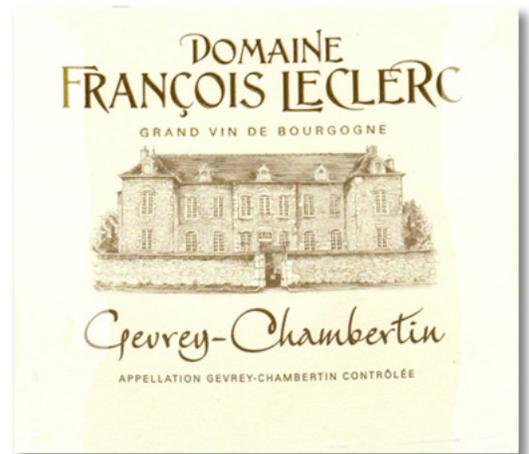


CLUB CRUSH PINOT *July Shipment (#4 - 2018)*

DOMAINE FRANÇOIS LECLERC 2015 BURGUNDY GEVREY-CHAMBERTIN, FRANCE

Rene Leclerc says he does not want to make technical wine. Instead, he wants to make wine from experience. Rene has been making wine under his own label since the mid 1970's. Today, he is one of the best known and most highly respected craftsmen in Burgundy. He simply makes great wine year in and year out.

Rene is slowly passing the reins of the domaine to his son, Francois who has trained in both France and America. He works closely with his dad because he wants to continue the successful winemaking style that Rene has perfected – both for the Rene Leclerc wines as well as for his own wines with the Francois Leclerc label.



TASTING NOTES: Some Gevrey seems more feminine than others but remains masculine. Bright ruby color with a clear rim. Very subtle aromas and taste of black cherries, raspberries, floral notes with a hint of cocoa nibs, meaty and earthy notes. Mild and integrated tannins in the finish, all in great finesse for this very elegant wine.

Production: 175 cases

Regular Price. . . . \$57.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE. . . . \$52.19

FAILLA WINES 2016 PINOT NOIR SONOMA COAST

Failla Wines is owned by winemaker Ehren Jordan and his wife Anne-Marie; the winery name is Ann-Marie's maiden name. Failla specializes in three wines, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, and Syrah all sourced from very cool weather vineyards ranging from Sonoma, Napa, Mendocino counties all the way up to Oregon's Willamette Valley. Arguably Failla is most known for their Pinot Noir – as they produce 17 different wines from this varietal (some made only for their wine club members).



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Ehren Jordan is a true vigneron, with decades of combined experience in the cellars and vineyards from the Rhône Valley to Paso Robles, Sonoma County to the Willamette Valley, and just about everywhere in between. Ehren is often associated with Turley Wine Cellars – that is because he spent 18 years at Turley helping create some of their well regarded Zinfandels and other wines as their General Manager and Director of Winemaking.

TASTING NOTES: The 2016 Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir shows generous aromatics of wild herbs and brambly fruit. Bright, focused and clean, flavors trend toward fresh blueberry, oregano and savory marmalade. With gentle structure and a sleek mid-palate, this is a wine for the dinner table.

Production: 5,000 cases

Regular Price. . . . \$38.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE. . . . \$35.09
