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The 2024 harvest is complete and I am proud to announce that it appears to be another exceptional vintage. I look forward to sharing the fruits of this harvest with you in the upcoming years. 2024 has included many highlights and a first for us. From our club-exclusive trip to the Rhône region of France to welcoming more visitors than ever to our hilltop during harvest, it's truly been a year to remember.

One of our proudest achievements was receiving a 95-point score from Wine Spectator for our 2022 Très Violet, placing it in the highest tier of their prestigious rating system. This recognition, categorized as "Classic: A great wine," marks our best score yet. I've also highlighted for you other recent accolades we're equally proud to have received, testaments to the unique expression of our Calcareous soil and the exceptional skill of our winemaker, Jason Joyce.

Looking ahead, we're thrilled to be celebrating our 25th anniversary in 2025. Transforming our land into vineyards has been an incredible journey, and we can't wait to honor the hard work that has shaped Calcareous into the winery you know today. We hope you'll plan to be part of it.

Until then, I wish you and your family a joyful holiday season. Cheers to another fantastic year!

Dane Brown

Winter 2024 New Releases

As the 2024 vintage comes to a close, we're thrilled to share something special with you in time for the holidays: the unveiling of our club-exclusive pre-releases—the 2023 Estate Chardonnay, 2022 York Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon, 2022 Lloyd, and the highly anticipated 2022 Devil's Canyon Syrah. As you gather with loved ones this season, we hope these wines bring a touch of our vineyard's spirit to your celebrations.



2023 Estate Chardonnay

A pale golden straw color with pear pastry and white peach aromas. Rich upfront honeydew melon and candied ginger are balanced by more citrusy notes and just a hint of wet chalk. Subtle integrated oak from puncheon aging creates a complex profile well into the clean finish that's bright enough to pair with seafood or pasta, but with ample mid-palate richness for grilled pork. Retail: \$42 Limestone: \$35.70 Connoisseur: \$33.60 Sommelier: \$31.50

2022 York Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon

Byzantium hues indicate a fully ripe Cabernet. A bouquet of currants and plum balance earthy notes of garrigue and leather. Blackberry jam, chelan cherry and white pepper combine to form a perfect upfront palate. Immense rounded tannins fill the mid-palate, supplying hints of black licorice, with new French oak adding a subtle toasted richness to a long finish. Will complex in the bottle beautifully for 13-16 years. **Retail:** \$60 **Limestone:** \$51.00

Connoisseur: \$48.00 Sommelier: \$45.00



2022 Lloyd 42% Cab Franc, 31% Merlot, 14% Malbec, 9% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Petit Verdot

Deep purple color demonstrates a deeply extracted wine. Up front the complex palate is full of dark currants, black cherries and rich tannins. A beautiful core acidity keeps the many moving parts centered and allows this full-bodied wine to express freshness and vibrancy. A pitch perfect wine for eggplant parmesan, it should age gracefully for the next for I4-I6 years. **Retail:** \$65

Limestone: \$55.25 Connoisseur: \$52.00 Sommelier: \$48.75

The 2024 Holiday Gift Collection

If Calcareous wine holds a special place in your heart, it is sure to make for an unforgettable gift. Share your passion! We've curated our enclosed catalog with selections that reflect our team's top picks, including standout scores, rare vintages, and delightful themes. To make it easier for you, we are offering discounted \$15 ground shipping through the end of the year. May it inspire your gifting this season!

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2022 Devil's Canyon Syrah

Beautifully rich purple in color, this wine embodies the weight and depth that our Estate is capable of producing. Upfront massive blueberry, pomegranate, and cacao combine with fine grained tannins, creating an expressive Syrah. Toasted oak notes showcase wonderful acidity, creating perfect lingering flavors just begging for braised spareribs. This is a wine worthy of the cellar for another 12-15 years.

Retail: \$75 Limestone: \$63.75 Connoisseur: \$60.00 Sommelier: \$56.25

In this Release:

Limestone Release (3 bottles at 15% off) – Mixed: (1) Chardonnay, (1) YM Cab. Sauv., (1) Lloyd | Reds Only: (1) YM Cab. Sauv., (1) Lloyd, (1) Syrah | White Only: (2) Chardonnay, (1) Lily Blanc Connoisseur Release (6 bottles at 20% off) – Mixed: (2) Chardonnay, (2) YM Cab. Sauv., (2) Lloyd | Reds Only: (2) YM Cab. Sauv., (2) Lloyd, (2) Syrah | White Only: (4) Chardonnay (2) Lily Blanc Sommelier Release (12 bottles at 25% off) – Mixed: (3) Chardonnay, (3) YM Cab. Sauv., (3) Lloyd, (3) Syrah | Reds Only: (4) YM Cab. Sauv., (4) Lloyd, (4) Syrah | White Only: (8) Chardonnay, (4) Lily Blanc

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Wine Club Exclusive: An invitation to join the Signature Cabernet Sauvignon Club



My dad and I had a vision of producing world class Bordeaux wines, and I am proud as ever to put my signature on this exclusive hand-crafted Cabernet Sauvignon representing the best of our Estate. With only 95 cases made each year, we've had to limit access by creating a premium add-on club, available only to Calcareous members who wish to include this wine in their collections. The next 6-bottle allocation of my Signature Cabernet Sauvignon will be available in January, but we invite you to join early so you can also enjoy access to our holiday gifts including large format bottles and a library vertical featuring the 2018, 2019, and 2020 vintages. We hope you'll join us now so you can savor this wine for years to come! —Dana

Calcareous Vineyard 25th Anniversary Celebration

As we prepare to celebrate 25 years of Calcareous, I reflect on the legacy my dad, Lloyd, left behind and the passion that drives me every day. I invite you, our loyal members, to join us for this landmark year. Our 2025 calendar is starting to take shape with unforgettable events in the hopes that you can come see us next year. Scan or call to plan your visits and share this incredible journey with us! —Dana



Another Top-Scoring Year

We are proud to have released so many award-winning wines to our club members in 2024. You have exclusive access to our most coveted selections, and we are grateful for the opportunity to share them with you!



Recent Wine Spectator Scores:

2023 Viognier 91 Points 2022 Très Violet 95 Points 2022 Reserve Grenache 94 Points 2022 Grenache 94 Points 2022 Estate Syrah 94 Points 2021 Devil's Canyon Syrah 94 Points 2021 The Messer 90 Points 2021 Moose 94 Points

The top tier of Wine Spectator's 100-point scale for wine ratings is based on the following criteria:

95–100 Classic: A great wine90–94 Outstanding: A wine with superior character and style

Club Members Explore the Rhône Valley

Jason and I hosted a trip to the Rhône region of France in May. This 10 day adventure, offered exclusively to wine club members, explored the similarities between the Rhône's iconic winemaking region and our own. We had the opportunity to experience over 10 different wineries hand selected by Jason. This shared experience allowed us all to further our wine knowledge and forge new friendships. Thank you to everyone who joined us! —Dana



Harvest 2024 Success!

Jason and his team had fun hosting free harvest tours for members who visited during Paso's Harvest Wine Month this October. Our sincere thanks to all of you who made a point to come up, check it out, and be a part of our 2024 vintage. All the hard work is so much more rewarding when shared with our club members!