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DEAR FRIENDS,

It has been a really cold winter (with a couple of weird heat events) and as such the cellar has been **FROSTY**. What makes for challenging human conditions, also means that this year, the wines are crazy fresh and pure. In the past few weeks though, the rain has been steadily falling and the central coast is **GREEN**! It is an amazingly beautiful time to visit the area which, for a few short months, looks lush, and will soon boast an unbelievable bounty of wildflowers... While you're here, come to our tasting room in the village of **ARROYO GRANDE** and join the Wine Club. Members can take advantage of **COMP** tastings, special wine club **EVENTS**, and much more! In the coming releases, we look forward to releasing our first **WINE CLUB ONLY** wines. Stay tuned for details...

Sometimes, wines get released because... well... they are the new wines and it is just time to release them. This time around, when tasting through the Spring 2018 release, the wines were all just ready to go! The 2017 **OPENING ACT ROSE** is absolutely singing right now... We snuck a few bottles into the tasting room in the last few weeks and the consensus is, get your hands on this wine while it lasts! The 2016 **OPENING ACT CHARDONNAY**, mostly from Bien Nacido with a touch of Sierra Madre fruit is also jamming right now so don't miss out.

As always, help us spread the word to your wine-loving **FRIENDS** and **ENEMIES**, and holler at us **@TIMBREWINERY** on Facebook and Instagram. Without further ado, we present our release. Read on for individual tasting notes and information about each of the new wines... Cheers!

- Josh, Alex, & Chiasa-

p.s. Please place your order by April 6th to receive 10% off your purchase. If ordering online, use the code **SPRING2018TW** at checkout to receive the discount. Wines will be shipped/delivered after April 9th via temperature-controlled truck. If you would like to place an order by phone call Anne at 805-270-4308!



2017 TIMBRE ROSÉ OF PINOT NOIR 'OPENING ACT' [BIEN NACIDO, PRESQU'ILE, & SQUIRE CANYON VINEYARDS]

suggested retail price \$18.00

'Opening Act - The band that whets your appetite for the main event. This saignée, bled from our best Pinot Noir fermentations, is floral, aromatic, balanced, and delicious. It's the perfect wine to start the show, and might just steal it.'

This wine, like its predecessors since the 2012 vintage, is again a saignée from our best vineyard sources. The translation of "saignée" is "bleeding", meaning that this wine is bled from our red wine fermentation vessels immediately after the fruit has been destemmed, when the juice has been allowed to gain only the slightest bit of color from the red grape skins. This wine is primarily blended from Bien Nacido, Presqu'ile, and Squire Canyon vineyards.

Fermenting in 50% neutral oak, and 50% stainless steel allowed us to keep all of the lovely freshness and bright acidity in this Rosé. Salmon in color and super fresh, this wine exhibits cherry blossom and rose water, with hints of citrus peel. Minerality, meyer lemon, and whispers of raspberry finish fruity and clean.

Rosé makes me think of the end of the cold... Something upbeat to wake you up from winter slumber should do! Cheesy in a fun way, Katrina & The Waves' *Walking on sunshine* should work. Drink now-2019 when we release the next rose!





2016 TIMBRE CHARDONNAY 'OPENING ACT' [BIEN NACIDO & SIERRA MADRE VINEYARDS]

suggested retail price \$24.00

'Opening Act - The first band to take the stage. Bien Nacido and Sierra Madre were among the first great vineyards planted in Santa Barbara County. Known for growing consistently high quality fruit, they have both become stars. Don't be late to the show.'

A little rain in 2016 after years of drought really pushed these vineyards into gear! As in past years, this wine is a blend of the citrus-driven old (1973) and young (1997) vines from Bien Nacido, as well as the more tropical Sierra Madre fruit, planted in the mid 1980s.

The 2016 Opening Act Chardonnay is pale yellow, which belies the not pale nature of this super snappy wine! Allow it to open up for a minute before it starts bursting with flint, wet stone, and apple pie. Tart citrus, hard peaches, and key lime pie. This wine is sooooo good!

I think this calls for a tune with some snap! If you can handle it, then *Snap Yo Fingers* by Lil Jon just might do the trick. Drink Now-2022+.





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