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WINERY & VINEYARD



It's starting to look like fall on the upper mesa of Rodney's Vineyard.

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RECENT PRESS



FOOD&WINE

SUGGESTED PAIRING

Skillet Corn Lasagna with Fess Parker
Santa Barbara County Chardonnay
Food & Wine Magazine – July 2025 Issue

By Andee Gosnell

WINE ENTHUSIAST
MAGAZINE

October 2025 Issue

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- 93pts / Cellar Selection – Pinot Noir, Parker West, 2023 IN THIS SHIPMENT
- 93pts – Pinot Noir, Fiddlestix Vineyard, 2023
- 92pts – Home Ranch Cuvée, Rodney’s Vineyard, 2022 PREVIOUS SHIPMENT
- 91pts – Pinot Noir, Pommard Clone, 2023 PREVIOUS SHIPMENT
- 90pts – Pinot Noir, Older Barrels, 2023 PREVIOUS SHIPMENT

November 2025 Issue

Our Chardonnay, Santa Barbara County, 2023 was ranked #22 with 91 points in *Wine Enthusiast’s* Top 100 Best Buy Wines for 2025. Although this vintage is sold out, we are just as pleased with how the 2024 vintage is showing - now available for purchase in 750ml and half bottle format.



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THE WORLD OF PARKER



FAMILY WEEKEND TOGETHER

Tim and Ashley traveled to the east coast in late September for a number of wine dinners in New York and Washington D.C. The dinners at King’s Carriage House in New York and the Chester River Yacht Club and Metropolitan Club in Washington D.C. were standout events.

As many of you might remember, Fess was a big fan of tennis and enjoyed playing in celebrity tournaments and watching matches for many years. Fast forward to this year’s U.S.



Open, where the bedazzled Labubu dolls that semi-finalist, Naomi Osaka, introduced to the world, were a big hit, so much so that our own, Alexis Alvarez, took it upon herself to create a Davy Crockett Labubu for the team to enjoy here at the winery. Not as flashy as Billy Jean Bling and Arthur Flashe but very cute nonetheless! Thanks Alexis!

And speaking of dolls, Fess’s granddaughter, Greer Araujo, may be in the market for some soon. She will be taking some well deserved time off from her Director of Marketing role for the family portfolio at the end of October.

She and her husband, Keegan, who were married on property last October, are expecting a baby girl in early November. We are so excited and can’t wait to meet her.

Sending our continued thanks for your support of our efforts here at the winery.

Tim, Ashley & Eli



I am very excited by the potential of this harvest! Although we had less than half of our normal annual rainfall, shoots emerged during the mild spring and canopy growth excelled through the moderate summer. We have yet to see any triple-digit temperatures, and have only had two hot weekends in the 90s late into the summer. Things cooled back down as we were rolling into fall, but we need some more heat to push the Rhône varietals along. The Pinot Noir grape-growing season has been ideal and looks to be one of the best in recent memory. This vintage is also starting a couple weeks behind, with the sparkling grapes for Fessivity being picked into mid-September. In 2015 I picked sparkling grapes the first week in August! The crop size also looks adequate in most varieties and suggests amazing quality as well!

In the winery, we finished bottling the 2023 Rhône varietal wines such as Rodney’s Syrah, Home Ranch Cuvée, The Big Easy and a new addition, Bien Nacido Syrah! These wines are rich and layered with beautiful, dark fruit flavors, while still possessing fresh, bright acidity. We also hired a new Assistant Winemaker, Craig Ebersole, and he is a great addition to the team! Harvest season is always an incredibly stressful but rewarding time of the year that I look forward to, spending this time trying to make the best possible wines we can. We get one shot a year at it, and this is it!! There is a lot of arduous work that goes into the harvest, from picking grapes by hand at 2AM to spending countless hours on the sorting table making sure only the best fruit makes its way to the tank for fermentation. We also get a lot of exercise cleaning the floors, punching down and loading the basket presses! We are typically exhausted by the end of harvest but look forward to the holidays and enjoying some well-deserved time off to enjoy with family and friends!

I better get back out and join my team on the sorting table! As always, it is a pleasure making wine for your enjoyment and, from all of us here at Fess Parker ... CHEERS!



