



The Art of Naturally Made Wine

Maragas Winery Wins Double Gold!



Very gratifying!

11 medals awarded to us, including

- 2 DOUBLE GOLD: Anna Petit Sirah 2015, and Swingin Zin 2016
- 2 GOLD: Chardonnay 2017, and Tempranillo Reserve 2016
- 3 SILVER: Petit Verdot 2016, Malbec 2017, Frank Franc 2015
- 4 BRONZE: "M" 2014, Legal Zin 2016, Tempranillo 2017, and Blanco 2018

Ok, so that's our entire list of barrel aged wine entered into the competition.

How nice it is to have confirmation that our winemaking and grape growing abilities of traditional European wine grapes, at our winery and vineyards in Central Oregon, is near the top of the list. Although we've consistently won medals in this competition over the last 13 years, this year was a breakthrough into the double gold category and confirmation that our wines are world class. Pretty good for an agricultural business that was originally considered very improbable for success by the community, wine establishment, and even Oregon State.

If you're not familiar with the San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, this is a prestigious competition that is the largest in the world for American wines, and the judging is blind (unlike magazine ratings where they know which wines are being tasted). Wine is judged according to grape varietal and cost. Understandably, some categories are very popular and even more competitive - which makes us even more grateful for our wins.

We will continue developing our two organically and sustainably stewarded vineyards in Central Oregon. And, we will continue to bring you naturally made wine. Our self imposed limitations on creating wine with only four natural ingredients is the core of the method that has been used in the Maragas family for hundreds of years.

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