **Tom Mackey Cellars**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Woolard Family Vineyard, \$40.00
- **Frogtown Cellars**, 2020, American, Disclosure, \$58.99
- **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2020, Alexander Valley, \$80.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Shotwell Vineyard, \$60.00
- **Wautoma Springs**, 2021, Wahluke Slope, Inky, \$50.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2020, Alexander Valley, Furlong Reserve, \$46.00

- **St. Anne's Crossing**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Los Chamizal, \$44.00

- **AvinoDos Wines**, 2018, Oak Knoll District, \$42.00

- **Vina Moda**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$44.00

- **Tinte Cellars**, 2020, Columbia Valley; White Bluffs, \$52.00

- **Defiance Vineyard**, 2020, Paso Robles, Block 5 Creston District, \$48.00

- **Halter Ranch**, 2021, Adelaida District, \$82.00

- **Red Door Ranch Vineyards**, 2021, Paso Robles, Big Brother, \$58.00

- **Oak Creek Vineyards and Winery**, 2021, Cochise County, \$39.00

- **Gracianna**, 2021, Sonoma County, Sadies Share, \$48.00

PETIT VERDOT
Up to \$45.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Crown Block, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Bellview**, 2019, Outer Coastal Plain, \$40.00
- **Inkblot**, 2020, Lodi, \$30.00

- **Hoyt Family Vineyards**, 2019, Paso Robles Willowcreek District, \$45.00

- **Argonne Cellars**, 2020, Red Mountain, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Ingleside Vineyards**, 2021, Northern Neck George Washington Birthplace, \$32.95
- **Trevor Grace**, 2022, El Dorado, \$40.00
- **Flying Fox Vineyard and Winery**, 2021, Albermarle County, \$45.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$40.00
- **Pollak Vineyards**, 2021, Monticello, \$40.00
- **College Cellars of Walla Walla**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Clarke Vineyard, \$34.00

PETIT VERDOT
\$46.00 and Over

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Barrister Winery**, 2019, Columbia Valley, Dionysus Vineyard, \$47.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Cuda Ridge Wines**, 2020, Livermore Valley, \$60.00
- **Ruby Hill Winery**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Jewel Collection, \$54.00
- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$72.00

- **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2018, Alexander Valley, \$80.00

- **Rockpile Vineyards**, 2020, Rockpile, Carriage House, \$80.00

- **Eleven**, 2021, Red Mountain, Series BWA, \$50.00

GOLD

- **Veritas**, 2019, Monticello, \$50.00
- **De La Montanya Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, \$57.50
- **Balistreri Vineyards**, 2022, Grand Valley, Avant Vineyard, \$56.00
- **Carruth Cellars**, 2019, Alexander Valley, Reynoso Family Vineyard, \$48.00
- **Doukenie Winery**, 2020, Virginia; Loudoun County, \$47.00
- **Winery at La Grange**, 2021, Virginia, \$50.00
- **Yonah Mountain Vineyards**, 2019, Georgia, \$52.00
- **McGrail Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Lucky 8 Vineyards, \$52.00
- **J. McClelland Cellars**, 2019, Napa Valley, \$60.00

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2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Left Of Ordinary**, 2022, California, \$19.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Greenhill Vineyards**, 2021, Virginia, \$56.00
- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Lock Vineyard; Winemaker Series, \$64.00
- **Vina Moda**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, \$46.00
- **Horton Vineyards**, 2015, Virginia; Orange County, \$25.00
- **Effingham**, 2020, Virginia, \$44.00
- **Texas Heritage Vineyard**, 2018, Texas High Plains, \$36.00
- **Victor Hugo**, 2020, Paso Robles, \$30.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, \$55.00
- **Kinetic Cellars**, 2019, Alta Mesa, \$20.00

CARMENERE

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Texas Heritage Vineyard**, 2019, Texas High Plains, \$36.00

GOLD

- **Cuda Ridge Wines**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Little Dog Vineyard, \$50.00
- **Barrister Winery**, 2020, Wahluke Slope, \$45.00

- **Lemon Creek**, 2021, Lake Michigan Shore, \$40.00

TEMPRANILLO
Up to \$39.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Wedding Oak Winery**, 2021, Texas Hill Country, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Amador Cellars**, 2020, Amador County, \$34.00

TEMPRANILLO
\$40.00 and Over

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cinder**, 2021, Snake River Valley, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sakura**, 2021, Livermore Valley, \$60.00
- **Winery at La Grange**, 2021, American, \$50.00
- **Ron Yates**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Friesen Vineyards, \$49.00
- **Augusta Vin Winery**, 2021, Texas Hill Country, \$43.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, \$43.00
- **Yellow House Cellars**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$42.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Clarksburg, \$44.00
- **Pedernales Cellars**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Lahey Vineyards, \$45.00
- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, Winemakers Reserve, \$48.00
- **Messina Hof Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Paulo, \$60.00
- **Red Lily Vineyards**, 2020, Applegate Valley, Thin Line, \$50.00
- **Schmidt Family Vineyards**, 2021, Applegate Valley, Reserve, \$45.00
- **Chateau Tumbleweed**, 2021, Willcox, Cimarron Vineyard, \$50.00
- **2156 Estate Vineyard**, 2020, South Coast, Estate Grown, \$46.00
- **Fletcher Bay Winery**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, \$48.00

