

ELK COVE VINEYARDS

Roosevelt Collectors Club Spring 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 three wines that helped make the Oregon Wine Industry what it is today - our first Single Vineyard wine, the Windhill Pinot Noir, along with our Reserve and our Mount Richmond Pinot Noirs. These wines helped establish Oregon as a source of excellent 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 Selections:



2015 Mount Richmond - \$60 Retail
Club/Bottle \$54 Club/Case \$45
May-June Club/Case \$42

We love this vineyard for its East-facing slopes and marine sedimentary (Willakenzie) soils that really concentrate the Pinot Noir grapes and packs them with both fruit and earth driven character. This 2015 Single Vineyard Pinot comes from 20 year old vines, it has Mount Richmond's hallmark big ripe dark fruit character and a soil driven complexity.

not reviewed yet

916 cases made - Limited Availability!



2014 Reserve - \$100 Retail
Club/Bottle \$ 90 Club/Case \$ 75
May-June Club/Case \$ 70

Our winemaking team considers barrels from all of our estate plantings to make the Reserve our very best Pinot Noir. In 2014, the final blend included two barrels each from Mount Richmond, Five Mountain, Clay Court and our Estate Vineyard in addition to the best whole-cluster barrel from our newest vineyard site, Goodrich.

94 Wine Advocate/92 Wine Enthusiast

207 cases made - Extremely Limited Availability!



2012 Windhill - \$60 Retail
Club/Bottle \$54 Club/Case \$45
May-June Club/Case \$42

Windhill Vineyard was planted in 1974 by the Reese family and was purchased by Elk Cove in 1996. South-facing slopes, Laurelwood soils, mid-level elevation (500 feet) and low yields make Windhill a superior vineyard site. It's known for it's spicy notes and structure and is one of our favorite Single Vineyard Pinots to cellar.

(Winery exclusives are not submitted for review)

186 cases made - Extremely Limited Availability!

Special Promotions for Roosevelt Club members:

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

Any 12 bottle combination of **2015 Mount Richmond**, **2014 Reserve**, and **2012 Windhill** is eligible for the discount until June 30th. Limited availability!

Please call 503-985-7760 or email 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 wines from three different vintages including a 2012 Windhill - we love how the Windhill Pinots age so we're excited to share this wine with you. They were all 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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