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Diverse Reds
- Fall 2017 -

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All of us at The Carlton Winemakers Studio wish you the very best this beautiful Oregon harvest season!

We are happy to announce the 2017 wine club shipment and pick up party coming November 18th. This year's "Swine and Wine" themed pick up party will feature an in-house smoked whole pig with all the fixings.

Enjoy all of the wines in the fall shipments poured by the vintners and paired with this delicious delicacy from 12 PM to 4 PM in the winery. This event is \$20 for non-members and complimentary for club members and their guests.

The 2017 vintage has become one for the record books in terms of bounty and quality. The cool spring, hot summer followed by a cool, extended autumn have harkened us to previous years in the Willamette Valley when we proudly made cool-climate wines suited to our specific area. Winemakers are particularly excited to showcase the nearly perfect fruit from each AVA and create wines true to their terroir.

With a host of new producers joining the regular Studio line-up, we are thrilled to have some new releases to share with you in our tasting room in Carlton and through our wine club or on-line store.

With a re-branding and new label design, Andrew Rich has once again proven his relevance and his ability to change with the times. This shipment features Andrew's new label with the 2014 Glacial Rhone blend and an Eola-Amity AVA dedicated Pinot noir, which blends three vineyards to showcase the distinctive qualities of that region. His 2013 La Colina Vineyard Pinot noir and 2012 Mourvedre are also included in the Pinot noir and Diverse Club shipments.

Both Asilda and Lazy River Vineyards are excited to present their 2015 releases of their Estate Pinot noirs which are featured in the Diverse Reds and Pinot noir Clubs. You can enjoy the Lazy River Vineyards Pinot gris in the Portfolio Club as well.

Merriman Wines has released their 2014 Yamhill Carlton Pinot noir. The east-facing vines of this vineyard produce beautiful fruit-driven wines that show hints of earth and lovely, fine tannins.

Fantastic news for our Hamacher Pinot noir fans: Eric has released the 2012 Signature Pinot noir and it is featured in the shipment! Always a beautiful example of what the Willamette Valley has to offer, the highly anticipated 2012 vintage of Hamacher's Signature Pinot noir will not disappoint.

Lavinea will be featured in the Pinot noir and Portfolio club shipments with Isabelle Meunier's nearly perfect 2014 Nysa Vineyard Pinot noir. The velvety tannins make this wine one of her best so far.

Lastly, Mark Ryan Family Winery's first release wine, the 2014 Willamette Valley Pinot noir will be in the Pinot noir club shipment. We are thrilled to feature this fantastic wine made by Isabelle Meunier from the very best vineyards.

We welcome you anytime in our tasting room from 11 AM to 4 PM seven days a week to enjoy these wines and many more wines produced in our state of the art winery. Tastings are always complimentary to wine club members and up to three guests.

**Fall 2017 Swine and Wine Club Party
Saturday, November 18th 12-4 PM**



2014 Merriman Estate Pinot noir 45/BTL

The Merriman Estate vineyard sits along an east-facing ridge along the most western hills of the coast range, perfectly situated within a cluster of some of Yamhill-Carlton's most celebrated vineyards. The 2014 relies primarily on Pommard from the uppermost block with the neighboring Wadenswil block playing a 20% supporting role. The nose centers on Bing cherries and earth, complemented by subtle spice, dried rose, licorice, and honey. Meanwhile, the palate is youthful and red with bright raspberry and citrus notes driving well into the back of the surprisingly Burgundian palate.



2014 Andrew Rich Glacial Rhone Blend 42/BTL

With the 2014 vintage, Andrew has launched his new Elements series that seeks to explore soil types more deeply. While three of the wines are Pinots, Glacial looks north and east to the warmer Columbia Valley, drawing on Andrew's long-term vineyard relationships to source Syrah, Mourvèdre, and Grenache for this blend. While the Syrah dominates by percentage, the Mourvèdre appears first, with its meaty, herbal notes adding complexity to the dark-fruited nose. On the palate, the Syrah expresses the stony, mineral component of the underlying glacial soils without sacrificing the berry fruit one would expect from a warm vintage in Washington. Grenache, the Falstaff of grapes, adds plumpness to the mid-palate. Still somewhat firm after a year in bottle, this serious, soul-satisfying blend seems to soften by the day and should develop well over the next half decade.



2012 Andrew Rich Ciel du Cheval Vineyard Mourvedre 35/BTL

When one thinks of Mourvèdre, the celebrated wines of Bandol, on France's Mediterranean coast, probably come to mind. Those wines can be meaty and leathery, with the ability to age for a very long time. Some of that same structure and depth is apparent in this library selection from Andrew Rich, but the emphasis is more on the inherent mineral quality of the Ciel du Cheval Vineyard. Rather than savory qualities, black cherry and blackberry dominate both the nose and the palate, with the medium body of a Provençal Mourvèdre rather than a new-world fruit bomb. Still somewhat tannic, this wine will really sing with rich fall and winter dishes featuring game, beef (daube Provençal!), and wild mushrooms. Just 45 cases.



2014 Wahle Yamhill-Carlton Pinot noir 45/BTL

The Wahle family began planting the Yamhill vineyard in 1974. This site is low-vigor, self-rooted and non-irrigated. This wine has a Pommard base with offers a mixed cherry palate. Hints of strawberry, rhubarb, game and dried flowers emerge as the wine unfolds. A wine to pleasantly evolve over the next ten to twelve years



2015 Lazy River Estate Pinot noir 40/BTL

This wine was bottled on August 23, 2016, and tasted for the first time on October 1, 2016. Tasting a wine so soon after bottling is having a rose with a very tight bud. Once the flower begins to open, so much more can be seen about its color and shape. Our wines are very tight. Most likely it will take months for the '15 to let us know what is going to unfold.



