

Central Coast Home Vintners' Association

2021 Grape Co-op Catalog

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CCHVA Mentors

CCHVA mentors are available to assist new winemakers. Please contact one of the individuals in your area if you have questions or need some assistance.

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2021 Grape Harvest Selections Available

Please keep in mind that we will continue to monitor any COVID restrictions and will advise you on the current status when we notify you of harvest and grape pick-up dates.

This year, the Central Coast Home Vintners' Association Grape Co-op continues to select those vineyards that consistently offer excellent, award-winning fruit. The vineyards this year are Margarita, Los Alamos, Goodchild, and Valley View. Most all varieties went up in price this year due to labor and probably fuel cost.

Keep in mind that all our grapes are harvested by hand, which adds a small cost for quality fruit. In addition, CCHVA adds a small surcharge to the price the vineyards charge to cover the cost of transportation to pick up the grapes, equipment maintenance, and use of the property for the crush. The CCHVA surcharge did not change.

A minimum order of 100 pounds is required. As a rule of thumb, 100 pounds will make 5 to 6 gallons of wine. It is best if you can encourage your wine making friends to join with you to order a half bin (500 lbs); however, this is not a requirement as we are coordinating orders from many areas in California. **We will inform you if the varietal you select does not receive orders of at least 500 pounds. At that time, you may want to select an alternate variety. The 500-pound minimum total order per vineyard and varietal will be strictly followed this year.**

Place your order by August 24th, 2021, to make sure that the vineyard of your choice will be able to deliver. A 100% deposit is required by September 1st, 2021.

We will crush and de-stem the fruit at Vern Veglia's place in Orcutt, Ca, and we will provide initial measurements of Brix. It is also recommended that each wine maker also verify all measurements before starting your fermentation. For those vintners who choose a white grape, we will provide a press at the time of crush. You will need to provide your own containers for transporting your grape must or juice to your wine cellar. ***Due to the number of people involved during the crush and nature of the equipment, children should not attend the crush.***

We are very thankful to Vern Veglia for the use of his property during the two or three months of the crush period. Please respect his property when picking up your order.

Warning: Grapes may be picked any day of the week.

It is imperative for you to be available to pick up your grapes on their delivery date. If for any reason you cannot pick-up your grapes at the time of crush, you are responsible for making arrangements to take delivery.

The following information identifies the vineyard, variety code, and price. **Place your order by August 24, 2021.**

Margarita Vineyard

Along the southernmost reaches of Paso Robles AVA lies Margarita Vineyard, cradled by the Santa Lucia mountains just 14 miles from the Pacific Ocean. There are no other vineyards in the vicinity, so Margarita Vineyard stands alone in benefiting from the remarkable growing conditions of the surrounding Santa Margarita Ranch AVA. Here, the vines unfold along a rare diversity of five soil types—ancient seabed, shale, rocky alluvium, granitic and volcanic—amid one of Paso Robles' coolest growing environments. This is the same vineyard that provides grapes for the Ancient Peaks label.

| | Code | Varietal | Cost/lb | Harvest Dates* |
|--------|------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|
| Reds | MV1 | Cabernet Sauvignon | \$2.08 | 10/10-10/24 |
| | MV2 | Malbec | \$1.81 | 9/29 -10/19 |
| | MV3 | Merlot | \$1.53 | 9/27-10/19 |
| | MV4 | Petit Verdot | \$1.81 | No Dates Available |
| | MV5 | Pinot Noir | \$2.08 | 9/14 - 9/27 |
| | MV6 | Syrah | \$1.64 | 9/26 -10/19 |
| | MV7 | Petite Syrah | \$1.81 | 10/7-10/24 |
| | MV8 | Zinfandel | \$1.70 | 9/27 -10/24 |
| Whites | MV9 | Chardonnay | \$1.64 | No Dates Available |
| | MV10 | Pinot Gris | \$1.75 | 9/10 |
| | MV11 | Riesling | \$1.53 | No Dates Available |
| | MV12 | Sauvignon Blanc | \$1.53 | 9/10-9/26 |

* The harvest dates are an estimate only based on previous seasons and are provided for your planning purposes.

Lucas & Lewellen Vineyards Goodchild, Los Alamos, Valley View

Goodchild - Santa Maria Valley

Along both sides of the acclaimed Foxen Wine Trail, these vineyards consistently produce prize-winning Pinot Noir and Chardonnay grapes. The soils vary from clay and gravel river deposits to hillside and hilltop sites reminiscent of the great vineyards of Burgundy.

Los Alamos Vineyard - Los Alamos Valley

Stretching for over a mile of Highway 101 frontage just south of the town of Los Alamos, these vineyards are home to over 20 varieties of grapes, representing the principal varieties of the Rhône, Burgundy and Bordeaux regions of France, as well as Italian varieties. With some of the vines planted from cuttings brought over from Europe over 25 years ago, these vineyards have long been a favorite source for many of California's most acclaimed wineries.

Valley View Vineyard - Santa Ynez Valley

Sloping gently toward the Santa Ynez River, the south-facing lower vineyard features what many consider Santa Barbara County's best Cabernet Sauvignon. The hilltop vineyard produces outstanding Cabernet Franc and Syrah.

