

# CLUB CRUSH RED *April Shipment (#2 - 2019)*

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## GRASSINI FAMILY VINEYARDS 2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON HAPPY CANYON, SANTA BARBARA

Grassini Family Vineyards is a family-owned and operated boutique winery which specializes in the handcrafted production of wines made exclusively from Bordeaux varietals. We focus on farming our estate vineyard to its fullest potential using renewable and sustainable resources. A hands-on artisan approach helps us to make wines which represent the uniqueness of this special site and climate. The winery is located in California's new "Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara" AVA in the gorgeous Santa Ynez Valley.



[GrassiniFamilyVineyards.com](http://GrassiniFamilyVineyards.com)

**TASTING NOTES:** The 2016 Happy Canyon Cabernet Sauvignon opens with notes of raspberry and black currant on the nose, complemented by glimmers of toasted almond and vanilla. From the very first sip, this pretty wine pulses with energy and vitality. Flavors of cherry and plum are laced with subtle hints of dark chocolate and cocoa. The finish is velvety and nuanced and leaves you ready for an immediate second sip. The focused flavors and bright acid perfectly balance with the elegant tannins, producing a full-bodied yet refined wine.

**Composition:** 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc, 5% Petit Verdot

**Production:** 995 cases

**Regular Price: \$41.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE: \$37.79**

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## ARGOT WINES 2015 'MOZAIC' SYRAH SONOMA COUNTY

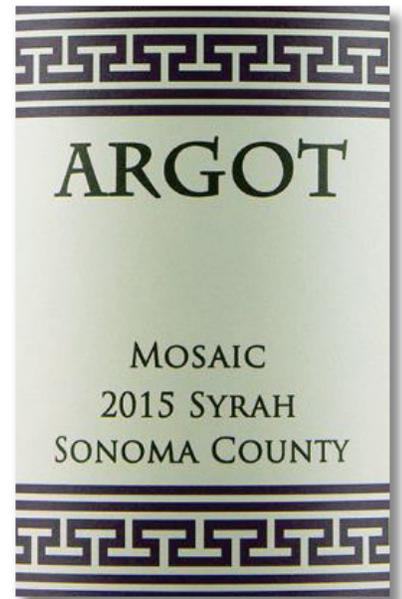
An argot is a secret language used by various groups—including, but not limited to, thieves and other criminals—to prevent outsiders from understanding their conversations. The term argot is also used to refer to the informal specialized vocabulary from a particular field of study, hobby, or job. ARGOT is the brainchild of Winemaker Justin Harmon. Dedicated to crafting small lots of white and red wine made at the very highest level. Justin was inspired to get into winemaking by an interview he read some years ago with legendary winemaker Sean Thackery.

2015's uncommonly low yields and drought conditions led to an impressively rich, intensely flavored wine with significant body and structure. A Syrah that hearkens to the wild, spice-driven wines of the Northern Rhone.

**TASTING NOTES:** Combines brooding intensity with polish, offering spirited blueberry, bittersweet chocolate and smoky licorice flavors that build richness toward broad-shouldered tannins. Best from 2020 through 2025.

**Composition:** 100% Syrah

**Production:** 250 cases



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**Regular Price: \$44.99 CLUB CRUSH PRICE: \$40.49**

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