Blair Fox

Blair Fox, Head Winemaker



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:

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	RETAIL Bottle/Case	WINE CLUB Bottle/Case
2024 CHARDONNAY “Santa Barbara County”	\$20 / \$216.00	\$16.00 / \$192.00
2023 CHARDONNAY “Ashley’s”	\$48 / \$518.40	\$38.40 / \$460.80
2023 CHARDONNAY “Bien Nacido Vineyard”	\$48 / \$518.40	\$38.40 / \$460.80
2024 CHARDONNAY “Sanford & Benedict”	\$48 / \$518.40	\$38.40 / \$460.80
2024 DRY RIESLING “Rodney’s Vineyard”	\$35 / \$378.00	\$28.00 / \$336.00
2023 RIESLING “Santa Barbara County”	\$15 / \$162.00	\$12.00 / \$144.00
2024 VIOGNIER “Rodney’s Vineyard”	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2024 Marcella’s White Wine “Rodney’s Vineyard”	\$30 / \$324.00	\$24.00 / \$288.00
2023 PINOT NOIR “Sta. Rita Hills”	\$37 / \$399.60	\$29.60 / \$355.20
2023 PINOT NOIR “Ashley’s”	\$68 / \$734.40	\$54.40 / \$652.80
2023 PINOT NOIR “Bien Nacido Vineyard”	\$70 / \$756.00	\$56.00 / \$672.00
2023 PINOT NOIR “Clone 115”	\$68 / \$734.40	\$54.40 / \$652.80
2023 PINOT NOIR “Older Barrels”	\$68 / \$734.40	\$54.40 / \$652.80
2023 PINOT NOIR “Parker West Vineyard”	\$70 / \$756.00	\$56.00 / \$672.00
2023 PINOT NOIR “Pommard Clone”	\$68 / \$734.40	\$54.40 / \$652.80
2023 PINOT NOIR “Sanford & Benedict Vineyard”	\$70 / \$756.00	\$56.00 / \$672.00



2022 PINOT NOIR “Fiddlestix”	\$70 / \$756.00	\$56.00 / \$672.00
2022 PINOT NOIR “1971, Sanford & Benedict Vineyard”	\$85 / \$918.00	\$68.00 / \$816.00
2022 SYRAH “Santa Barbara County”	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2023 SYRAH “Bien Nacido Vineyard”	\$60 / \$648.00	\$48.00 / \$576.00
2021 SYRAH “Rodney’s Vineyard”	\$56 / \$604.80	\$44.80 / \$537.60
2021 “THE BIG EASY”	\$40 / \$432.00	\$32.00 / \$384.00
2022 HOME RANCH CUVÉE “Rodney’s Vineyard”	\$56 / \$604.80	\$44.80 / \$537.60
2021 CROCKETT	\$90 / \$972.00	\$72.00 / \$864.00
FRONTIER RED “Lot 241”	\$16 / \$172.80	\$12.80 / \$153.60
TRADITIONS “Port style wine” (500mL)	\$28 / \$302.40	\$22.40 / \$268.80

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AT THE FESS PARKER WINE COUNTRY INN

Now Available for Wine Club Members

As a valued member of the Fess Parker Family Portfolio Wine Club, you already enjoy exclusive access to our wines, experiences, and special pricing at the Fess Parker Wine Country Inn. Now, we’re thrilled to make your membership even more rewarding.

We’ve upgraded your Inn discount:
30% off midweek stays (Sunday–Thursday)
20% off weekend stays (Friday & Saturday)
We hope this new, midweek discount makes it easier for you to visit us in wine country sometime soon. Book using the link in your online account or by calling the Inn directly!

This discount is available exclusively to active Fess Parker Wine Club members. Membership will be verified upon booking. This offer is not available on existing reservations. Rates are for double occupancy. Blackout dates may apply; limited room types and inventory; This offer may not be combined with any other offers or discounts or applied to existing reservations. There is a 7-day cancellation policy and a deposit of first night and tax will be collected upon booking. Special rate is valid now through March of 2026.

FALL 2025
WINE CLUB

BONUS BOTTLE

We are sending this bonus bottle to you at no charge as a “Thank you!” to all our loyal wine club members. Happy Holidays!

CHARTER CLUB

2 Reds + 1 White
Chardonnay, Bien Nacido Vineyard, 2023 – \$48
Pinot Noir, Parker West, 2023 – \$70
The Big Easy, Santa Barbara County, 2022 – \$40

BONUS BOTTLE

Retail – \$158
Club – \$118.50

HERITAGE WHITE CLUB

2 White Wines
Chardonnay, Bien Nacido Vineyard, 2023 – \$48
Grenache Blanc, Rodney’s Vineyard, 2023 – \$30

BONUS BOTTLE

Retail – \$78
Club – \$58.50

HERITAGE RED CLUB

3 Red Wines
Pinot Noir, Parker West, 2023 – \$70
Syrah, Bien Nacido Vineyard, 2023 – \$60
The Big Easy, Santa Barbara County, 2022 – \$40

BONUS BOTTLE

Retail – \$170
Club – \$127.50

AUTOGRAPH CLUB

2 Whites + 3 Reds
Chardonnay, Bien Nacido Vineyard, 2023 – \$48
Grenache Blanc, Rodney’s Vineyard, 2023 – \$30
Pinot Noir, Parker West, 2023 – \$70
Syrah, Bien Nacido Vineyard, 2023 – \$60
The Big Easy, Santa Barbara County, 2022 – \$40

