



2007 CHENIN BLANC

Food & Wine Magazine - "GREAT BARGAIN – TERRIFIC WINE UNDER \$15"

March 2009

Dan Berger's Vintage Experiences - "EXCEPTIONAL"

October 9, 2008

Melon and pear aroma and a fresh, lively scent of fresh tea leaves. Medium-dry in the entry, and a great wine to pair with curry dishes.

Wine & Spirits - "BEST BUY"

October 2008

Honeyed peach and apricot flavors lend a gentle sweetness to this clean white, light and ready to chill for grilled prawns with fruit salsa.

Oprah Magazine - "15 TERRIFIC WINES \$15 AND UNDER"

September 2008

This longtime hit has a lot of what people love about California Chardonnay – that soft, easy-drinking quality – but with an exotic honeysuckle twist in a lighter-bodied frame.

Dan Berger's Vintage Experiences - "WINE OF THE WEEK"

July 3, 2008

Bright melon and pear fruit, a succulent entry and relatively dry finish. Yet another stunning example of Chenin Blanc (yet one more underrated wine) that annually delivers perfect summer sipping along with being a nice accompaniment to Thai or Indian cuisines.

2006 CHENIN BLANC

Food & Wine - “BEST AMERICAN WINES \$15 & UNDER”

April 2008

Most of Dry Creek Vineyard’s wines sell for well over \$20, but this rich, melony, full-bodied white, made without a trace of oak aging, is a welcome exception.

New World International Wine Competition 2007 GOLD MEDAL – BEST OF CLASS

Pacific Coast Oyster Wine Competition 2007 - “OYSTER AWARD WINNER”

2005 CHENIN BLANC

Gourmet Magazine - “INEXPENSIVE WHITE WINES OF EVERY STRIPE”

June 2006

Very pretty nose: grapefruit, tangerine, melon. Nicely balanced, with just a touch of sweetness and great acidity.

The Press Democrat - ★★★ ½ STARS

April 5, 2006

A lovely Chenin Blanc. Bright fruit flavors of tart apple, honeydew and grapefruit. Great balance.

Sunset - “OUR PICK”

April 2006

Dry Creek Vineyard’s Chenin Blanc has long been a favorite. Zesty and light, with lively flavors evoking cream soda.

Baltimore Sun - “VERY GOOD”

by Michael Dresser

March 8, 2006

Spring is a-coming and it's time to load up on Dry Creek chenin blanc—consistently one of California's best deals in a dry white wine. It's good to see Dry Creek getting this wine out to market while it's still young and fresh. It's a vibrant wine with a smorgasbord of flavors—pear, minerals, mint, melon, cherry, lime—and a crisp crackling feel. It's best if consumed between now and Labor Day. Serve with soft-shell crabs, spicy Asian food.

Wine Enthusiast - “86 POINTS” – BEST BUY

July 2006

Dry Creek Vineyard is one of the few remaining California wineries serious about Chenin Blanc. The wine is similar to a dry Sauvignon Blanc, citrusy and tart, but richer in the finish, with a flourish of apricot and sweet hazelnut.

Pacific Coast Oyster Wine Competition 2006 - “OYSTER AWARD WINNER”