GOLD

- **7 Vines Vineyard**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$36.00
- **Montoliva Vineyard & Winery**, 2019, Chicago Park, \$40.00
- **Ron Yates**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Friesen Vineyards, \$49.00
- **Augusta Vin Winery**, 2021, Texas Hill Country, \$43.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, \$43.00
- **Yellow House Cellars**, 2022, Texas High Plains, \$42.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Clarksburg, \$44.00
- **Pedernales Cellars**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Lahey Vineyards, \$45.00
- **Reustle Prayer Rock Vineyards**, 2021, Umpqua Valley, Winemakers Reserve, \$48.00
- **Messina Hof Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Paulo, \$60.00
- **Red Lily Vineyards**, 2020, Applegate Valley, Thin Line, \$50.00
- **Schmidt Family Vineyards**, 2021, Applegate Valley, Reserve, \$45.00
- **Chateau Tumbleweed**, 2021, Willcox, Cimarron Vineyard, \$50.00
- **2156 Estate Vineyard**, 2020, South Coast, Estate Grown, \$46.00
- **Fletcher Bay Winery**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, \$48.00

CHARBONO

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Lewis Grace**, 2021, Amador County, \$37.00

GOLD

- **Boeger Winery**, 2020, El Dorado, \$30.00
- **Heritage Oak**, 2017, Lodi, Estate, \$28.00

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2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Peltier Winery & Vineyards**, 2017, Lodi, Schatz Family Estate Reserve, \$60.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Silt Wine Company**, 2020, Clarksburg, \$38.00
- **Urban Legend**, 2019, Clarksburg, \$36.00
- **Wolff Vineyards**, 2022, Edna Valley, Italian Variety, \$39.00
- **Bogle Family Vineyards**, 2019, Suisun Valley, \$25.00
- **Amador Cellars**, 2020, Amador County, Breitmeyer Vineyard, \$45.00

GOLD

- **7 Vines Vineyard**, 2021, Clarksburg, \$36.00
- **Montoliva Vineyard & Winery**, 2019, Chicago Park, \$40.00

**RED NATIVES/
HYBRID VARIETALS**
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Hocking Hills Winery**, NV, Ohio, Leon Millot, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Hocking Hills Winery**, 2022, Ohio, Marquette, \$26.99
- **TerraVox**, 2021, Missouri, Lot 3, Norton, \$35.00
- **Everly Farms**, 2022, American, Marquette, \$29.00

GOLD

- **The Skeleton Root**, 2019, Ohio River Valley, Norton, \$35.00
- **Laughing Otter Winery**, 2021, Minnesota, Marquette, \$22.00
- **Jolo Vineyards**, 2022, North Carolina, Crimson Creek, Chambourcin, \$42.00
- **Hocking Hills Winery**, 2022, Ohio, Frontenac, \$28.99

**ALL OTHER
RED VARIETALS**
2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Lodi, Mokelumne Glen Vineyards, Dornfelder, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, Rosa del Peru, \$36.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2021, Lodi, St. Jorge Vineyard, Trincadeira, \$40.00
- **Lewis Grace**, 2021, El Dorado, Souzao, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Alapay**, 2022, Santa Barbara County, 12:01 Any time after noon, Cinsault, \$38.00
- **Alapay**, 2022, San Luis Obispo County, French Camp Vineyard, Valdiguie, \$39.00
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2022, Monterey County, Wildflower, Valdiguie, \$13.00
- **Jeff Runquist**, 2021, Alta Mesa, Silvaspoons Vineyard, Alvarelhao, \$29.00
- **Balistreri Vineyards**, 2022, American, Souzao, \$36.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, Souzao, \$62.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, San Francisco Bay, Rosa del Peru, \$36.00
- **Osprey Vineyards**, 2020, Big Valley District, Hindcite Red, Nero d'Avola, \$22.00

**RED BLEND
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
LEADING BLEND
Up to \$29.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cinnabar Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, California, Mercury Rising, \$26.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **R Vineyards**, 2020, Lake County, Red Wine - Russell Rocks, \$26.00

GOLD

- **Gravel Bar**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Alluvial Red Blend, \$20.99
- **Fowler Wine**, 2021, American, Meritage, \$23.99
- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Pure Paso, Hilltop, \$27.00
- **Girasole Vineyards**, 2021, Mendocino County, Charlies Blend, \$18.00
- **Darcie Kent Vineyards**, 2021, San Francisco Bay, Firepit Red Wine, Red Blend, \$24.00
- **Old Soul**, 2021, Lodi, Folklore, \$16.00

