

JUNE 2024

DEAR FRIENDS

Sitting down to write this after what feels like our first sunny weekend is getting me excited for **SUMMER!** In 2023 we nailed our trio of **AROMATIC** wines... I am especially stoked for you to taste the **ALBARIÑO**. I took my first trip to Spain in the summer of 2023 and fell even more in love. I don't think I ate a single thing while there that didn't pair with Albariño... From charcuterie, to flatbreads, to all manner of vegetables and seafood... Especially in warm weather when the flinty, white flowery, freshness just hits the spot. The 2023 **SAUVIGNON BLANC** is a future classic. Fresh, vibrant, citrusy, and spicy, it hits similarly to the Albariño, but fruitier than mineral. Finally, the **2023 ROSÉ** has a beautiful pink salmon hue and the freshness on the palate is balanced by a rich, fruity burst as it hits your taste buds. Come in today to try the 2023 Opening Act Albariño, the 2023 Rare Groove #3 Sauvignon Blanc, and the 2023 Rosé of Pinot Noir. (***PRO TIP*** Any of these can be added to your summer club selection.)

For the Summer 2024 release we have a couple new versions of old favorites, a re-release of a classic, and two brand spanking new offerings that you have not had from us EVER. Let's start with the freshest of the bunch, the 2023 SPARKLING SAUVIGNON BLANC! Imagine taking something you love and making it even better!? How, you ask? Add some frothy foam to the citrusy, fruity, freshness of Savvy B. Next up, the 2021 HOUSE BAND PINOT NOIR is so very tasty right now. The Dunis have their boys working hard up on the hill above the tasting room, and their grapes, along with Spanish Springs vineyard blend for quite a show! Additional time in bottle for the 2019 LEAD VOCALS PINOT NOIR has solidified its classic status and the 2021 THE JAM is, in true form, every bit as lush and delicious as its predecessors. Grenache has become one of my new faves, and this bottling is a prime example of why. Finally, the 2021 RARE GROOVE #1... Our first MERLOT. On the 20th anniversary of the release of Sideways the movie, I am here to emphatically declare that Miles, we are in fact "drinking some F#@king Merlot!" And why not... when it's grown on one of the best vineyards on the Central Coast, Brave & Maiden, you know it's going to be good... If you like Merlot, pick up some extra bottles folks, because who knows when another one will come around ...

Don't suffer from FOMO... Come see us soon... Have you been to CAP? If yes, come again, and if not, I must ask... WHY NOT?!?! Important info will continue to be spread via **@TIMBREWINERY** on Facebook and Instagram so follow along. Without **YOU**, there is no Timbre Winery. Thank you for being such an important part of our lives... **CHEERS!**

- Chiasa & Josh -

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TASTING NOTES

2023 IMPROVISATION SPARKLING SAUVIGNON BLANC, MESA VERDE

Sparkling wine has become one of the favorite offerings in our growler program, so we got to thinking, "what would it take to bottle this stuff???" Then we thought, "How about Sauvignon Blanc???" From Mesa Verde, a site we love to make still wines from, comes this aromatic stunner. Crisp with key lime, passionfruit, green apple, and that bubbly buzz you get. A thousand times yes. What sounds more like summer than **TINY BUBBLES** by *Don Ho?* Drink now, we will make more!

2021 THE HOUSE BAND PINOT NOIR, DUNI & SPANISH SPRINGS

Two stars in our current vineyard line up, Duni and Spanish Springs really complement each other. Both are situated on hillsides, one in AG village and the other a short drive inland from Pismo Beach. These vineyards, and this wine, are a prime example of what the new SLO Coast AVA is all about. Deep, bright fruit, and seriously delicious wines. Bright red, with savory notes like black olives, candied cherry, strawberry frosting, and red licorice notes. Beautifully chewy tannins frame the long and mouthwatering finish. Come to *Tunes @ Timbre* and listen to **BEN & DANNY!** Drink Now-2028+.

2019 LEAD VOCALS PINOT NOIR, BIEN NACIDO

The last in an eleven-vintage streak of Bien Nacido Pinot Noir. 2019 is a fantastic end cap to this vertical. Pale red, this wine is gaining complexity. Additional time in barrel has yielded even more intense strawberry and earth to the bouquet which includes nutmeg, evergreen, red apple peel, and Hot Tamales (the cinnamon candy). The silky palate is elegant with cherry, cocoa powder, white pepper, and time has tamed the tart raspberries to be broader and sweeter. **COLD HEARTS**, by *Elton John and Dua Lipa* pairs nicely with this legend! Drink Now -2030+!

2021 THE JAM GRENACHE MORRO VIEW

Morro View is simply great... As the vineyard matures its expression of cool climate grenache gets more intense, more focused, and more enjoyable. Situated in Edna Valley just a few miles from the winery, Edna Valley's gently rolling hills provide a beautiful setting for this singular property. Usually, one of the last vineyards we harvest is also one of my favorite vineyards to check, typically at the end of the day as the sun sets over our beautiful valley. Blueberry, raspberry syrup, cherry pie, and its hallmark of jammy, dark fruit. Fresh, chewy, and an absolute pleasure to enjoy. Listen to **TOO SWEET** by *Hozier* with this jam-my bomb! Drink now-2028+...

2021 RARE GROOVE #1 MERLOT, BRAVE & MAIDEN

As many of you know, I have been working with Brave & Maiden Vineyard and Winery since 2013. There I have learned a lot about working with fruit from the eastern parts of Santa Ynez Valley, which we feature quite often in most if not all the wines that hold the moniker Rare Groove. For this bottling of Rare Groove #1, first made in 2016, we are featuring this OG property that started it all. Stewed cherries, sun-dried tomato, cocoa powder, and dried chillies... **NOTHING COMPARES TO YOU** covered by Chris Cornell works with this bad boy. Drink the F#@king Merlot from now-2030+.