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# Recent Press & What's New

# **Wine** Spirits

92 points -	Pinot Noir, Ashley's, Sta. Rita Hills, 2017
91 points -	Pinot Noir, Parker West, Sta. Rita Hills, 2017
91 points -	Pinot Noir, Clone 115,
90 points -	Sta. Rita Hills, 2017 Pinot Noir, Sanford &
yo points	Benedict Vineyard,
	Sta. Rita Hills, 2017
90 points -	Pinot Noir, Older Barrels,
	Sta. Rita Hills, 2017
90 points -	Pinot Noir, Pommard Clone,
	Sta. Rita Hills, 2017



# **WINE ENTHUSIAST**

91 points -	Addendum Cabernet Sauvignon,
	Stagecoach Vineyard, Atlas Peak, 2016
90 points -	Addendum Cabernet Sauvignon,
	Skellenger Lane, Rutherford, 2016
90 points -	Addendum Cabernet Sauvignon,
	Napa Valley, 2016



Samuel White sure has his great grandpa's hairline!

### Cans Really Are a Thing!

Our new cans are a portable, space efficient and delicious way to enjoy two of Epiphany's most popular wines. Each 375 ml can of the 2019 Grenache Rosé and Grenache Blanc is the equivalent of half a bottle. The hand drawn roses and California poppies are a fun (dare we say cute?) addition to your wine fridge or cooler. Look for them in the wine shop at fessparker.com.

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GRENACHE BLANC 2019

RODNEY'S VINEYARD

## The World of Parker



LIVING/DINING ROOM

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14' X 20'

### Calendar Kaput

W hile Tim and I were having a fabulous time pouring our wines at Charleston Wine & Food in early March we never dreamed that everything else on our spring travel and event calendar would be cancelled due to the COVID-19 health crisis. We are doing our best to be good citizens and employers, but these certainly are tough times for everyone.

Our plan is to reschedule the 2020 Release Day Weekend to August 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> but as you all can appreciate those dates may need to change again. We will of course let you know when we are permitted to reopen the tasting room to visitation. Please follow us on Instagram and Facebook @fessparkerwinery for all the latest information and special offers. In the meantime we wish all of you good health, patience and perseverance!

Sincerely,

Ashley, Tim & Eli

Liz Cooper, Ashley and Tim at Bin 152 in Charleston, SC

MASTER BEDROOM

BEDROOM

10'4" X 11

Planning your next wine tour made easy. (They say laughter is the best medicine.)

# Head Winemaker

Well, these are definitely some uncertain times we are living in at the moment! Luckily, we have wine to get us through it!

We are still hard at work in the winery with racking barrels and bottling wines. As I am typing this, we are bottling our 2018 reserve Pinot Noirs. The 2018 Pinot vintage is my favorite to date! It reminds me of the exquisite 2007 and 2012 vintages. It was a very cool, moderate vintage where flavors were able to develop, and we were able to leisurely harvest the grapes at the perfect ripeness. Very rarely is this the case anymore, and it was a breath of fresh air having



Blair Fox

is very feminine and elegant with fresh, bright acidity, beautiful texture and mouthwatering red fruit and spice. I am excited for you to taste these beautiful wines!

In the vineyard we are seeing our first budbreak with Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. We had a very small winter rainfall with only around 6 inches of rain and then came "miracle March," which more than doubled that. We needed the rain and it came at the perfect time! Hopefully Mother Nature continues to be kind to us in the vineyard and the COVID-19 scare is firmly in the rear-view mirror.

Best wishes, and stay safe and healthy!

Blair Fox, Head Winemaker

### THE INNSIDE SCOOP

The Sunny Side FTHE HILL

a vintage that compared to the best in the last 20 years! These 2018 Pinots are extraordinary, and I am excited for their release! We also have a new addition named "1971" from the Sanford and Benedict Vineyard in the Sta. Rita Hills. This wine comes from the original planting by Richard Sanford in 1971. The wine

While Santa Barbara is known the world around for its scenic beaches. Los Olivos has the edge come summer - when fog closes in along the coast and tourists experience Santa Barbara's dreaded "June Gloom." It's a great time of year to pop over to the sunny side of the hill – where the temperatures are toasty and just right for some outdoor activities such as bike rides, hiking, and wine tasting - of course!

