



**2017** ***WineMaker***<sup>®</sup>  
**International Amateur**  
**WINE COMPETITION**

2,497 Total Entries Judged April 7 - 9, 2017  
at Mount Snow Grand Summit Hotel in West Dover, Vermont

**2,497**.....total entries  
**506**.....wine flights  
**759**..... total judging hours  
**50**..... American states  
**6**..... Canadian provinces  
**7**..... Countries

**f**rom April 7 to 9, 2017, a total of 2,497 different wines were judged at the Grand Summit Hotel and Conference Center at Mount Snow Resort in West Dover, Vermont. This year's competition was again the largest wine competition of its kind in the world. The 2,497 entries arrived from hobby winemakers living throughout North America in 50 American states and 6 Canadian provinces and as far away as Norway and Australia. It continues to be the single largest and most diverse collection of hobby wines assembled annually under one roof. Over the course of three days, experienced judging panels worked through 506 flights, examining each wine using the UC-Davis 20-point wine scale evaluating appearance, aroma, taste, aftertaste and overall impression. The wines were entered in

50 different categories and included an astonishing array of varieties and wine styles. New this year was the addition of the Apple Hard Cider and Perry category to meet demand from hobbyists. Kit wines competed alongside fresh-grape entries in this blind tasting. Entries were awarded gold, silver, bronze and best of show medals based on the average score given by the judging panel. The Grand Champion Wine award was the top overall scoring wine across all categories and is being renamed this year the "Gene Spaziani Grand Champion Wine" in recognition of our longtime judging director. The Club of the Year was given to the club whose members won the most medals and the Retailer of the Year and U-Vint of the Year awards were given to the winemaking supply stores whose customers outperformed other similar shops. Finally the Winemaker of the Year award was given to the individual entrant who has the highest average score across their top 5 scoring wines in the competition.

Congratulations to everyone who won a medal, and a sincere thanks to our sponsors, Competition Director Ric Quental, Events Manager Jannell Kristiansen, our judges, competition volunteers, and of course everyone who took time to enter. We are already busy planning for the 2018 edition of this competition so get your wines ready for the March 16, 2018 entry deadline! Cheers and thanks for entering your wines!

## GENE SPAZIANI GRAND CHAMPION WINE

Philip Locilento  
Weston, ON

100% Vin Bon Premium Fresh Juice Vidal 2014

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### BEST OF SHOW RED

George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
Flemington, NJ

33.3% Cabernet Sauvignon,  
33.3% Merlot, 33.3% Sangiovese 2015

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### WINEMAKERS OF THE YEAR

Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA

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### BEST OF SHOW WHITE

Ron Powell  
Marksville, NC

100% Estate Carlos Muscadine 2015

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### BEST OF SHOW SPARKLING

Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
100 Mile House, BC

100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard Breezin'

Acai Raspberry 2016

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### CLUB OF THE YEAR

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### BEST OF SHOW DESSERT

Dan Boykin • Concord, CA

Port-Style 95% Merlot,  
5% Petit Verdot 2014

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### BEST OF SHOW KIT/ CONCENTRATE

William Stefan • Fairfax, VA

100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select

Specialty Riesling Ice Wine 2016

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### U-VINT OF THE YEAR

Vin Bon • Bradford, ON

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### BEST OF SHOW COUNTRY FRUIT

Stephen Plaso • New Philadelphia, OH

100% Ohio Elderberry 2015

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### BEST OF SHOW MEAD

Robert Broome • Terrace, BC

70% Fireweed Honey, 30%

Gravenstein Apple

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### BEST OF SHOW ESTATE GROWN

Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo • Boulder, CO

75% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon,

25% Estate Merlot 2015

SPONSOR:



## White Native American Varietal

Sponsor: LOGIC, Inc.