**RED BLEND
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
LEADING BLEND
\$30.00 - \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Roth Estate**, 2021, Sonoma County, Heritage Red, \$38.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Kirigin Cellars**, NV, Santa Clara County, Owners Reserve 109, \$36.90
- **Jolo Vineyards**, 2022, North Carolina, Jolotage, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Grant Marie Winery**, 2018, North Yuba, Raydar Red, \$35.00
- **Di Arie**, 2020, Shenandoah Valley, Proprietors Blend, \$39.00
- **Merriam Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Red Blend, \$38.00
- **Larson Family Winery**, 2021, Sonoma County, Meritage, \$39.99
- **Le Mulet Rouge Vineyard and Winery**, 2017, Fiddletown, Liberte, \$34.00
- **Paoletti Estate Winery**, 2021, Calistoga, Piccolo Cru, \$38.00
- **Hogback**, 2020, Grand Valley, BDX - Reserve, \$35.00
- **Wautoma Springs**, 2021, Columbia Valley, El Prat Red Blend, \$30.00

**RED BLEND
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
LEADING BLEND
\$40.00 - \$47.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Whalebone**, 2021, California, Rancho Deluxe, Red Blend, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Jaxon Keys**, 2021, Dry Creek Valley, Burnee Hill, \$40.00
- **Whalebone**, 2021, California, Bonafire, Red Blend, \$40.00
- **Whalebone**, 2021, California, Bob Wine, Red Blend, \$40.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, El Loco Rojo, \$44.00
- **Cliff Creek Cellars**, 2019, Rogue Valley, Claret, \$40.00
- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Boar D eaux, \$40.00
- **Peltier Winery & Vineyards**, 2021, Lodi, Estate Signature, Triomphe, \$40.00
- **Tom Mackey Cellars**, 2021, Sonoma Valley, Sirius, Sirius Red Wine, \$40.00

- **Silvara Cellars**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Woodland Goddess, Woodland Goddess Red Wine Blend, \$40.00

- **P & V Winery**, 2020, Santa Clara County, Aram, \$40.00

- **Stray Leaves**, 2020, Tehachapi Mountains, Single Vineyard Tehachapi Blend, Red Blend, \$45.00

- **Lost Sierra Wine Co.**, 2022, Sonoma County, 56% Sonoma County; 37% Napa County; 7% Mendocino County, Red Blend / Elevation, \$45.00

GOLD

- **Thal Vineyards**, 2021, Lamorinda, Lilies Blend, Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot, \$40.00
- **Ron Yates**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Friesen Vineyards, Glad You Got To See Me, \$42.00

- **Fenestra**, 2019, Livermore Valley, Conjugation, Red Blend, \$40.00

- **Soda Rock**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Boar D eaux, \$40.00

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma County, Atwood Ranch & Javier Reserve, CabShiraz, \$46.00

- **Doukenie Winery**, 2020, Virginia; Loudoun County, Vintners Reserve, \$47.00

- **Lemon Creek**, 2020, Lake Michigan Shore, Reserve, Meritage, \$42.00

- **Spicewood Vineyards**, 2020, Texas High Plains, The Independence, The Independence, \$43.00

- **Picchetti Winery**, 2019, California, Red Pavone, \$42.95

**RED BLEND
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
LEADING BLEND
\$48.00 - \$60.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **MEA Wine**, 2020, Adelaida District, Vision, \$52.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Invention Vineyards**, 2021, Texas, LB, \$54.00

- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Cuvee PAU, \$50.00

- **L'Ecole No 41**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Seven Hills Vineyard, Perigee; Estate, \$60.00

- **Preferred Stock**, NV, Napa Valley, Napa Valley Meritage, \$49.95

- **West**, 2017, Dry Creek Valley, Crest Cuvee, \$48.00

GOLD

- **Le Vigne Estate**, 2021, Paso Robles, Nikiara, \$54.00

- **Benziger Family Winery**, 2020, Sonoma Valley, Oonapais, \$55.00

- **Pear Valley**, 2021, Paso Robles, Geneseo District, Red Blend \$54.00

- **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Russian River Valley, The Sage, \$60.00

- **Picchetti Winery**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, Vino di Vicino, \$56.95

- **Ancient Peaks Winery**, 2020, Santa Margarita Ranch, Oyster Ridge, \$60.00

- **Cinquain Cellars**, 2019, Paso Robles, Nagengast Estate Vineyard Prose, Red Blend Cab Sauv leading, \$60.00

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Winemaker Series; Lock Vineyard, Intonation, \$59.00

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2018, Sonoma County, Winemakers Reserve - Francievic Series, Meritage, \$48.00

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Sonoma County, Francievic Series, Meritage, \$48.00

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, Cab Shiraz, \$55.00

- **Vinyl Vineyards**, 2021, Adelaida District, Self-Titled, \$48.00

- **L'Ecole No 41**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Pepper Bridge Vineyard, Apogee, \$60.00

- **Coyote Canyon**, 2020, Horse Heaven Hills, Bozak Red, Meritage, \$59.00

- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2019, Texas High Plains, Sinistra, \$49.00

**RED BLEND
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
LEADING BLEND
\$61.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **St. Francis**, 2021, Sonoma County, Artisan Collection, Cuvee Lago Red Wine, \$72.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ehret Family Winery**, 2020, Knights Valley, Bavarian Lion Vineyards, Hillside Reserve Red Wine, \$125.00

- **Priest Ranch**, 2019, Napa Valley, Peacemaker, \$90.00

- **Brian Arden Vineyards & Wines**, 2019, Napa Valley, Cru 50/50, \$125.00

- **C-47**, 2019, Santa Cruz Mountains, C-47 Cabernet Sauvignon / Cabernet Franc / Merlot, \$110.00