Come visit us at the Inn this summer, in the heart of Los Olivos, and venture out to experience the "sunny side of the hill."

Please note: The Inn is temporarily closed due to the COVID-19 crisis. Please check the website for status updates.

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# Available Now

Prices subject to change. All of the wines listed below are available through our website at www.fessparker.com or for you traditionalists out there, through our tasting room at 800-841-1104.

Shipping is available to the following states only:

AK, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IA, KS, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, NC, NE, NH, NJ, NV, NY, NM, ND, OH, OR, SC, TN, TX, VA, VT, WA, WI, WV and WY

	RETAIL Bottle/Case	WINE CLUB Bottle/Case
2018 CHARDONNAY "Santa Barbara County"	\$19 / \$205.20	\$15.20 / \$182.40
2017 CHARDONNAY "Ashley's"		
2017 CHARDONNAY "Bien Nacido Vineyard"	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2017 CHARDONNAY "Sierra Madre Vineyard"	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2017 CHARDONNAY "Sanford & Benedict"	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2018 CHARDONNAY "Parker West Vineyard"	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2017 DRY RIESLING "Rodney's Vineyard"	\$25 / \$270.00	\$20.00 / \$240.00
2018 RIESLING "Santa Barbara County"		
2017 MARCELLA'S "Santa Barbara County"	\$20 / \$216.00	\$16.00 / \$192.00
2018 VIOGNIER "Santa Barbara County"	\$28 / \$302.40	\$22.40 / \$268.80
2017 VIOGNIER "Rodney's Vineyard" 2019 2018 PINOT NOIP "See Pite Hills" PINOT NOIR ROSÉ	\$37 / \$399.60	\$29.60 / \$355.20
2018 PINOT NOIR "Sta. Rita Hills" STA. RITA HILLS	\$30 / \$324.00	\$24.00 / \$288.00
2017 PINOT NOIR "Ashley's"		
2016 PINOT NOIR "Bien Nacido Vineyard"	\$58 / \$626.40	\$46.40 / \$556.80
2017 PINOT NOIR "Clone 115"	\$60 / \$648.00	\$48.00 / \$576.00
2017 PINOT NOIR "Fiddlestix"	\$60 / \$648.00	\$48.00 / \$576.00
2017 PINOT NOIR "Older Barrel"	\$58 / \$626.40	\$46.40 / \$556.80
2017 PINOT NOIR "Parker West Vineyard"	\$58 / \$626.40	\$46.40 / \$556.80
2017 PINOT NOIR "Pommard Clone"	\$58 / \$626.40	\$46.40 / \$556.80
2017 PINOT NOIR "Sanford & Benedict Vineyard"	\$60 / \$648.00	\$48.00 / \$576.00
2017 SYRAH "Santa Barbara County"	\$30 / \$324.00	\$24.00 / \$288.00
2017 SYRAH "Rodney's Vineyard"	\$54 / \$583.20	\$43.20 / \$518.40
2017 "THE BIG EASY"	\$35 / \$378.00	\$28.00 / \$336.00
2016 CROCKETT "Rodney's Vineyard"		SOLD OUT
FRONTIER RED "Lot 91"		
TRADITIONS "Port style wine" (500mL)	\$24 / \$259.20	\$19.20 / \$230.40
2009 FINALE "Sauternes style" (375mL)	\$30 / \$324.00	\$24.00 / \$288.00

Fess Parker Ashley's PINOT NOIR STA SITA HILLS 2017

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## In this Shipment

# Spring 2020 Wine Club

#### CHARTER CLUB

1 Red + 1 White Parker Family White, Santa Barbara County, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>30 Pinot Noir, Ashley's, Sta. Rita Hills, 2017 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Retail Price: <sup>\$</sup>90 Club Price: <sup>\$</sup>67.50

#### HERITAGE WHITE CLUB 2 Whites

Parker Family White, Santa Barbara County, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>30 Chardonnay, Sanford & Benedict, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>40 Retail Price: <sup>\$</sup>70 Club Price: <sup>\$</sup>52.50

