

MEDIA ROUND-UP

"Perseverance, dedication to excellence and the spirit of creativity have allowed six generations of my family to thrive despite earthquakes, Prohibition, and disco. We work on our farm, cultivating vineyards planted by my great-great-grandfather over 160 years ago. We are the Sonoma original." – Jeff Bundschu



2019 GEWÜRZTRAMINER

93
POINTS

Best 50 Wines of 2020

"... like honey and pears and a bouquet of white flowers, with flecks of white pepper. It has an awesome, frothy, vibrant palate that is crazy balanced. This wine, with a spicy pad Thai or vindaloo, would be divine..."

- Vinepair

2018 CHARDONNAY

90
POINTS

Wine Enthusiast

**DOUBLE
GOLD**
Sunset Magazine
International Wine
Competition

"The 2018 Chardonnay is a charming, delicious effort with plenty of golden orchard fruits, a touch of brioche and honeysuckle, medium-bodied richness, and good acidity, all making for an easy-drinking, enjoyable Chardonnay. It's also a solid value."

- Jeb Dunnuck

2018 MERLOT

91
POINTS

Wine Enthusiast

"With small additions of Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc, this savory, well-made wine is robust in dried herb, tobacco, tar and earth, with notes of sage beckoning in the background. A black cherry flavor complements the moderate tanning and oak accents."

- Virginie Boone

2018 MOUNTAIN CUVÉE

91
POINTS

"... a soft and deep palate with plush fruit framed by prominent tannins. This bottle won't weigh you down, but is not shy about its personality. It's the kind of wine that will please a crowd, match a meal, or sit and chill with you and some snacks."

- Vinepair

EDITOR'S CHOICE Wine Enthusiast

"... another solid value and has a juicy, lively style, good balance, and a clean finish. It also shows the more focused, Old World style that's common in Bordeaux blends from Sonoma."

- James Suckling

2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

92
POINTS

Year's Best Cabernet

"...The texture is lush and generous, the finish perfumed with notes of beeswax and ripe cranberries, along with chocolate-rich oak that brings it to the present day..."

- Wine and Spirits

"...crème de cassis, black cherry jam, dried herbs and cedar with notions of dark earth, blackcurrant bud, warm red cherries and tobacco. The medium to full-bodied palate is powerful but elegant, with a firm, chalky frame and good freshness to lift the long finish..."

- Wine Advocate

2015 VINTAGE RESERVE

96
POINTS

"...a deep thread of ripe blackberries and plums, as well as mulberries. The oak adds plenty of sweet spice and the tannins are very well groomed. The 2015 vintage is doing great things here. Drink or hold."

- James Suckling

"...deep, layered, yet seamless profile...it doesn't lack for tannin or structure, yet it's beautifully balanced and has an awesome finish. This is an incredibly classic, old-school Cabernet Sauvignon that's going to hit maturity around age 6-8 and cruise for two decades or more."

- Jeb Dunnuck

VIVINO
Top rated year
for this wine!