



## 2008 CHENIN BLANC

### **Food & Wine Magazine - "5 FAIL-SAFE WINE VALUES"**

*September 2009*

Some California wines have such a strong track record that vintage essentially becomes moot.

This Sonoma producer has been making crisp, peachy Chenin Blanc for more than 30 years, first from healdsburg and now from the Clarksburg AVA.

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## 2007 CHENIN BLANC

### **Wine Spectator - "TOP VALUE"**

*June 15, 2009*

Peach, apricot and citrus flavors are ripe and juicy, with fragrant chamomile and herb notes and good intensity.

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### **Wine & Spirits - "100 TOP VALUES OF THE YEAR"**

*June 2009*

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

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

*March 2009*

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### **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.

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## **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.

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## **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.

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# **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.

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## **New World International Wine Competition 2007**

**GOLD MEDAL – BEST OF CLASS**

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

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