13 Entries

**GOLD**

Bill and Deby Macecevic • Stafford, VA  
100% Estate Diamond 2015

**BRONZE**

Gary Graves • New Albany, IN  
100% Niagara 2015  
Matt and Amy Jones • La Grange, IN  
100% Niagara 2016  
Donald Rieger • Elyria, OH  
100% Estate Niagara 2016

## White Native American Blend

No Entries

## Red Native American Varietal

23 Entries

**GOLD**

Christopher Gugel  
Jacksonville, FL  
100% Muscadine, Semi-Sweet 2016  
Ron Powell • Marksville, NC  
100% Estate Noble Muscadine 2015  
Greg and Carol Salyer • Gray, TN  
85% Estate Steuben, 15% Estate  
Blueberry 2014

**BRONZE**

Jeff Boswell • Cochranton, PA  
100% Fredonia 2015  
Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
100% Estate Valiant 2016  
Greg and Carol Salyer • Gray, TN  
100% Estate Catawba 2014

## Red Native American Blend

Sponsor: Lallemand, Inc.

6 Entries

**GOLD**

Steven White • Sandusky, OH  
40% Catawba, 31% Niagara, 29%  
Concord 2016

**SILVER**

Donald Rieger • Elyria, OH  
50% Estate Concord, 50% Estate  
Niagara 2016

## Blush/Rosé Native American

Sponsor: The Beer Essentials

8 Entries

**SILVER**

Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Estate Concord 2016  
Steven White • Sandusky, OH  
80% Catawba, 20% Concord 2016

**BRONZE**

Jay Buermann • Milton, VT  
100% Estate Wild Grape 2015  
Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
100% Catawba 2016  
Ron Powell • Marksville, NC  
100% Estate Noble Muscadine 2016  
David Underwood • Keller, TX  
100% Estate Muscadine 2016

## Red or White Native American Late Harvest and Ice Wine

No Entries

## White French-American Hybrid Varietal

Sponsor: Fulkerson  
Winery & Juice Plant

48 Entries

**GOLD**

Joe Krajcikewicz • Grandville, MI  
90% Traminette, 10% Chardonnay 2015

**SILVER**

Lou Benedetto • Fontana, WI  
100% Traminette 2015  
Jim Borton • Wooster, OH  
93% Estate Traminette, 7% Estate  
Riesling 2015  
Thomas J. DeLong • Concord, OH  
100% Finger Lakes New York Vignoles  
2016  
Warren W. Fitzpatrick • Sewickley, PA  
100% Seyval Blanc 2015  
Dominick Profaci • New Paltz, NY  
100% Estate Vidal Blanc 2016  
Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
100% Estate La Crescent 2016  
Dein Shapiro • Stockton, NJ 100%  
Pennsylvania Vidal Blanc 2015

**BRONZE**

John Edlund • Macedon, NY  
100% Cayuga 2015  
Gary Graves • New Albany, IN  
100% Vignoles 2014  
Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
100% Estate Prairie Star 2016  
Dean Scott • Kutztown, PA  
100% Cornell NY-81 2015  
John Michael Tulloss • Stafford, VA  
100% Debonne Vineyards Vidal 2016  
Bob Zinkel • Madison, WI  
100% Delaware 2015

## White French-American Hybrid Blend

3 Entries

**SILVER**

Jim Borton • Wooster, OH  
50% NY 81.0315, 46.5% Traminette,  
3.5% Riesling 2015  
David Lipps • Cincinnati, OH  
65% Estate Vidal Blanc, 35% Estate  
Seyval Blanc 2015

## Red French-American Hybrid Varietal

Sponsor: Fulkerson  
Winery & Juice Plant

53 Entries

**GOLD**

Richard W. Howe • Los Lunas, NM  
85% Chambourcin, 15% Baco  
Noir 2015  
Don and Judy Howell • Lansing, NY  
100% Rougeon 2016  
Kelly Ross • Sherwood Park, AB  
75% Estate Marechal Foch, 10% Estate  
Triumph D'Alsace, 10% Heritage Estate  
Shiraz, 5% Lucy Kuhlmann 2016  
Jon Schwartz • Centennial, CO  
90% Estate Petite Pearl, 10% Estate  
Marechal Foch 2016

Glenn Sweatt • Jeffersonville, IN  
100% Ives 2016

**SILVER**

Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
100% Estate Leon Millot 2015  
John Blichmann • Lafayette, IN  
80% Noiret, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon  
2013  
Gary Catapano • Brookline, NH  
100% Estate Foch 2016  
Gary Grant • Strasburg, VA  
100% Estate Chambourcin 2015  
Regina M. Place • Elbridge, NY  
100% Finger Lakes Vincent 2015