- **V. Sattui Winery**, 2021, Napa Valley, Paradiso Bordeaux Blend, \$110.00

- **Paris Valley Road Estate Winery**, 2019, Paso Robles, Le Rendez-Vous, \$72.00

- **Davis Family Vineyards**, 2021, Sonoma County, Rockpile Ridge, Cab Five, \$65.00

GOLD

- **Muscardini Cellars**, 2019, California, Red Blend, \$75.00

- **Bitner Vineyards**, 2017, Snake River Valley, Estate, Terrosa, \$65.00

- **Lorimar Winery**, 2020, California, Meritage, \$62.00

- **Priest Ranch**, 2019, Napa Valley, Remedy, \$85.00

- **Dry Creek Vineyard**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Meritage Alluvial Gap, \$72.00

- **Illustrious**, 2020, Mt Veeder, Reserve, Red Blend, \$69.99

- **JOLO Winery & Vineyards**, 2022, North Carolina, Cuvee, \$74.00

- **Stray Leaves**, 2018, Tehachapi Mountains, Red Blend, \$75.00

- **Rowen Wine Company**, 2018, Sonoma County, Rowen, \$70.00

- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2018, Alexander Valley, Symmetry, \$70.00

**RED BLEND
MERLOT
LEADING BLEND
Up to \$39.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Cinder**, 2021, Snake River Valley, Valentina, \$35.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ripsey Family Vineyards**, NV, Napa, The Crossing Batch #5, \$35.00

GOLD

- **The Mill Keeper**, 2021, California, Red Wine, \$26.00

- **Eco Terreno Wines & Vineyards**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Empowering Education Red Wine, \$22.00

- **Fowler Wine**, 2021, American, MMCS, Meritage, \$23.99

- **Fowler Wine**, 2021, American, Meritage Dual Blend, \$23.99

- **Jones von Drehle**, 2019, Yackin Valley, Rock and Rail, \$34.00

- **Rodney Strong Vineyards**, 2021, Sonoma County, Sonoma County Red Blend, \$25.00

- **Alexander Valley Vineyards**, 2020, Alexander Valley, Homestead Red Blend, \$24.00

- **Victor Hugo**, 2020, Paso Robles; Templeton Gap District, Opulence, Opulence, \$38.00

- **Harry & David Vineyards**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Red Blend, \$21.99

- **Cape May Winery**, 2021, Outer Coastal Plain, Red Field Blend, \$35.00

**RED BLEND
MERLOT
LEADING BLEND
\$40.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Scalon Cellars**, 2019, Coombsville, Priority, Priority Red Blend, \$75.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **LVE: Legend Vineyard Exclusive**, 2021, Napa Valley, Red Wine, \$75.00

- **Provenance Vineyards**, 2018, Napa Valley, Deadeye, Red Wine Blend, \$54.99

- **Kunde Family Winery**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, Meritage, \$50.00

- **Corner 103**, 2020, Sonoma County, Allure, \$60.00

- **Jaclynn Renee Wines**, 2019, Dry Creek Valley, Franklins Blend, \$52.00

- **Effingham**, 2020, Virginia, Kings Ransom, \$44.00

- **J. Lohr Vineyards & Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Cuvee POM, \$50.00

- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, The Captain, \$48.00

- **Pollak Vineyards**, 2021, Monticello, Meritage, \$45.00

- **Tsilian Cellars**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Bellissima Rossa, \$44.00

- **Crystal Basin Cellars**, 2020, El Dorado, Triumphant, \$50.00

GOLD

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Ensemble, \$56.00

- **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2020, Santa Maria Valley, Cellar Select Meritage, \$40.00

- **Fifth Hill**, 2021, Sonoma Mountain, Pickberry, \$55.00

- **Carruth Cellars**, 2018, North Coast, BDX Blend, \$64.00

- **Corner 103**, 2020, Sonoma County, Corner Cuvee, \$60.00

- **Invention Vineyards**, 2021, Texas High Plains, RB, \$49.00

- **Adega Vinho**, 2020, Texas Hill Country, Cuvee Carmesim, \$65.00

- **Annadel Estate Winery**, 2019, Sonoma Valley, Chevy B Blend, \$67.00

- **Moose Mountain Vineyards**, 2020, Santa Clara Valley, Prodigal Son, \$50.00

- **Langtry**, 2021, Lake County, Tephra Ridge Old Soldier Road, Proprietary Red Blend, \$48.00

**RED BLEND
SYRAH
LEADING BLEND
Up to \$35.99
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Miraflores Winery**, 2020, El Dorado, Estate Clone 877.4.369.362, \$34.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Turkovich Family Wines**, 2021, Yolo County, Syrah-Viognier, \$32.00

- **Rellik Winery**, NV, Applegate Valley, Three Eyed Raven Lot 4, \$35.00

GOLD

- **Meadow View Winery**, 2020, Lamorinda, Mary Leighs Blend, \$30.00

- **Chateau Tumbleweed**, 2021, Willcox, Dr. Ron Bot, \$30.00

- **Cellardoor Winery**, 2018, American, Aurora, \$25.00

- **Helwig Winery**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, Gold Country Red, \$18.00

