

World of Wine Club Selections

About Revelry Vintners Walla Walla, Washington

Revelry is the brainchild of northwest native Jared Burns. Jared, drawing on a unique and experience filled upbringing, adopted wine as personal passion at a young age; the son of self-made entrepreneur Dennis Burns, founder of Pro-Tec Helmets, Gargoyles Sunglasses, and the inventor of the synthetic wine cork. In 1998 Burns was awarded the Golden Grape Award for his pioneering ingenuity, the product of which forever changed the course of an industry and ultimately the quality of wine.

With encouragement to color outside of the lines the younger Burns learned winemaking on the job, working with some of Washington's finest winemakers. Harvesting fruit throughout the Columbia Valley's distinct and varying microclimates—from the Wahluke Slope, Horse Heaven Hills, and Red Mountain AVAs—and employing both traditional and modern winemaking techniques, Revelry is an homage to the heritage and excellence of Washington States unrivaled winemaking tradition, creating wines of uncompromised quality at unparalleled value.

Revelry Vintners 2010 'The Reveler' Columbia Valley, Washington

Since the first release in 2007, 'The Reveler' has embodied a non-traditional approach to blending. This 2010 vintage, comprised of Cabernet Franc, Merlot, and Cabernet Sauvignon - with just a touch of Malbec and Petit Verdot snuck in, and sourced from Weinbau, Sagemoor, Alder Ridge, Seven Hills, and Doval vineyards within Washington State's Columbia Valley, is incredibly full and layered with a deep, silky and undeniably long finish.

Regular Price \$19.99 Club Price \$17.99

Revelry Vintners 2012 Chardonnay Columbia Valley, Washington

The Chardonnay grape thrives in Washington's loam and sand soils - deposits left from the Missoula floods. These soils help influence flavors within Revelry's Chardonnay fruit that are both rich and developed, yet that are also anchored by flinty flavors of mineral and stone fruit. Revelry builds their Chardonnays to be refreshing, and above all else to be clean representations of the fruit itself. 2011 set the bar for their Chardonnay quality. With this 2012 release they created a near carbon copy of that wine. Refreshing and pronounced; balanced and crisp.

Regular Price \$16.99 Club Price \$15.29

Red Wine Lovers Club Selections

About Fattoria Uccelliera Tuscany, Italy

Andrea Cortonesi is undeniably one of the best producers in Montalcino. He is the owner of the famous Uccelliera estate and now collaborates with a small estate in the northern area of Montalcino called Voliero. We are more than ecstatic to be able to offer these wines.

Andrea was born the only son of a farmer and grew up closely assisting his father in the vineyards as a teenager in Montalcino. When he set out to purchase his own vineyard land to passionately produce Brunello here, he bought a tiny amount of older vines in the Southern part of Montalcino, rich in sand and rock that yield muscular and powerful Brunello. These vineyards were part of the Ciacci estate which can trace their winemaking lineage in this area as far back as the 17th century. That was the birth of some amazing Brunello and the beginning of Uccelliera.

Fattoria Uccelliera 2011 Ginepraia Tuscany, Italy

This deep ruby red wine is a blend of 70% Sangiovese, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon and 15% Petite Verdot. The nose is intense with scents of kirsch and currants with spicy nuances of chocolate. The taste is soft and warm with sweet tannins and complex harmonic structure. Full on the palate with a long lingering finale.

Regular Price \$24.99 Club Price \$22.49

Fattoria Uccelliera 2007 Castellanccio Tuscany, Italy

Can you say SUPER Tuscan? The 2007 Fattoria Uccelliera Castellaccio is a rich, smooth, silky blend of 50% Sangiovese, 35% Cabernet Sauvignon, and 15% Syrah. The Sangiovese gives this wine some cherry, plum and savory qualities. The Cabernet contributes structure as well as black current notes. And the Syrah brings dark fruit flavors and that wonderful black pepper spice. Right out of the bottle you'll get perfume and fruit in your glass, but as it opens up you'll also pick up hints of dark chocolate and leather.

And this 2007 is still a baby, you could age it for up to 20 years and it will just get better and better!