**BRONZE**

Harold Baker • New Palestine, IN  
100% Chambourcin 2016  
David A. Capperella • Bellefonte PA  
100% Estate Chambourcin 2014  
James Castelli • Burlington, NJ  
100% Estate Chambourcin 2014  
Daniel Celentano • Canton, CT  
100% Estate Marquette 2015  
William Gray • Stanwood, WA  
100% Schuyler 2015  
Hasani Hooks • Raleigh, NC  
90% Chambourcin, 10% Merlot 2015  
David Luckenbaugh • Duncannon, PA  
100% Baco Noir 2016  
Tim Schellinger • Appleton, WI  
100% Estate Marechal Foch 2015  
Joseph Serpico • Gilberts, IL  
100% Estate Chancellor 2015  
Mike Tomell • Frenchtown, MI  
100% Estate Marquette 2015  
Bob Zinkel • Madison, WI  
100% St. Croix 2015

## Red French-American Hybrid Blend

10 Entries

**BRONZE**

Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
60% Baco Noir, 30% Leon Millot, 10%  
Tempranillo 2015  
Hal Hoyt • Oak Ridge, TN  
60% Estate Chambourcin, 40% Estate  
Cynthia 2014

## Blush/Rosé French-American Hybrid

8 Entries

**BRONZE**

Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
97% Estate St. Pepin, 3% Estate  
Marechal Foch 2016

## Red or White French-American Late Harvest and Ice Wine

3 Entries

No Medals Awarded

## Chardonnay

Sponsor: BSG HandCraft

91 Entries

**GOLD**

Marie Graham • Kitchener, ON  
100% Vineco Atmosphere Chardonnay  
2016

**SILVER**

Kathleen Swanson and Michael



MacWilliams • San Francisco, CA  
100% Chardonnay 2015  
Dan Puckett • West Harrison, IN  
100% Winexpert Chardonnay  
2016  
Chad Schwab • Minneapolis, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Chardonnay 2016

## BRONZE

Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
100% Chardonnay 2015  
Mark Besore • Woodbridge, VA  
100% Winexpert Selection Original  
California Chardonnay 2015  
Brian Clapsaddle • Plymouth, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Chardonnay 2015  
Sabastian Desotelle • Minneapolis, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Chardonnay 2016  
Sabastian Desotelle • Minneapolis, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Chardonnay 2015  
Clayton Donohue • North Van, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection Chardonnay  
2016  
Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
100% Vin Bon Classic Fresh Juice  
Chardonnay 2015  
Kathleen Swanson and Michael  
MacWilliams • San Francisco, CA  
100% Chardonnay 2013  
William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Sonoma Dry  
Creek Chardonnay 2015  
Bob Vogt • Loveland, OH  
100% Estate Chardonnay 2016

## Pinot Grigio/Pinot Gris

**Sponsor: Vinland Wine Racks**

52 Entries

### GOLD

Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
100% Vin Bon Classic Fresh Juice  
Pinot Grigio 2015  
Jateen Patel • Winnetka, IL  
100% Washington Pinot Gris 2011

### SILVER

Robert Broome • Terrace, BC  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Washington  
Yakima Valley Pinot Gris  
Chad Schwab • Minneapolis, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Pinot Grigio 2016  
Guy Chiasson and Francois Tremblay  
Quebec, QC  
100% Mosti Mondiale Original All  
Juice Wort Italy Pinot Grigio 2016

### BRONZE

Alex Bogomolov • Milton, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Italian Pinot Grigio Verduzzo  
2016  
Gaylon Butler • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Washington  
Yakima Valley Pinot Gris 2016  
Crystal and John Cooke • Brantford, ON  
100% Vintner's Cellar Supreme Pinot  
Grigio 2016  
Darrell Dail • Raleigh, NC  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Pinot Grigio Verduzzo 2015

Thomas B. Foster • Thompson, PA  
100% Winexpert Pinot Gris 2013  
Deborah R. Haff • Newton, NJ  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Pinot Grigio Verduzzo 2017  
Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Pinot Grigio 2016  
Glen Phillips • Aurora, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Pinot Grigio  
2016  
Sandy Shivas • Ilion, NY  
100% Fontana Classic Pinot Grigio  
2016  
Joe Slana • Mississauga, ON  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Washington  
Yakima Valley Pinot Gris 2016