- **Ancient Peaks Winery**, 2021, Santa Margarita Ranch, Renegade, \$26.00

**RED BLEND
SYRAH
LEADING BLEND
\$36.00 and Over
2024 AWARD WINNERS**

BEST OF CLASS

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Rendition, \$54.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Pear Valley**, 2021, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Red Blend, \$42.00
- **La Mesa**, 2020, Amador County, Estate Reserve, Tierra, \$45.00
- **McClain Cellars**, 2020, Santa Ynez, Quiet Storm, \$65.00
- **Quiddity Wines**, 2021, Columbia Valley, AMORE, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Singing Water Vineyards**, NV, American, Freedom, Freedom, \$48.00
- **Triassic Vineyards**, 2020, Tehachapi Mountains, Estate, Triassic Rocks, \$45.00
- **MEA Wine**, 2020, Adelaida District, Pintura, \$55.00
- **2156 Estate Vineyard**, 2020, South Coast, Syrah - Grenache, \$52.00
- **Sea Shell Cellars**, 2021, Paso Robles, Estate Cuvee, \$56.00
- **L'Ecole No 41**, 2021, Walla Walla Valley, Estate Seven Hills Vineyard, Syrah, \$42.00
- **Sextant**, 2020, El Pomar District, Passage, Rhone Blend, \$48.00
- **Wente Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Artist Series, Serenity, \$55.00
- **Page Mill Winery**, 2021, Livermore Valley, GPS, \$38.00
- **Brecon Estate**, 2021, Adelaida District, Reserve, Haggis Basher, \$86.00

RED BLEND ZINFANDEL LEADING BLEND Up to \$24.99

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Mettler Family Vineyards**, NV, Lodi, Copacetic, \$19.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **OPR**, 2021, California, Red Blend, \$15.00

GOLD

- **Wine Without Borders**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Wine Without Borders Field Blend, \$24.00
- **7 Deadly**, 2020, Lodi, 7 Deadly Red, \$15.99
- **Charles Woodson's Intercept**, 2020, Paso Robles, Red Blend, \$19.99

RED BLEND ZINFANDEL LEADING BLEND \$25.00 and Over

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Old 44 Cellars**, 2020, Manton Valley, Blue Ridge Red, \$30.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Wilson of Dry Creek**, 2020, Sonoma County, Coyote Burning Man Red, Red Blend, \$38.00
- **Homefire of Sonoma**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Berry Farm, \$25.00

GOLD

- **Carruth Cellars**, 2019, North Coast, The Unicorn Blend, \$36.00
- **Tres Sabores**, 2021, California, Por Que No?, \$38.00
- **Pezzi King**, 2020, Dry Creek Valley, Three Kings Red Blend, \$38.00
- **Shale Oak Winery**, 2021, Willow Creek, Ku, \$65.00
- **Element 79 Vineyards**, 2020, Fair Play, Estate Blend, Alloy, \$35.00
- **Sextant**, 2020, El Pomar District, Night Watch Proprietary, Red Blend, \$56.00
- **Triassic Vineyards**, 2020, California, Big Bang, Big Bang, \$48.00

RED BLEND CABERNET FRANC LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Jackson Hole Winery**, 2021, American, Rendezvous Red, \$38.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **JUSTIN Vineyards & Winery**, 2021, Paso Robles, JUSTIFICATION, \$65.00

GOLD

- **McGrail Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Lucky 8 Vineyard, Shamus Patrick Red Blend, \$46.00
- **Veritas**, 2019, Monticello, Red Blend, \$45.00
- **Burntshirt Vineyards**, NV, Crest of the Blue Ridge Henderson County, Meritage, \$37.00
- **Bumgarner Winery**, 2020, El Dorado, Many Hands, \$45.00

RED BLEND PETIT VERDOT LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Frogtown Cellars**, 2019, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Clos Primavera Grandeur, \$58.99

GOLD

- **Matchbook**, 2020, Dunnigan Hills, The Arsonist, Red Blend, \$22.00
- **Arndt Cellars**, 2019, Paso Robles, Clubhouse, \$56.00

RED BLEND MALBEC LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Greenwood Ridge Vineyards**, 2021, Sonoma County, Dragon Red, \$20.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Ecluse Wines**, 2021, Paso Robles, Insider, \$59.00
- **Eleven**, 2021, Washington, La Ronde, \$40.00
- **Boatique Wines**, 2020, Red Hills Lake County, Runabout Red Blend, \$60.00

GOLD

- **Henry Earl Estates**, 2020, Candy Mountain, Candy Lane Red Blend, \$30.00
- **Corner 103**, 2020, Sonoma County, Inspiration, \$75.00
- **Becker Vineyards**, 2020, Texas, Ranger Hays, \$50.00

RED BLEND PETITE SIRAH LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Delacy**, 2021, Santa Clara Valley, Adeline, \$34.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **1764 Vineyards**, 2021, Willcox, 8 Years Later Red Bend, \$30.00
- **The Clink**, 2022, California, Red Blend, \$18.99

