

RECENT PRAISE

Scores, Awards & Accolades

PINOT NOIR				
Ashley's	2022	94 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Jeb Dunnuck 93 pts – Wine Spectator 92 pts – Vinous	2021	95 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 93 pts – Vinous 94 pts – Wine Enthusiast 91 pts - Spectator
Bien Nacido	2022	93 pts – Vinous 91 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 92 pts – Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast	2021	94 pts – Vinous 93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast
Clone 115	2022	94 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 90pts – Spectator 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Vinous	2021	93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck, Vinous 92 pts – Wine Enthusiast 90 pts – Spectator
Fiddlestix	2022	94 pts – Vinous 92 pts – Wine Enthusiast	2021	95 pts – Vinous 94 pts – Wine Enthusiast 91 pts – Wine Spectator
Older Barrels	2022	92 pts – Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast	2021	91 pts – Wine Spectator 90 pts – Wine Enthusiast
Parker West	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Jeb Dunnuck 92 pts – Wine Spectator 91 pts – Vinous	2021	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Vinous 91 pts – Jeb Dunnuck
Pommard Clone	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Jeb Dunnuck 92 pts – Wine Spectator, Vinous	2021	94 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Wine Spectator, Vinous
Sanford & Benedict	2022	96 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 91 pts – Wine Spectator, Vinous 92 pts – Wine Enthusiast	2021	95 pts – Wine Enthusiast 94 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 93 pts – Vinous 90 pts – Wine Spectator
Sanford & Benedict "1971"	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Wine Spectator 91 pts – Vinous	2021	94 pts – Wine Enthusiast 93+ pts – Jeb Dunnuck 93 pts – Vinous 92 pts – Wine Spectator
Sta. Rita Hills	2023	90 pts - Wine Enthusiast	2022	90 pts - Wine Spectator
RHONE REDS				
Syrah, Rodney's	2021	94 pts – Vinous 93 pts – Wine Spectator, Jeb Dunnuck	2020	93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck, Wine Enthusiast 92+ pts – Vinous
Syrah, SBC	2021	93 pts – Vinous 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast	2020	92 pts – Vinous 91 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 91 pts & Editors' Choice – Wine Enthusiast
The Big Easy	2021	95 pts – Vinous 93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 91 pts – Jeb Dunnuck	2020	93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck, Wine Enthusiast, Vinous
Home Ranch Cuvée, Rodney's	2021	93 pts – Vinous 91 pts & Editors' Choice – Wine Enthusiast 91 pts – Jeb Dunnuck		
Chardonnay				
Ashley's	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Wine Spectator, Vinous, Jeb Dunnuck	2021	92 pts – Dunnuck, Wine & Spirits, Vinous 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast
Bien Nacido	2022	94 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 90 pts – Wine Spectator	2021	94 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Wine & Spirits 93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck, Vinous
Parker West	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Vinous 90 pts – Wine Spectator	2021	92 pts – Wine & Spirits, Vinous 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast
Sanford & Benedict	2022	93 pts – Wine Enthusiast 92 pts – Wine Spectator 91 pts – Vinous	2021	94 pts – Vinous 93 pts – Jeb Dunnuck 91 pts – Wine Enthusiast
Santa Barbara County	2023	91 pts & Best Buy – Wine Enthusiast 91 pts – Vinous	2022	90 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Jeb Dunnuck
Other Whites				
Viognier, Rodney's	2022	91 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Vinous, Jeb Dunnuck	2021	90 pts – Wine Enthusiast, Vinous
Dry Riesling, Rodney's	2023	93 pts & Editors' Choice – Wine Enthusiast	2021	92 pts – Wine Enthusiast
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The lineup from Fess Parker is loaded with outstanding wines."

~ Jeb Dunnuck

"... a wonderfully pure, medium-bodied Pinot Noir that has the classic purity, precision, and focus of this remarkable site." (2022 Sanford & Benedict Pinot Noir)

~ Antonio Galloni's Vinous

66 ... This complex, satisfying, beautifully balanced effort will keep for a decade." (2022 Clone 115 Pinot Noir)

~ Jeb Dunnuck

... positively stellar. Rich, ample and explosive ... The Fiddlestix is the most overt and satisfying of the Fess Parker Pinots. I loved it." (2021 Fiddlestix Vineyard Pinot Noir)

~ Antonio Galloni's Vinous

" a stunning wine that shows how compelling this vintage is ..." (2021 SBC Syrah)

~ Antonio Galloni's Vinous

"One of the finest vintages
I've tasted ... a beautiful bouquet
... silky tannins, a layered,
satisfying mouthfeel, and a
great finish..." (2020 The Big Easy)

~ Jeb Dunnuck

66 ... bright, perfumed and nicely focused. This sandy site produces a Chardonnay with gorgeous aromatics ... Chiseled and vibrant, the 2021 is a winner."

(2021 Ashley's Chardonnay)

~ Antonio Galloni's Vinous

... soars from the glass with striking aromatics ... **Effortless and gracious, the 2023 is a winner**..." (2023 SBC Chardonnay)

~ Jeb Dunnuck