Regular Price \$30.99 Club Price \$27.89

Northwest Club Selections

About Soos Creek Wine Cellars Kent, Washington

Owner and Winemaker, David Larsen, is one of Washington's longest-tenured winemakers. He started making wine back in the 70s, moved on into the Boeing Employees Wine and Beermaking Club in 1988, and in two short years opened Soos Creek (in his garage). Brian Carter consulted with him in the beginning, to help get him started.

Production at Soos Creek is still just 1600 cases, David believes that winemaking is very much an art, rather than a science, and he relies on taste for most of the winemaking decisions. His ultimate criteria is that the wine should be very enjoyable and always beckon you back for another sip.

Soos Creek 2010 Artist Series Columbia Valley, Washington

"You may never find a better Washington wine at this price," says Sean Sullivan, of the Washington Wine Report. "I can't recommend this wine highly enough!"

Now David works with grapes from some of the most sought after vineyards in the state. The 2010 Artist Series comes from Champoux, Dineen, and Weinbau. It is a blend of 49% Cabernet Franc, 44% Cabernet Sauvignon and 7% Merlot.

What did we think when we first tasted it? Well, you could see our heads all nodding in agreement. A gorgeous floral nose, smooth and integrated tannins and just the right amounts of oak and spice. This is one very well-made and balanced wine! A MUST for every cellar!!!

Regular Price \$32.99 Club Price \$29.69

Soos Creek 2010 Ciel du Cheval Vineyard Red Wine Red Mountain, Washington

Here is Harvey Steiman's review he penned for the Wine Spectator, "Focused, deep and distinctive, this red offers grace notes of mint and peach fuzz tannins around a solid core of black cherry fruit, lingering easily on the extended finish. Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Merlot. Best from 2014 through 2020" (92 Points WS 10/2013)

Regular Price \$37.99 Club Price \$34.19

White Wine Lovers Club Selections

Domaine de La Croix Ronde 2010 Cuvée Jade Chardonnay IGP Haut Valle de L'Orb, France

The Domaine de La Croix Ronde covers 12 hectares. It is located in the small commune of La Tour sur Orb (near Bédarieux), in the north of the Languedoc. There in the Upper Orb Valley Francois Pottier tends to 30 year old Chardonnay vines nestled in the foothills of the southern buttresses of the Massif Central.

This unoaked 100% Chardonnay is a pretty golden-yellow color with hints of glowing green. It has a clean and fresh bouquet, and rich flavors combining green apple and sweeter stone fruits. Serve lightly chilled. This chardonnay is perfect with chicken dishes and other white meats as well as charcuterie. It also pairs well with rich cheeses, but perhaps its at its best on its own.

Regular Price \$12.99 Club Price \$11.69

Orin Swift 2011 Mannequin Napa and Sonoma, California

The history of Orin Swift Cellars dates back to 1995 when on a lark, David Swift Phinney took a friend up on an offer and went to Florence, Italy to spend a semester "studying". During that time, he was introduced to wine, how it was made, and got hooked. A few more years of university led to graduation and eventually a job at Robert Mondavi Winery in 1997 as a temporary harvest worker. Deciding that if he was going to work this hard, it would eventually have to be for himself, so in 1998 he founded Orin Swift Cellars; Orin is his father's middle name and Swift is his mother's maiden name. With two tons of zinfandel and not much else, he spent the next decade making wine for others as well as himself and grew the company into a multinational brand that now includes 300 acres of vineyards in the Southwest of France. This international ambition has led to projects in Spain, Italy, Corsica, Argentina and other locations around the globe.

This wine is a blend of Chardonnay, Viognier, Semillon, Muscat, and Marsanne. It was aged in a union of 40% new French oak, 40% neutral oak, and 20% stainless steel for 14 months.

A brilliant yellow, gold hue invites the senses and draws attention the wine's supremely fragrant notes of honeysuckle, pear, orange peel, green apple, roasted fig, and a touch of French oak. Ripe, round, and exotic, the palate is treated to a supple and concentrated mouthfeel supported with melon, fresh pineapple, and citrus flavors. The finish is positively rich and lingering with a lively seam of acidity to add dimension.

Regular Price \$35.99 Special Club SALE Price \$28.99