GOLD

- **Old 44 Cellars**, 2020, Manton Valley, Hommage a John, \$30.00
- **Dante Robere Vineyards**, 2020, Livermore Valley, Sukys Syrah, \$42.00
- **Husch Vineyards**, 2022, Mendocino, Garzini Ranch, Old Vines Heritage, \$30.00
- **AronHill Vineyards**, NV, Paso Robles, Quatre Melanges, \$49.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Nox, \$39.00
- **William Gregory Winery**, 2019, Alexander Valley, HillSide Blend, \$38.00
- **American Vintage**, 2021, California, Red Wine, \$20.00
- **Invention Vineyards**, 2021, American, P2 P-Squared, \$58.00

RED BLEND GRENACHE LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **McClain Cellars**, 2021, Santa Ynez Valley, Risk Taker, \$94.00

GOLD

- **Brooks Note**, 2021, Central Coast, Red Blend, \$42.00
- **Kobler Estate Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Appellation Collection, Cuvee of the River, \$60.00
- **Cass Winery**, 2020, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Rockin Ted, \$75.00
- **Wood Family Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, GSM, \$38.00
- **Cru Winery**, 2021, Paso Robles, GSM, \$25.00
- **Mikami Vineyards**, 2021, Lodi, GSM Red Wine Blend, \$42.00
- **Cellardoor Winery**, 2018, American, Sur la Riviere, \$24.00
- **Pedernales Cellars**, 2020, Texas, GSM Melange, \$26.00
- **Amphora**, 2019, Sonoma County, GSM, \$44.00
- **Speckle Rock Vineyards**, 2020, San Diego County, Talylnu, \$45.00
- **Ab Astris Winery**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Avignon, \$40.00

RED BLEND MOURVEDRE LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Hawkins Cellars**, 2022, Yakima Valley, Red Blend, \$42.00

GOLD

- **Hilmy Cellars**, 2019, Texas High Plains, Politics & Religion, \$42.00
- **Amador Cellars**, 2019, Shenandoah Valley, Cuvee des Sierras, \$42.00
- **Shale Oak Winery**, 2021, Paso Robles, Chi, \$65.00
- **Pillsbury Wine Company**, 2021, Cochise County, Roan Red, \$35.00
- **Aimee June Winery**, 2021, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Minerality, \$22.00

RED BLEND TEMPRANILLO LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Eden Hill Vineyard**, 2021, Texas High Plains, Reddy Vineyards, Divine Red, \$37.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, North Coast, Reserve, TGC, \$70.00
- **Propaganda Wine Co.**, NV, San Diego County, Toro, \$45.00

- **Eden Hill Vineyard**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Good Texan, \$48.00

GOLD

- **Carter Creek Family Winery**, NV, Texas High Plains, Group Therapy, \$49.00
- **Frogtown Cellars**, 2019, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Clos Primavera Imprimatur, \$58.99
- **Bokisch Vineyards**, 2017, Lodi, Reserva Spanish Blend, \$39.00
- **Sea Shell Cellars**, 2021, Paso Robles, Surf Balboa, \$35.00

RED BLEND SANGIOVESE LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Denier-Handal Vineyards**, NV, North Coast, Ottant anni, \$50.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Rancho Sisquoc**, 2021, Santa Maria Valley, Tre Vini, \$32.00
- **Montoliva Vineyard & Winery**, 2021, Chicago Park, Due Baci, \$35.00
- **Shenandoah Vineyards**, 2021, Amador County, Zingiovese, \$20.00
- **Crystal Basin Cellars**, 2020, El Dorado, Campione, \$50.00
- **Muscardini Cellars**, 2019, California, Red Blend, \$62.00
- **Carter Creek Family Winery**, 2022, Texas High Plains, Plateau Red, \$45.00
- **Invention Vineyards**, 2021, Texas, Soleluce, \$52.00
- **Ferrari-Carano**, 2021, Sonoma County, Siena, \$26.00

GOLD

- **Robert Renzoni Vineyards and Winery**, 2020, Temecula Valley, Fiore di Fano, \$85.00
- **Rancho Roble Vineyards**, 2022, California, Red Wine Blend, \$32.00
- **North Coast Wine Club**, 2021, Suisun Valley, Nem Todum, \$24.00
- **La Storia**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Cuvee 32, Red Blend, \$32.00
- **J. Rickards Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Bettinos Blend - Red Wine, \$37.00
- **Oak Farm Vineyards**, 2019, Lodi, Raffaele, \$42.00
- **Denier-Handal Vineyards**, 2019, North Coast, Don Angelo, \$33.00
- **Denier-Handal Vineyards**, 2020, North Coast, Family Blend, \$33.00
- **Laissez Faire**, 2022, Snake River Valley, Red Wine, \$24.00

RED BLEND BARBERA LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, Amador County, Zemljias Blend, \$40.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2019, Clarksburg, Heringer Vineyards, Zemljias Blend, \$40.00

GOLD

- **Di Arie**, 2019, Sierra Foothills, Hikaru Red Blend The Sushi Wine, \$25.00

RED BLEND CARIGNANE; GRAZIANO OR TANNAT LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Christopher Cellars**, 2022, Lodi, Grand Cuvee, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2020, San Francisco Bay, Chateau la Sunce, \$45.00
- **Las Positas Vineyards**, 2019, Livermore Valley, Coccineous, \$60.00