BONUS BOTTLE

Retail – \$248
Club – \$186

2023 Rodney’s Vineyard
Grenache Blanc

Santa Barbara County **91 pts – Wine Enthusiast**

Vineyard Source: 100% Rodney’s Vineyard from Fess Parker home ranch in the Santa Ynez Valley
Blocks: O2
Composition: 100% Grenache Blanc
Harvest Date: 10/24/23
Harvest Brix: 24.4
Barrel Aging: Aged in neutral French oak barrels for 8 months
Cooperage: Seguin Moreau, Mercurey
Alcohol: 13.5% alcohol by volume
pH: 3.21
T.A.: 0.645g/100ml
Production: 468 cases

Color:	Grapefruit	Flavors:	Long mineral
Pale straw	Candied	Meyer lemon	finish
Aromas:	ginger	Green apple	
Orange	White peach	Asian pear	
blossom	Vanilla	Pie crust	
Jasmine		Vanilla	

2023 Bien Nacido Vineyard
Syrah

Santa Maria Valley **93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck**
92 pts – Decanter

Vineyard Source: 100% Bien Nacido Vineyard located in the Santa Maria Valley
Blocks: BN–11F
Composition: 100% Syrah
Harvest Date: 11/8/23
Harvest Brix: 24.5
Barrel Aging: ged 21 months in 100% French oak, of which 29% were new
Cooperage: François Frères, Mercurey, Millard
Alcohol: 14.6% alcohol by volume
pH: 3.78
T.A.: 0.636g/100ml
Production: 345 cases

Color:	Black pepper	Flavors:	Dark
Opaque	Smoked meat	Black	chocolate
garnet	Black olive	plum	Anise
Aromas:	Fennel	Blueberry	Vanilla
Blackberry	Dark	Blackberry	Baking spices
Black plum	chocolate	compote	Espresso

2023 Parker West Vineyard
Pinot Noir

Sta. Rita Hills **93+ pts – Jeb Dunnuck**
93 pts /Cellar Selection
– Wine Enthusiast

Vineyard Source: 100% from Parker West Vineyard located in the Sta. Rita Hills appellation
Blocks: 2, 3 & 1
Clone Selection: 115, Pommard, 777
Composition: 100% Pinot Noir
Harvest Date: 9/29/23 – 10/12/23
Harvest Brix: 24.2 – 27.0
Barrel Aging: Aged 10 months in French oak, of which 30% were new
Cooperage: Atelier, Bel Air
Alcohol: 14.1% alcohol by volume
pH: 3.62
T.A.: 0.567g/100ml
Production: 952 cases

Color:	Aromas:	Sandalwood	Red plum
Ruby garnet	Red cherry	Vanilla	Clove
	Black plum	Asian spice	Nutmeg
	Black		Earth
	raspberry	Flavors:	Cranberry
	Cigar box	Black cherry	Sage

2022 The Big Easy
Red Wine

Santa Barbara County **94 pts – Jeb Dunnuck**
93 pts – Vinous

Vineyard Source: 86% Rodney’s Vineyard from Fess Parker home ranch, 14% Camp 4 vineyard all in Santa Barbara County
Composition: 40% Syrah, 40% Petite Sirah, 20% Grenache
Barrel Aging: Aged 22 months in 42% in new French oak and American oak
Cooperage: François Frères, Boutes, Meyrieux, Mercurey, Seguin Moreau
Alcohol: 14.9% alcohol by volume
pH: 3.57
T.A.: 0.580g/100ml
Production: 2,520 cases

Color:	Plum	Anise	Plum
Opaque	Boysenberry	Flavors:	Smoked meat
purple	Vanilla	Blueberry	Vanilla
Aromas:	Baking spices	Blackberry	
Blackberry	Smoked	Dark	
Black cherry	chocolate	chocolate	

2022 Bien Nacido Vineyard
Chardonnay

Santa Maria Valley

Vineyard Source: 100% Bien Nacido Vineyard in the Santa Maria Valley
Blocks: M
Composition: 100% Chardonnay
Harvest Date: 10/14/22
Harvest Brix: 21.4
Barrel Aging: 100% barrel fermented and aged for 8 months in 33% new French oak
Cooperage: Sirugue, Damy
Alcohol: 13.0% alcohol by volume
pH: 3.21
T.A.: 0.640g/100ml
Production: 146 cases

Color:	Aromas:	Baking	Vanilla
Straw	Citrus	spices	Baked pear
	Orange zest	Flavors:	Toasty oak
	Beeswax	Golden apple	
	Croissant	Lemon	
	Vanilla	meringue	

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FESS PARKER WINE CLUB

27TH ANNUAL

Release Day
2026

April 24–26, 2026

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