



Featuring wines from Molly's Vineyard | Pictured above: Winemaker Diane Wilson and her Border Collie, Molly

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We appreciate your club membership. Cheers, from our cellar to yours!

-Diane Wilson & the Wilson Team

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Wines Included in September Club Shipment

2014 Reserve Molly's PetiteSirah 2014 Dorothy's Syrah 2015 Molly's Zinfandel





BARREL CLUB NEWSLETTER September 2017

Club Corner



Angie and Jane hiding out after a long day in the belly of the beast

Hard to believe that fall is already on the horizon- where did summer go? It's been a whirlwind few months here at Wilson, and we're excited to update everyone on what we've been up to!

Wilson/Mazzocco Wine Cruise

Our summer was prefaced by Alexis and Emily's return from Wilson and Mazzocco's wine cruise to Europe! By all accounts, they had a wonderful time, but were happy to return home... probably almost as happy as we here at the winery were to have them back! Those of you who follow the Wilson Winery Facebook account will have no doubt been made as jealous as we were by the pictures of the beautiful scenery, food, -and of course wine- throughout Italy, Greece, Croatia, and Slovenia.

Club Wilson Summer Happenings

We started the season by welcoming summer with our annual Barn Dance and Barbeque at Molly's Vineyard. Summer was certainly there in full force... the weekend of the event was the hottest of the year! Nevertheless, everyone in attendance found it within themselves to enjoy a specially curated wine selection, an outstanding dinner from KR Catering, and danced into the evening with local favorites The Pulsators.

Club Wilson's summer fun continued in July as we took to the road (and river) for a weekend of whitewater rafting on the American River! Increased snowpacks made for a wild ride, which fit right in with this year's "wild" jungle safari theme. Guests not only navigated the rapids, but the dancefloor as well with Saturday evening's dinner, live music, dancing, and costume contest. It's easy to see why this continues to be a favorite event among club members every year!

We finished off our summer with the first annual Wilson Artisan Wines Grill-Off. Although Wilson was the only winery to not participate in grilling, we did have our own special attraction! While other wineries focused on heating things up, we cooled them down with a dunk tank. Club members got the opportunity to send their favorite Wilson team member into the drink... while enjoying their own, of course!



Introducing the Growers Series

You will notice that some of the wines in your shipments this year have gotten a makeover. Under the direction and efforts of our General Manager, Alexis, Wilson has created a new Growers Series label for our non-estate wines from Dry Creek Valley. These new labels will also be celebrated on September 9th at our Harvest Luncheon & Growers Series Release Party at our newest vineyard, Chalk Hill. Participants will have the opportunity to enjoy the fruits of harvest with Winemaker Diane Wilson, and several of the growers will be on hand as well for you to meet and share what makes these vineyards distinctive! If you're a fan of Forchini, Treborce, Buzz, or Heartland Zinfandels, this is your chance to meet the people who make them possible from start to finish, and to be the first to taste the 2015 vintages. If you have not received an email regarding this occasion, please email emily@wilsonwinery.com for information and tickets.

New Summer Club

This year saw the introduction of our Summer Club shipment. After years of requests for special orders of white wines/cellar restocks in the summer, we rolled out the Summer Club Shipment. Coinciding with the advent of our fully-functional website, this Summer Club allowed members to not only customize their own orders online with an additional club discount, but to update their account information themselves and to make their own shipping requests. The Summer Club will remain the only customization option among all yearly club shipments (excepting Coyote Club members), so be sure to look out for an email notice next June... the Summer Club will return! We were thrilled by how many of you chose to take part in this bonus shipment, and hope that many more of you will be able to build your perfect shipment next summer.

Changes to Club Wilson

We didn't just change the number of club releases this summer! June marked the passing of the Wine Club torch from Emily to myself. While I am excited to be at the helm of our Wine Club and to have the opportunity to make my own way, I am very aware of what size shoes I have to fill. Over the past six + years Emily has created a wine club that is not just a well-organized execution of getting shipments to members, but a network of new friends and experiences that are inclusive of all who participate. Emily has continued to offer her guidance and support as I transition to this new role, for which I am immensely grateful. In regards to Emily's transition, her new job title is "Sales & Events Manager", although she tells people that her actual job description is still evolving. For now, though, it's to continue to provide lots of TLC to our club members and doing what she does best-throwing amazing parties! Angie Malinski (who you may know from the Tasting Room) has taken my place as the Assistant Wine Club Coordinator, and as I have been the lucky recipient of Emily's knowledge, patience, and training over the past year, together we hope to do her wine club proud!

Cheers!

Jane

Club Wilson





Did you like these wines?

Order any of these wines by September 30 (or October 16 for ship members) and receive an additional 10% savings making your total savings 25% on a case and 1¢ ground shipping on case reorders! You can mix and match. See Wine Club Order Form. Club shipment includes one bottle of each of the following wines:

Winemaker's Notes

2014 Reserve Molly's Petite Sirah

124 Cases Produced

Molly's Vineyard, Estate, Dry Creek Valley

The deepest garnet color of this wine shimmers, with hidden gleams of red shining through the inky depths as it is swirled. Long, dark legs coat the glass like shadowy icicles. The nose opens with a dusty rose note, followed by cassis with a hint of eucalyptus in the understory. A surprising yet gentle fruitiness greet your palate, with beautiful tannins balanced by firm acidity. Notes of dusky rose, blueberry, clove and cassis create a beautiful sense of perfection in this wine. Your mouth will love it from the first sip to the long finish. Food Pairing: Parisian gnocci with chanterelle mushrooms and cream with a compliment of pan-roasted carrots with chestnut honey.