2015 Asilda Yamhill-Carlton Pinot noir 52/BTL

The 2015 Asilda Pinot noir comes entirely from our Timbale & Thyme Vineyard in the Yamhill-Carlton AVA. Anthony King masterfully used equal parts of Dijon 777 from the bottom of the vineyard, 115 from mid-slope, and Mt. Eden and Calera from the top of the hill. This wine is the whole package and a wonderful representation of the place, the soil, and our efforts during the growing season. The dark, earthy nose combines with strawberry, crème brûlée, forest floor, and intricate baking spice. Meanwhile, the palate is what good Pinot should be: rich and silken in texture and light on its feet. The finish is long and sultry with red fruit, earth, and spice.

Club members: Enjoy a 20% case discount on wine club reorders until December 15, 2017 (mixed cases ok).

	Bottle	Case
Andrew Rich Wines		
2016 Sauvignon blanc Croft	\$22	\$224.40
2013 Roussanne Columbia Valley	\$22	\$224.40
2014 Gerwurztraminer Dessert Wine	\$26	\$265.20
2014 Pinot noir Prelude	\$23	\$234.60
2012 Pinot noir Knife Edge	\$45	\$459.00
2014 Volcanic Pinot noir	\$42	\$428.40
2014 Marine Sedimentary Pinot noir	\$42	\$428.40
2014 Eola-Amity Pinot noir	\$42	\$428.40
2013 Pinot noir Verbatim	\$30	\$306.00
2012 Grenache Ciel du Cheval	\$35	\$357.00
2012 Mesalliance	\$25	\$255.00
2012 Mourvedre	\$35	\$357.00
2013 Cabernet Franc Red Willow	\$35	\$357.00
2013 Syrah Red Willow	\$45	\$459.00
2014 Glacial Rhone Blend	\$42	\$428.40

Asilda

2016 Rose of Pinot noir	\$32	\$326.40
2014 Pinot noir Yamhill-Carlton	\$52	\$530.40
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Bachelor

2012 Chardonnay Johnson Vineyard	\$45	\$459.00
2013 Chardonnay Willamette Valley	\$30	\$306.00

Dukes Family Vineyard

2013 Pinot noir Estate Alyssa	\$50	\$510.00
2013 Pinot noir Estate Charlotte	\$65	\$663.00
2014 Chardonnay Pearl	\$45	\$459.00

Élevée Winegrowers

2016 Rose of Pinot noir	\$26	\$265.20
2014 Pinot noir Dundee Hills	\$45	\$459.00

Failla

2015 Seven Springs Pinot noir	\$60	\$612.00
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Hamacher Wines

2013 Chardonnay Willamette Valley	\$40	\$408.00
2012 Pinot noir "Signature"	\$50	\$510.00
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2014 Pinot noir "H"	\$23	\$234.60

Lavinea

2014 Elton Vineyard Chardonnay	\$60	\$612.00
2014 Elton Vineyard Pinot noir	\$75	\$765.00
2014 Nysa Vineyard Pinot noir	\$65	\$663.00
2014 Saikonnen Pinot noir	\$50	\$510.00
2014 Tualatin Estate Pinot noir	\$65	\$663.00

Lazy River Vineyard

	Bottle	Case
2016 Estate Pinot gris	\$20	\$204.00
2009 Estate Pinot noir	\$44	\$448.80
2010 Estate Pinot noir	\$44	\$448.80
2014 August Wilhelm Pinot noir	\$52	\$530.40
2015 Estate Pinot noir	\$40	\$408.00

Megan Anne Cellars

2015 Chardonnay	\$50	\$510.00
2014 Black Love Pinot noir	\$70	\$714.00
2014 Nysa Pinot noir	\$55	\$561.00
2015 Willamette Valley Pinot noir	\$40	\$408.00

Merriman Wines

2014 Chenin blanc Old Vine	\$22	\$224.40
2013 Pinot noir Yamhill-Carlton	\$45	\$459.00
2014 Pinot noir Cummins Road	\$22	\$224.40
2014 Pinot noir Yamhill-Carlton	\$45	\$459.00

Quintet Cellars

2013 Pinot noir Ribbon Ridge	\$48	\$489.60
2014 Lichtenwalter Pinot noir	\$48	\$489.60
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Ratio Wines

2015 Retina Pinot noir	\$38	\$387.60
2015 Johnson VIneyard Chardonnay	\$38	\$387.60

Wahle Vineyard

2012 Pinot noir Holmes Hill	\$36	\$367.20
2012 Pinot noir Willamette Valley	\$30	\$306.00
2013 Pinot noir Yamhill-Carlton	\$45	\$459.00

WildAire

2014 Old Vine Riesling	\$20	\$204.00
2014 Timothy Pinot noir	\$30	\$306.00
2014 Yates Conwill Pinot noir	\$45	\$459.00

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2015 VGW Chardonnay	\$65	\$663.00
2014 VGR Pinot noir	\$115	\$1,173
2014 Shea Vineyard Pinot noir	\$300	\$3,060
2014 Stardance Vineyard Pinot noir	\$300	\$3,060
2014 Hyland Vineyard Pinot noir	\$300	\$3,060

Club members enjoy 10% off all wine and 15% off cases (mixed cases ok).
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