Note: Those varietals marked with an * are in very short supply this year, you may order them but when we place our order, they may not be available.

| Reds | Code | Varietal | Cost/lb | Harvest Dates* |
|--------|-------|----------------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| | LLV1 | Barbera – Los Alamos | \$1.40 | 10/8 – 11/15 |
| | LLV2 | Cabernet Franc – Los Alamos | \$1.80 | 10/10 – 11/20 |
| | LLV3 | Cabernet Franc – Valley View | \$1.80 | 10/4 – 11/2 |
| | LLV4 | Cabernet Sauvignon – Valley View | \$1.95 | 9/29 – 11/20 |
| | LLV5 | Dolcetto – Los Alamos | \$1.40 | 9/14 - 10/13 |
| | LLV6 | Freisa – Los Alamos | \$1.50 | 10/10 |
| | LLV7 | Malbec – Los Alamos | \$1.70 | 10/2 – 11/2 |
| | LLV8 | Merlot – Los Alamos | \$1.60 | 10/1 -11/15 |
| | LLV9 | Nebbiolo – Los Alamos | \$1.60 | 10/2 – 11/20 |
| | LLV10 | Petite Verdot – Los Alamos | \$1.90 | 9/30-11/2 |
| | LLV11 | Petite Syrah – Young | \$1.30 | No Dates Available |
| | LLV12 | Petite Syrah - Old | \$1.90 | 10/7 – 11/8 |
| | LLV13 | Pinot Noir – Los Alamos | \$1.50 | 9/3 -10/13 |
| | LLV14 | Pinot Noir Goodchild High 9 | \$1.95 | 9/4 - 9/26 |
| | LLV15 | *Sangiovese – Los Alamos | \$1.60 | 9/22 – 11/22 |
| | LLV16 | Syrah – Los Alamos | \$1.30 | 9/26 – 11/6 |
| | LLV17 | Syrah – Valley View | \$1.60 | 9/14 -10/23 |
| Whites | LLV18 | Chardonnay –Goodchild | \$1.30 | 9/10 – 11/6 |
| | LLV19 | Chardonnay –Los Alamos | \$1.05 | 9/10 – 11/04 |
| | LLV20 | Chenin Blanc – Los Alamos | \$1.45 | 9/18 - 10/31 |
| | LLV21 | *Gewurztraminer – Los Alamos | \$1.30 | 8/22 - 9/20 |
| | LLV22 | Muscat Canelli – Los Alamos | \$1.10 | 9/19 – 10/26 |
| | LLV23 | Orange Muscat – Los Alamos | \$1.20 | 9/19-10/9 |
| | LLV24 | Riesling – Los Alamos | \$1.25 | 9/12 -11/9 |
| | LLV25 | *Sauvignon Blanc – Los Alamos | \$1.35 | 9/8 – 10/22 |

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| LLV26 | Pinot Grigio | \$1.25 | 8/29 – 10/9 |
| LLV27 | *Viognier | \$1.45 | 8/21 - 10/23 |
| LLV28 | *Malvasia Blanc | \$1.30 | N/A |

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To Order:

Place your order early to allow us to time to coordinate the requirements of all the home winemakers

Place your order with Jim Ford by **August 24th, 2021**, e-mailing him at pjford412@verizon.net, or telephone or text at 1-805-268-1222, or by mail to 412 S. Palisade Drive, Santa Maria, CA 93454. In order that we can notify you when your grapes will be delivered, please include your home, cell, and work telephone numbers, as well as your home and work e-mail addresses. We will normally provide you a day or two advance notice of the delivery time but weather and vineyard requirements may result in a very short notification.

Make checks payable to CCHVA, indicate on the check that it is for the Grape Co-op, and mail it to Jim Ford, 412 S. Palisade Drive, Santa Maria, CA 93454, by **September 1st, 2021**. Please include 100% of the amount due. If you have not renewed or joined the CCHVA for 2021, please send a separate check for \$40.00 for 2021 dues in addition to your payment for your grapes.

Grape Pick-up Location:

1333 Bush Lane, Orcutt, CA 93455

Directions:

From the North US101

Turn **right** onto **Union Parkway**. 3.0 mi

Turn **left** onto **S Blosser Rd**. 0.5 mi

Turn **right** onto **Solomon Rd**. 0.3 mi

- *Solomon Rd is 0.1 miles past Rick Rd*
- *If you reach Terrazzo Way you've gone about 0.2 miles too far*

Take the 2nd **right** onto **Bush Ln**. 0.2 mi

- *Bush Ln is just past Kris Ln*

1333 BUSH LN is on the **right**.

- *If you reach the end of Bush Ln you've gone a little too far*

From the South

Take the **US-101 N**.

Take the **Clark Ave** exit, **EXIT 164**, 0.2 mi

toward **Orcutt**.

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| Turn left onto E Clark Ave | 3.3 mi |
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| Turn right onto S Blosser Rd. | 0.5 mi |
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If you reach Arabian Trl you've gone about 0.1 miles too far

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| Take the 1st left onto Solomon Rd. | 0.3 mi |
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To all our previous grape buyers, we thank you for your participation in past years, and we hope to serve you again this year with prize-winning grapes.

See you at the crush: Jim Ford
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