

# ELK COVE VINEYARDS

**Roosevelt Classic Club News, May 2017**

Happy Oregon Wine Month!

After a long, wet winter, we are fully embracing spring here at Elk Cove. It's the beginning of a new growing season, we're sipping Rosé on the patio and we're celebrating Oregon Wine Month with our neighbors and friends.

This month we're featuring two wines that helped make the Oregon Wine Industry what it is today - our first Single Vineyard Estate wine, the La Bohème Pinot Noir and our Pinot Gris. These wines helped establish Oregon as a source of excellent Pinot Gris and Pinot Noir.

We're once again teaming up with our friends at Oregon Wine Press to gift you a three month subscription so you can check out everything that's happening in the Oregon wine world.

Have you visited us recently? Please review us on Yelp, TripAdvisor or Facebook. Cheers!

-Kari Murphy, Roosevelt Club Manager



The Elk Cove Crew

## This Month's Club Selection:



**2016 Pinot Gris - \$19 Retail**  
**Club/Bottle \$17.10 Club/Case \$14.25**  
**May-Jun Club/Case \$13.30**

We ferment our Pinot Gris at very cold temperatures in small stainless steel tanks to capture the freshness and mineral qualities of the varietal. We love this Pinot Gris for its white peach & citrus aromatics and rich long finish. The 2015 was highlighted by Wine Spectator Magazine as one of the best valued wines in Oregon and also made their Top 100 Value Wines in the World – this 2016 is an awesome follow up!

**16,841 Cases made**  
**Best opened 2017-2019**



**2015 La Bohème - \$60 Retail**  
**Club/Bottle \$54 Club/Case \$45**  
**May-Jun Club/Case \$42**

La Bohème is a super-steep 20 acre block here at the Elk Cove Estate that points South and West with a spectacular view of the Coast Range Mountains. Planted in 1984, this vineyard always has tiny berries and clusters that translate into super concentrated Pinot Noir. The 2015 brings together powerful richness, dark fruits & a really long finish.

**756 Cases - Extremely Limited Availability**  
**Best opened 2018-2024 and beyond**

Special Promotions for Roosevelt Club members:

# 30% Case Discount on this Month's Club Selections!

Any 12 bottle combination of **2016 Pinot Gris** and **2015 La Bohème Pinot Noir** (or a full case of each!) is eligible for the discount until June 30th.

Please call 503-985-7760 or email [kari@elkcove.com](mailto:kari@elkcove.com) to order our Roosevelt Wine Club case special.



*Timing of ground shipments of wine is weather dependent and could be delayed. We will not ship wine UPS ground if the weather is too hot or too cold at your destination or en route. This could damage your wine.*

**Want to keep up on what's happening at Elk Cove? Follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/elkcove>**

## **Letter from the Winemaker:**

Dear Wine Club Members,

Springtime greetings from all of us at Elk Cove! It's been a rainy and cold start to the growing season so we've been waiting patiently for bud break and the beginning of our growing season out in the vineyards.

We've also been promoting Oregon Wines and Elk Cove in particular at events all over the country with the Wine Spectator Grand Tour, Toronto Oregon Wines Trade Tasting, and Boston Oregon Wines Seminar. Travelling the country to talk about and taste wine can be a lot of fun but we always remind people to come visit us in Oregon. See and taste what we are doing first hand with a trip out to the winery sometime this spring or summer. It's a beautiful time to see the vineyards!

This month's selections feature a Pinot that's been a cult classic since its first vintage in 1989 and a Pinot Gris that's the perfect summer wine. They were fun wines to make and we hope you enjoy them as much as we do. Cheers!

-Adam Campbell, Winemaker & Owner



Budbreak is the beginning of our growing season

## Upcoming Events

A shout out to everyone who made it to the Outstanding in the Field dinner at Coachella in April. Here's what's coming up:

**Nantucket Food and Wine Festival**  
May 17-21 Nantucket, MA

**Wine Spectator Grand Tour**  
May 6 Las Vegas | May 9 Chicago | May 12 Miami

**Pinot & Pups Wine Auction**  
May 20, Portland Art Museum

**Memorial Day Tasting**  
May 27,28,29 at Elk Cove

**Roosevelt Club BBQ**  
July 9 at Elk Cove

**Opera in the Vineyard**  
July 30 at Elk Cove

**Canines Uncorked**  
August 5 at Elk Cove and North Willamette Valley Wineries

**Eclipse Party**  
August 21 at Pike Road Wines, Carlton

Want to know more? Check out our events page on the website at <https://elkcove.com/events> for more information about upcoming events featuring Elk Cove wines.



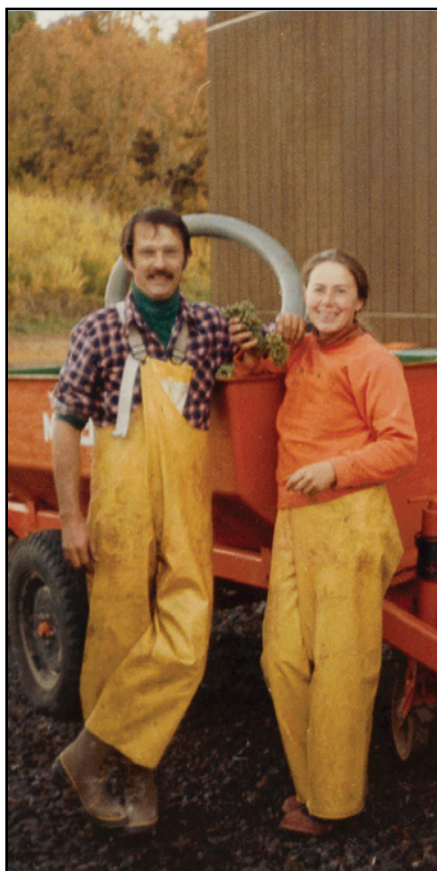
## It's Oregon Wine Month!

What a great time to tell your friends why you love Oregon Wine - and the Elk Cove Roosevelt Club of course!

In honor of Oregon Wine Month, we're making May the best month of 2017 to join our Roosevelt Club. Have a friend who wants to join? They have until the end of May to get a **special gift with a new membership**.

We're not forgetting our current club members - go to our shopping cart online, log in as a club member and you'll see a little something for you as well.

Cheers and Happy Oregon Wine Month!



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