



# LINCOURT

*Summer 2023*

WINE CLUB NEWSLETTER

Greetings Wine Club Members,

*April showers bring May flowers*, as the saying goes, and that is certainly the case for us, with a record 30+ inches so far this winter, double what we usually expect! No harm to the grapevines, though, and the valley could not be more beautiful. A tapestry of spring green everywhere, with the vineyards just beginning to bud out and wildflowers adding touches of white, yellow, and purple – the Sta. Rita Hills truly take our breath away this time of year, particularly this year!

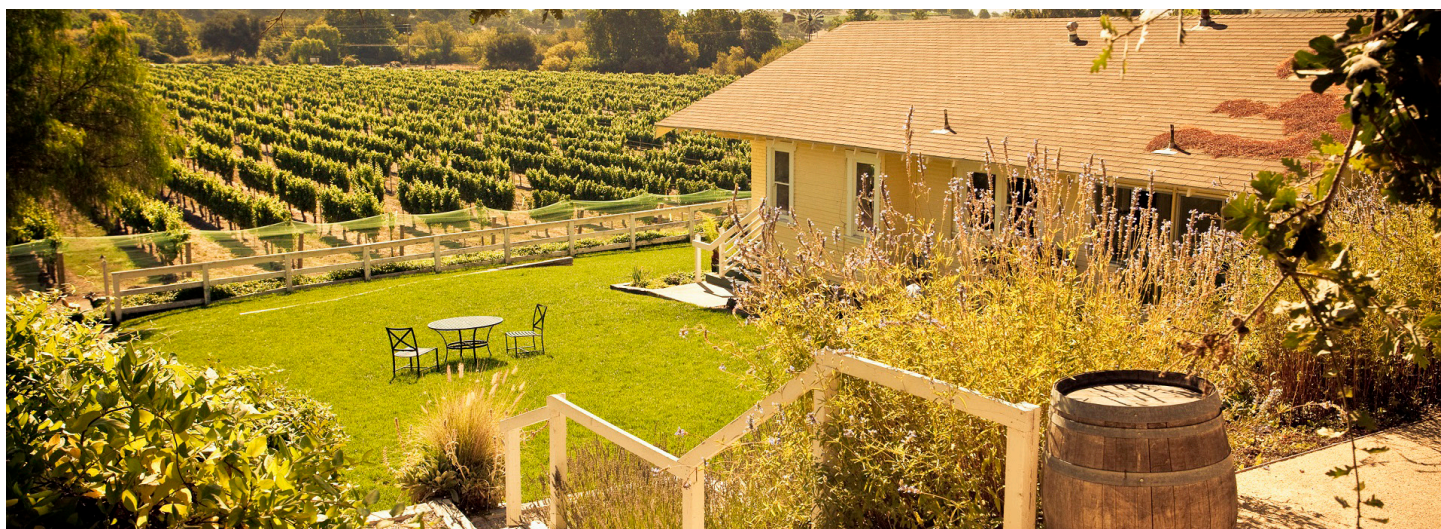
In the cellar we are wrapping up our springtime bottling and prepping for July bottling, as well as beginning to plan for the upcoming harvest – yes, harvest will be here before we know it! In the vineyards the vines are intensifying their growth with bloom, set, and trellising. It is a critical time when we begin canopy management of the vines and first crop estimate counts.

The two wines in your shipment – the 2021 Carol Ann Chardonnay and the 2021 Annie Dyer Pinot Noir – are legacy tribute wines of sort. Carol Ann is our proprietor Bill Foley's wife, and Annie Dyer was his grandmother. The back stories of these great women are the inspiration for these wines. The Carol Ann Chardonnay embodies the elegance, sophistication, and approachable nature of Carol Foley. It's a wine rooted in old world farming nuances balanced by modern, fruit-forward CA fruit. I like to pair this wine with halibut crudo in citrus ponzu. The Annie Dyer Pinot Noir is an unapologetic wine with bold, spicy, and lush fruit notes. Annie Dyer was an author who wrote for West and Frontier Times Magazine -- her life was multifaceted with many layers, and this wine emulates her character. This Pinot Noir is delicious with roasted pork loin and a beet and goat cheese salad.

Summer is the perfect time to visit us at the winery – sit outside and enjoy the picturesque view overlooking the vineyards while you sip some of your favorite Lincourt wines – walk-ins are welcome! Remember wine club members receive complimentary wine tasting for up to four guests, and wines are also available for purchase by the glass or bottle. Bring your four-legged furry friends and be sure to snap some pictures and tag us on Instagram, [@lincourtwine](https://www.instagram.com/lincourtwine).

We hope you'll stop by and see us soon.

Lorna Keuetz,  
Winemaker



# Featured Wine Selections



## 2021 *Carol Ann* CHARDONNAY

This wine opens with aromas of toasted hazelnut and lime flower with accents of citrus fruit. Reminiscent of Chablis on the palate, this wine has balanced lemon fruit notes, crisp acidity, and racy minerality — the perfect food-friendly Chardonnay.

APPELLATION Sta. Rita Hills  
COMPOSITION 100% Chardonnay  
ALCOHOL 14.3%  
AGING 18 months in French oak, 30% new  
PRODUCTION 500 cases



## 2021 *Annie Dyer* PINOT NOIR

The 2021 Annie Dyer opens with aromas of brambled boysenberry cobbler with hints black pepper and Chamborde liquor with accents of dark plum. On the palate, this Pinot Noir has depth with dark fruit notes of blackberry and earthy pomegranate fruit with hints of peppercorn and cocoa on the finish.

APPELLATION Sta. Rita Hills  
COMPOSITION 100% Pinot Noir  
ALCOHOL 14.3%  
AGING 18 months in French oak, 60% new  
PRODUCTION 1,200 cases



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