

An aerial photograph of a vineyard and estate during the golden hour of sunset. The scene is bathed in warm, orange light. In the foreground, a large, well-maintained vineyard with neat rows of grapevines stretches across the left side. To the right, a cluster of buildings with terracotta roofs is nestled among lush green trees. A large, irregularly shaped green lawn or field is situated between the vineyard and the buildings. A winding dirt road or path cuts through the landscape. The background shows rolling hills covered in dense forest, with the sun low on the horizon, creating a soft, hazy atmosphere.

THE WISEGUY CLUB
wine club shipment - spring 2024

news from

B. WISE VINEYARDS



Greetings from the hills above Sonoma

As I pause to write to you, heavy rains of winter have set in here in northern California and our cover crops are bursting between the vine rows. Soon the yellows, whites, and pinks of mustard flower and wild radish will be everywhere.

Our biggest news is our recent acquisition of a vineyard estate in the Pritchard Hill area of the Napa Valley. This area produces some of the most well-regarded wines in the world and our estate there will be producing top-tier grapes for our Cabernet Sauvignon program.

At our Moon Mountain Estate, we have new plantings of Tannat, Cabernet Franc, Petite Sirah, and Syrah, which will allow us to make a little more of those favorite specialty varietal wines we produce. We have also planted more of our signature Cabernet Sauvignon while exploring some different Cabernet clones.

In the Pinot Noir realm, at the Nobles Vineyard in Fort Ross-Seaview, we have broken ground on a new 25-acre site that will be planted with a large and diverse clonal mix, working with renowned viticulturalist Charlie Chenoweth and the Nobles Family.

This past holiday season, many of you know that we launched the inaugural vintages of our Brion Wise Champagnes. We are grateful for your wonderful response and look forward to sharing these wines with you when you visit. For sparkling wine fans, stay tuned for our next wine, as we are working on a Brut Rosé.

In coooperage news, working with our partners in France, we successfully won a five-acre tree auction lot in November containing predominantly 250-year-old trees. This is part of a traditional and time-honored process for sustainably harvesting stave wood for barrels. Our Master Cooper, Ramiro Herrera, will be going to France this spring to begin work on our barrels to be used for this year's 2024 vintage wines.

In this spring shipment, Cabernet Society members will be receiving the impeccable 2021 vintage of our Moon Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon. For Grand Cru, we are excited to offer a debut vintage of a new Pinot Noir from Elswick Vineyard in the Anderson Valley, which produces wines both well-fruited and elegant. The WiseGuy Club will find new releases from our Moon Mountain Estate, including our limited Estate Zinfandel and Syrah.

Colin Heinrich MANAGING DIRECTOR, SOMMELIER

new release

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TRIOS — CAB. SAUV.
MOON MOUNTAIN AVA
SONOMA VALLEY
ESTATE GROWN
2020

Cherry, raspberry, and cassis fruits lead, with undertones of bramble, floral notes, creosote, and citrus. Further aromas of vanilla, anise, mineral, and oak anchor the flavor. The caressing tannins provide pleasing texture and a dry finish.

BLEND: 79% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Syrah, 7% Cabernet Franc, 2% Tannat.

Drink Now—2028

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle

TRIOS — CAB. SAUV.
NAPA VALLEY AVA
2019

Dark blueberry and blackberry fruits integrated with black pepper, fresh ground coffee, violets, nutmeg, and vanilla notes. Seamless and bright in the mouth with freshness and complexity. Reveals a pinpoint texture and has an extended finish. A perfect wine for steak. Decant in youth.

BLEND: 94% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Cabernet Franc, 3% Syrah.

Drink Now—2030

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle
A Wine Club Member Exclusive

ZINFANDEL
MOON MOUNTAIN AVA
SONOMA VALLEY
ESTATE GROWN
2021

Deep purple color. Massive red and black fruits explode from the glass: red and black plum, black raspberry, and black fruit preserves. Complex nuances of red earth, creosote, manzanita chaparral, dust, worn leather, and red chili spice. Juicy in the mouth with subtle spice, finishes plush and long.

Drink Now—2026

4 barrels produced

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle
A Wine Club Member Exclusive

SYRAH
MOON MOUNTAIN AVA
SONOMA VALLEY
ESTATE GROWN
2021

Fruit aromas of warm black cherry, blackberry, and blueberry compote. Classic varietal notes of bacon, cured black olive, *herbes de Provence*, dried tomato, and black licorice. Integrated toasty oak nuances. Intense in the mouth with a pleasing grip of medium to strong tannins and lengthy finish.

Drink Now—2030

5 barrels produced

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle
A Wine Club Member Exclusive

WISDOM
PROPRIETARY RED
BLEND
MOON MOUNTAIN AVA
SONOMA VALLEY
2020

In the nose, the Wisdom Proprietary Red Blend shows brambly red fruits, with nuances of No. 2 pencil shavings, red and white ground pepper, and a kiss of oak that support the fruit. Juicy in the mouth with a touch of spice. Easy drinking for all occasions and an excellent value.

Drink Now

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle

WISDOM CABERNET
SAUVIGNON
NAPA AND
SONOMA VALLEYS
2018

Made from young vines across our vineyards, this Cabernet is going strong and only gets better in the bottle. Red and black fruits with touches of graphite, cocoa powder, sage, tobacco leaf, red earth, and mineral. A pleasing finish, soft and caressing with vibrancy and freshness.

COMPOSITION: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Drink Now—2030

Quantity: 1 — 750 ml bottle
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Perfection through patience: a love of land, a way of wine



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upcoming events

JULY—SEPTEMBER 2024

Exclusive Member Events Series

Look for details coming soon via email!

OCTOBER 2024 — ANNUAL HARVEST PARTY

Always an enjoyable event, and a chance to celebrate the harvest

We'll be in touch with date and details this summer

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