#### HERITAGE RED CLUB

2 Reds Pinot Noir, Ashley's, Sta. Rita Hills, 2017 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Pinot Noir, Older Barrel, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Retail Price: <sup>\$</sup>120 Club Price: <sup>\$</sup>90

#### AUTOGRAPH CLUB

2 Reds + 2 Whites Parker Family White, Santa Barbara County, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>30 Chardonnay, Sanford & Benedict, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>40 Pinot Noir, Ashley's, Sta. Rita Hills, 2017 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Pinot Noir, Older Barrel, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Retail Price: <sup>\$</sup>190 Club Price: <sup>\$</sup>142.50

#### PARKER'S PINOT CLUB

6 Pinots Pinot Noir, Older Barrel, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Pinot Noir, Clone 115, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Pinot Noir, Pommard Clone, Sta. Rita Hills, 2018 - <sup>\$</sup>60 Retail Price: <sup>\$</sup>360 Club Price: <sup>\$</sup>270

Prices are subject to change and do not include shipping or taxes required by each state. If you are not receiving emails regarding shipping dates, tracking information, or special offers please email wineclub@fessparker.com and let us know.

### 2017 Ashley's Pinot Noir

Sta. Rita Hills

Vineyard Source:	100% from Ashley's Vineyard located in the Santa Rita Hills
Blocks:	1, W, 8B, T, 4A
Clone Selection:	Pommard, 115, 777, 667, 114
Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Harvest Date:	9/6/17 - 9/15/17
Harvest Brix:	23.3 - 26.2
Barrel Aging:	Aged 16 months in 100% French oak, of which 63% is new
Cooperage:	Ermitage, Mercurey, François Frères, Gillet
Alcohol:	14.1% alcohol by volume
pH:	3.58
T.A.:	0.622g/100m1
Production:	615 cases
Color: Fores	st floor Vanilla Tarragon

Color:	Forest floor
Ruby garnet	Cigar box
Aromas:	Red plum
Black cherry	Boysenberry
Sage	Cinnamon
Lavender	stick

### 2018 Sanford & Benedict Vineyard Chardonnay

Flavors:

Red plum

Baker's

Black cherry

chocolate

Vanilla

Clove

Nutmeg

Sta. Rita Hills

Vineyard Source:	100% Sanford & Benedict Vineyard located in the Sta. Rita Hills appellation
Blocks:	T4
Composition:	100% Chardonnay
Harvest Date:	10/22/18
Harvest Brix:	24.0
Barrel Aging:	100% barrel fermented and aged for 8 months in 33% new French oak
Cooperage:	Mercurey, François Frères
Alcohol:	14.1% alcohol by volume
pH:	3.17
T.A.:	0.696g/100m1
Production:	287 cases

Color:	Honey	Flavors:	Green Apple
Golden	Vanilla	Yellow	Pastry Crust
straw	Cinnamon	Peach	Vanilla
Aromas:	Butterscotch	Citrus	Toasty oak
Yellow apple	Touch of	Lemon	,
Pear	oak	Cream	

### 2018 Parker Family Reserve White

Santa Barbara County

100% Rodney's Vineyard from Fess Parker home ranch in the Santa Ynez Valley
O4, O2, K1, H
37% Vermentino, 32% Grenache Blanc, 21% Viognier, 11% Marsanne
9/19/18 - 10/18/18
21.0 - 25.6
100% barrel fermented & aged for 8 months in neutral French oak barrels
13.5% alcohol by volume
3.10
0.669g/100m1
467 cases

Color:	Pear	Pear
Straw	Vanilla	Apple
Aromas:	Honeysuckle	Vanilla
White flowers	Orange peel	Honeydew
Citrus	Flavors:	melon
Peach	Peach	Lemon cream