RED BLEND RED NATIVE/HYBRID LEADING BLEND

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Sovereign Estate**, 2021, Minnesota, Marquette Reserve, \$33.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Crane Creek Vineyards**, 2022, Upper Hiwassee Highlands, Hellbender, \$48.50
- **The Holotype Wine Co.**, 2019, Shawnee Hills, Morchella, \$30.00

GOLD

- **Axebridge Wine Company**, 2021, Minnesota, Mill City Red, \$36.00

ALL OTHER RED BLENDS \$35.00 AND OVER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Matrix Winery**, 2021, Russian River Valley, Bacigalupi, Red Blend, \$45.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Signor Vineyards**, 2020, Rogue Valley, Mozzafiato, \$48.00

GOLD

- **Elk Haven Winery**, 2021, Columbia Valley, Mentor and Friend, \$58.00
- **Winery at La Grange**, 2021, American, Apparition, \$55.00
- **Pear Valley**, 2021, Paso Robles Geneseo District, Red Blend, \$38.00
- **Eleven**, 2021, Washington State, Lemma, \$40.00
- **Nello Olivo Wines**, 2021, El Dorado, Toscanello, \$65.00
- **Vina Moda**, 2021, Sierra Foothills, Phoenix, Phoenix, \$40.00
- **McGrail Vineyards**, 2021, Livermore Valley, Lucky 8 Vineyard, Slainte Red Blend, \$39.00
- **Pedernales Cellars**, 2020, Texas High Plains, Valhalla, \$45.00
- **deLorimier Winery**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Als Red, \$44.00

**WHITE DESSERT/
LATE HARVEST
RS >3.5**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

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WINE COMPETITION**SPECIALTY
SWEEPSTAKE
AWARD WINNER****Arrington**VINEYARDS
2022 SWEET GEWURZTRAMINER
HONEYSUCKLE
AMERICAN, TN
\$25.00**DOUBLE GOLD**

- **Stone Hill Winery**, 2021, Hermann, Late Harvest Vignoles, \$34.00
- **Shady Lane Cellars**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, Estate, Late Harvest Riesling, \$22.00

GOLD

- **Ferrante Winery**, 2022, Grand River Valley, Vidal Ice Wine, \$32.99
- **Cellardoor Winery**, 2020, Maine, Late Harvest, \$25.00
- **Brick Barn Wine Estate**, 2020, Santa Ynez Valley, Late Harvest Viognier, \$38.00
- **Dancing Dragonfly Winery**, 2020, Wisconsin, Hula, \$48.00

- **Barboursville Vineyards**, 2019, Virginia, Paxxito, \$40.00
- **Good Harbor Vineyards**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, Riesling, \$17.00
- **Navarro Vineyards**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Cluster Select, Riesling, \$39.00
- **Verterra Winery**, 2022, Leelanau Peninsula, Late Harvest, Late Harvest Vignoles, \$22.00

**RED DESSERT
RS >3.5**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Heringer Estates**, 2020, Clarksburg, Reserve, Late Harvest Tannat, \$35.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Elysium**, 2021, California, Black Muscat, \$23.99

GOLD

- **Domenico Winery**, NV, San Mateo County, Black Silk, \$34.00

**ORANGE WINE/
SKIN FERMENED
WINE**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Bella Grace Vineyards**, 2022, Amador County, Orange Muscat, \$28.00

FRUIT WINE

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Barefoot Fruitscato**, NV, American, Strawberry, \$6.99

SWEET RED

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Texas SouthWind Vineyard and Winery**, NV, American, Purple Rose Sweet Red Table Wine, \$20.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Barefoot Cellars**, NV, California, Red Moscato, \$6.99

GOLD

- **Electra**, 2022, California, Moscato, \$15.99
- **Salt of the Earth**, 2022, California, Moscato Rubino, Moscato Rubino, \$11.99

**PORT
Up to \$32.99**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Inner Sanctum Cellars**, 2015, Tuolumne County, OCHO, \$29.00

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Quady Winery**, NV, California, Starboard Batch 88, \$25.99
- **Sharrott Winery**, 2020, Outer Coastal Plain, Wicked (port style wine), \$30.00

GOLD

- **Leelanau Cellars**, NV, American, Blueberry Dessert Wine, \$25.00
- **Leelanau Cellars**, NV, American, Cherry Dessert Wine, \$20.00
- **Leelanau Cellars**, NV, American, Raspberry Dessert Wine, \$20.00
- **Rosa Fierro Cellars**, 2022, Livermore Valley, Ziganti Vineyard, Abuelita, \$30.00

**PORT
\$33.00 and Over**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

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WINE COMPETITION**SPECIALTY
SWEEPSTAKE
AWARD WINNER****Cinquain**CELLARS
2013 TOURIGA & TINTO CAO
DESSERT WINE
NAGENAEST ESTATE VINEYARD
PASO ROBLES, CA
\$100.00**DOUBLE GOLD**

- **Quady Winery**, NV, California, Starboard Batch 88, \$25.99
- **Yonah Mountain Vineyards**, 2017, Lake County/ Amador County/ Mendocino County, Dessert Wine, Steamboat 2017, \$70.00