Retail Case Price: \$456 | Club Case Price: \$387.60 | Reorder Case Price: \$342, shipping included

2014 Dorothy's Syrah

167 Cases Produced

Dorothy's Vineyard, Estate, Dry Creek Valley

A clean, slightly earthy nose rises up to greet you upon the first swirl of this traditionally colored, dark brick red Syrah. Opening nicely, the nose is underscored by flinty berry and a hint of clove & spice. Oak and marshmallow finish out the olfactory delights, while the first sip provides hints of eucalyptus and cedar, with big bold tannins, wrapped in a light berry package. A light smokiness, like a warming flame gives it a subtle ending. Food Pairing: Enjoy with wild game chili topped with Wisconsin smoked cheddar.

Retail Case Price: \$432 | Club Case Price: \$367.20 | Reorder Case Price: \$324, shipping included

2015 Molly's Zinfandel

538 Cases Produced

Molly's Vineyard, Estate, Dry Creek Valley

A gorgeous river of deep sunset purple flows out of this Dry Creek Valley bench-land Zinfandel bottle. Light notes of oak with a dusting of boysenberry greet you on the nose. A bold girl, this Zin has a strong tannin structure for this varietal, and is subtle on the fruit, with secreted multi-bramble berry, oak and a hint of fine chocolate ready to be revealed. A leisurely beauty, uncover the hidden flavors in this year's Molly's by giving her some extra aging time, or aeration upon decanting. This is a perfect pairing for a triple cream brie and fig compote on crackers.

Retail Case Price: \$504 | Club Case Price: \$428.40 | Reorder Case Price: \$378, shipping included





Reorder any of your club shipment wines and receive an additional 10% off.

Total savings is 25% and 1¢ ground shipping on case re-orders. Mix and match.

VARIETAL	RETAIL PRICE	BARREL CLUB PRICE 15% DISCOUNT	CLUB REORDER SPECIAL 25% DISCOUNT 1¢ CASE SHIPPING Reorder deadlines above	QUANTITY	TOTAL PRICE
WHITES					
2014 Reserve Chardonnay	\$38.00	\$32.30			
2016 Sauvignon Blanc	\$29.00	\$24.65			
PETITE SIRAH					
2014 Molly's Reserve Petite Sirah	\$50.00	\$42.50	\$37.50		
RED VARIETALS & SPECIALTY BLENDS					
2013 Coyote Cabernet, Reserve	\$50.00	\$42.50			
2014 McClain Primitivo	\$40.00	\$34.00			
2014 Dorothy's Syrah	\$36.00	\$30.60	\$27.00		
ZINFANDEL					
2014 Ellie's Zinfandel	\$38.00	\$32.30			
2014 Nolan Zinfandel	\$38.00	\$32.30			
2014 Three Dog Zin	\$29.00	\$24.65			
2015 Buzz Zinfandel	\$42.00	\$35.70			
2015 Dry Creek Valley Zinfandel	\$29.00	\$24.65			
2015 Forchini Zinfandel	\$42.00	\$35.70			
2015 Heartland Zinfandel	\$38.00	\$32.30			
2015 Molly's Zinfandel	\$42.00	\$35.70	\$31.50		
2015 Sonoma County Zinfandel	\$29.00	\$24.65			
2015 Terrace Hill Zinfandel	\$36.00	\$30.60			
2015 Treborce Zinfandel - Club Wilson Only	\$42.00	\$35.70			
RESERVE ZINFANDEL					
201 4 Cypress Ridge Reserve Zinfandel	\$52.00	\$44.20			
2014 Monte Rosso Reserve Zinfandel	\$60.00	\$51.00			
2014 Sydney Reserve Zinfandel	\$60.00	\$51.00			
2015 Dry Creek Valley Reserve Zinfandel	\$38.00	\$32.30			
BARREL-SELECT ZINFANDEL ~ LEGACY SERIES					
2014 Sydney Alexandra Zinfandel	\$140.00	\$119.00			
2014 Victoria Johannah Zinfandel	\$140.00	\$119.00			
2014 Sawyer Keys Zinfandel	\$140.00	\$119.00			
2014 Diane Marie Zinfandel	\$150.00	\$127.50			
2014 Kenneth Carl Zinfandel	\$150.00	\$127.50			
		SUBTOTAL			
Reorder any of your club shipment wines	off.	SHIPPING	\$.01/CAS		
, ,		TAX			
Total savings is 25% and 1¢ ground shipp	d match.	TOTAL			

**REORDER DEADLINES Pick-up: September 30 | Ship: October 16

☐ YES

CLUB MEMBER NAME									
EMAIL			_ DAYTIME PHONE -						
PLEASE USE CREDIT CARD ON FILE	☐ YES	□ NO							

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