### 2018 Older Barrels Pinot Noir

Sta. Rita Hills

Vineyard Source		100% from Ashley's Vineyard in the Sta. Rita Hills appellation		
Blocks	: W, 4A	V, 4A, 1, T, 8B		
Clone Selection	: Pomm	Pommard, 667, 777, 115, 114		
Composition	: 100% F	inot Noir		
Harvest Date	: 9/14/	18 - 10/8/18		
Harvest Brix	: 23.5 - 2	25.1		
Barrel Aging	neutral	7 months in 1 4-year old a 1 oak barrels		
Cooperage		nge, Seguin N .e, Meyrieux,		
Alcohol	l: 14.1% a	lcohol by vo	lume	
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T.A.	: 0.578g	/100m1		
Production	: 291 cas	es		
Aromas: sp	la ing ices est floor	<b>Flavors:</b> Bing cherry Red currant Black plum	Vanilla Grilled sage Nutmeg	
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Baker's

chocolate

Receipts for Wine Club shipments are not included in the package due to time constraints. See cost per shipment under each Club Offering at left. The amount will show on your next credit card statement. For further information please call your Wine Club Coordinator, Elaina, directly at her toll free number 888-877-3335.

Raspberry

Red plum

Vanilla

Cigar box

# Upcoming Events

#### 2018 Pommard Clone Pinot Noir Sta. Rita Hills

Vineyard Source:	100% from Ashley's Vineyard in the Santa Rita Hills
Blocks:	W
Clone Selection:	Pommard
Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Harvest Date:	9/19/18 - 9/25/18
Harvest Brix:	24.2 - 25.1
Barrel Aging:	Aged 17 months in 100% French oak, of which 44% is new
Cooperage:	François Frères, Mercurey, Gillett
Alcohol:	14.3% alcohol by volume
pH:	3.67
T.A.:	0.554g/100m1
Bottling date:	2/28/19
Production:	

Color:	
Dark garnet	
Aromas:	
Black cherry	
Blackberry	
Black tea	

Forest floor Black cherry Baking spice Grilled Star anise herbs Flavors: Cranberry Black plum Baking spice

#### 2018 Clone 115 Pinot Noir Sta. Rita Hills

Currant

Vineyard Source:	100% from Ashley's Vineyard in the Santa Rita Hills
Blocks:	1
Clone Selection:	115
Composition:	100% Pinot Noir
Harvest Date:	9/14/18 - 9/26/18
Harvest Brix:	24.1 - 24.2
Barrel Aging:	Aged 17 months in 46% new French oak
Cooperage:	François Frères, Gillet, Mercurey, Meyrieux
Alcohol:	14.1% alcohol by volume
pH:	3.62
T.A.:	0.574g/100m1
Production:	492 cases

Color:	Chocolate	Flavors:	Earth
Garnet	Forest floor	Black cherry	Vanilla
Aromas:	Cigar box	Black	Milk
Red cherry	Cured tobacco	raspberry	chocolate
Raspberry	Clove	Gilled sage	Clove
Red plum	Cinnamon	Grilled plum	Cinnamon

### Music at Sunset

#### Dates:

Saturday, June 20, 2020 – The Reserve "Alt-Americana" Saturday, July 18, 2020 – The Just Dave Band "California County" Venue: Fess Parker Winery Lawn 5:30PM to 7:30PM

Yoin us for Music at Sunset on the Fess Parker Winery lawn.

The first of our summer music series will kick off on June 20<sup>th</sup> with the Alt-Americana music of "The Reserve" who were cultivated in Santa Barbara, and are a cocktail of music makers that have made up the backbone of the local scene for over a decade.

Our July 18th date will feature music by the Just Dave Band who is California Country at its finest!

Big Truck Foods will have their mix of gourmet burgers, grilled sandwiches and loaded fries on hand for purchase. Of course we will have Fess Parker wines available for purchase by the glass or by the bottle to enjoy while tapping your toes.

No admission fee, so come on by and enjoy a beautiful summer night with us at the winery. Be sure to dress in layers.



### Release Day - New Dates

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak we had to postpone this year's Release Day weekend of events. Our intention is to reschedule for the weekend of August 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>. Please continue to check the website for updates or follow us on Instagram and Facebook @fessparkerwinery for all the latest information.

#### Please continue to check the website for updates!

\*Note: Cancellations on above events must be made 48 hours in advance to receive a refund

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