- **Jeff Runquist**, 2021, Amador County, Peroni Ranch, Sisney, \$40.00

- **Legato**, NV, American, Sojourn, Sojourn, \$50.00
- **Pedroncelli**, 2018, Dry Creek Valley, Four Grapes Vintage Port, \$39.00

GOLD

- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2018, San Francisco Bay, Sandy Lane Vineyard, Sweet Zora Mourvedre, \$34.00
- **Sunce Winery & Vineyard**, 2014, Russian River Valley, Cattich Vineyard, Sweet Zora Zinfandel \$30.00

- **Prager Winery & Port Works**, 2020, Napa Valley, Royal Escort Port, Royal Escort Port, \$85.00

- **Prager Winery & Port Works**, NV, Napa Valley, 10-Year-Old Tawny Port, Noble Companion, \$85.00

- **Maragas Winery**, 2015, Oregon, Porto Greco, \$45.00

- **Picchetti Winery**, 2020, California, Port, \$52.95

**DISTILLED/
FORTIFIED**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Vya**, NV, California, Sweet, Vermouth, \$23.99

DOUBLE GOLD

- **Kirigin Cellars**, NV, California, Vino de Mocca, \$22.90
- **L'Apero les Trois**, NV, Yolo County, Meyer Lemon Aperitif, \$40.00
- **L'Apero les Trois**, NV, Yolo County, Rosemary Orange Aperitif, \$40.00

GOLD

- **L'Apero les Trois**, NV, Yolo County, Black Mission Fig Aperitif, \$40.00
- **Stone Hill Winery**, NV, Missouri, Cream Sherry, \$38.00
- **L'Apero les Trois**, NV, Yolo County, Blenheim Apricot Aperitif, \$40.00

CULINARY CIDER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Gowans Heirloom Cider**, NV, Anderson Valley, 1876 Heirloom Cider, \$11.99

FRUIT CIDER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Ponderosa Cider Co.**, NV, Placer County, Pineapple Crush, \$4.00

VARIETAL CIDER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Portland Cider Company**, NV, Oregon, Original Gold, Cider, \$13.50

WOOD AGED CIDER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

GOLD

- **Gowans Heirloom Cider**, NV, Anderson Valley, Rose Cider, \$12.99

ALL OTHER CIDER

2024 AWARD WINNERS

GOLD

- **Gowans Heirloom Cider**, NV, Anderson Valley, Spiced Apple Cider, \$11.99

**MIXED CATEGORY
MEAD**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

GOLD

- **BARGETTO WINERY/
CHAUCER'S CELLARS**, NV, Santa Cruz Mountains, Chaucers Raspberry Mead, \$16.00

**CANS
WHITE; RED; ROSE;
OTHER**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Just Enough Wines**, 2022, California, Rose, \$6.99

GOLD

- **LJ Crafted Wines**, 2021, Alexander Valley, Hoot Owl Ranch, Zinfandel, \$35.00
- **LJ Crafted Wines**, 2022, Napa, Chardonnay, \$35.00
- **Maker Wine Company**, 2022, Clements Hills, Skin Contact Vermentino, \$9.00
- **Maker Wine Company**, 2021, Cienega Valley, Cabernet Pfeffer, \$12.00
- **SHE CAN**, NV, California, Crisp White, \$5.99
- **Maker Wine Company**, 2022, Anderson Valley, Pinot Noir, \$12.00

**NON-ALCOHOLIC
WINES**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **One of One**, NV, California, Sparkling White Wine, \$24.99

GOLD

- **Kally**, NV, Alexander Valley, Rose Sparkler, \$39.99

**PACKAGING
MINIMAL**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Barra**, 2021, Mendocino, Estate Reserve, Cabernet Sauvignon, \$28.00

**PACKAGING
MODERN**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Crossbarn**, 2021, Napa Valley, Cabernet Sauvignon, \$20.00

**PACKAGING
ABSTRACT ART**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Project amp**, 2022, California, The GOAT Zinfandel, \$38.00

**PACKAGING
WHIMSICAL**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Acidity Trip**, 2022, Sonoma County, Sauvignon Blanc, \$18.00

**PACKAGING
SURFACE DESIGNS**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

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WINE COMPETITION**PACKAGING
SWEEPSTAKE
AWARD WINNER****Blair**ESTATE
2020 MUSCAT OTTONEL
ARROYO SECO, CA
\$75.00**GOLD**

- **Anthony Anderson Selections**, 2019, Oakville, Napa Valley, Malbec, \$80.00

**PACKAGING
SERIES**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Adobe Road Winery**, NV, California, The Racing Series - 6 Bottle Gift Set, \$575.00

**PACKAGING
ALTERNATIVE
PACKAGING
OTHER THAN GLASS**

2024 AWARD WINNERS

BEST OF CLASS

- **Juliet**, 2022, Edna Valley, Juliet Dry Rose, \$34.99

GOLD

- **Juliet**, 2022, Central Coast, Chardonnay, \$34.99
- **Juliet**, 2022, Central Coast, Cabernet Sauvignon, \$34.99
- **Juliet**, 2022, Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara, Sauvignon Blanc, \$34.99

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