## Gewürztraminer

**Sponsor: High Gravity**

17 Entries

### GOLD

Brian and Rachel Jones  
Moon Township, PA  
100% Gewürztraminer 2016  
Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
German Gewürztraminer 2014

### SILVER

Dale Clemence • Bristow, VA  
100% Yakima Valley Washington  
Gewürztraminer 2016  
Erroll Gee • Whitby, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer 2016

### BRONZE

Michael Bachleda • Schaefferstown, PA  
100% Regina California  
Gewürztraminer 2015  
Randolph Kunzelmann • Gilbert, AZ  
100% Winexpert Mosel Valley  
Gewürztraminer 2016  
Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
100% Gewürztraminer 2016

## Riesling

52 Entries

### GOLD

Deborah R. Haff • Newton, NJ  
100% Winexpert Selection Piesporter  
2017  
Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Legacy Piesporter 2016

### SILVER

Brian Clapsaddle • Plymouth, MN  
100% Riesling 2016  
Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Winexpert Mosel Valley Riesling  
2016  
Jon E. Little • Scio, OH  
100% Riesling 2016

### BRONZE

Gaylon Butler • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Germany Riesling 2015  
Ann Cole • Lebanon, IN  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Riesling 2013  
Denis Cyr • Mascouche, QC  
100% Riesling 2016

Dave Fellowes • Aurora, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Riesling Auslese  
2015  
Scott Haldi • Erie, PA  
100% Riesling 2016  
Todd R. Holman • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Washington  
Columbia Valley Riesling 2015  
Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
100% Vin Bon Classic Fresh Juice  
Riesling 2015  
Jeff Kulp, Paul Laffredo, and  
Patricia Lucas • Canton, MI  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard Riesling 2016  
David Wawro • Jordan, NY  
100% Riesling 2016

## Sauvignon Blanc

60 Entries

### GOLD

Karl St. Pierre • Levis, QC  
100% Sauvignon Blanc 2016

### SILVER

Brian Harding • Keedysville, MD  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Daniel Narduzzi • Waterloo, ON  
100% Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Charlie Shaw • Dayton, OR  
100% Hollaran Vineyard Sauvignon  
Blanc 2012

### BRONZE

Chris Woods and Terry Arnold  
Alliston, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Wendell Barner • Steubenville, OH  
100% Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Rex Johnson and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Mt. Veeder Sauvignon Blanc  
2016  
Jean M. Corriveau • Aurora, CO  
100% Winexpert World Vineyard  
French Sauvignon Blanc 2014  
Roger Doull • Surrey, BC  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Sauvignon  
Blanc 2016  
Mark Hvasti • Bracebridge, ON  
100% Vineco Cheeky Monkey Déjà Vu  
Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Kevin J. Kelly • Maple Glen, PA  
100% Winexpert Eclipse New Zealand  
Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
David King • Huntsville, AL  
100% Winexpert Eclipse New Zealand  
Sauvignon Blanc 2015  
Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Cheeky Monkey South  
African Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
100% Vin Bon Classic Fresh Juice  
Sauvignon Blanc 2015  
Jateen Patel • Winnetka, IL  
100% Sauvignon Blanc 2015  
Robert Porten • Utica, NY  
100% Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Gary J. Seraly • Venetia, PA

85% Sauvignon Blanc, 15% Viognier  
2016  
Cody Shive • Chapel Hill, NC  
100% Vineco Kenridge Showcase New  
Zealand Sauvignon Blanc 2015  
Nancy Slewidge • Sault Ste Marie, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection  
International Chilean Sauvignon Blanc  
2016  
William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Sauvignon Blanc  
2015

## Other White Vinifera Varietals

**Sponsor: BSG HandCraft**

82 Entries

**GOLD**

Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
Roswell, GA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Grand Cru  
Muscat 2015  
Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
100% Muscat Canelli 2016  
Terry Robbins • Oskaloosa, KS  
100% Estate Valvian Muscat, sweet  
2016

**SILVER**

Mark Besore • Woodbridge, VA  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard German Muller-Thurgau 2015  
Adam T. Bolt • Abingdon, VA  
100% Estate Viognier 2016  
Michael Christiana • Enola, PA  
100% Cotton Candy 2015  
Michael Fritze • Waterford, VA  
100% Viognier 2015  
Lane Griffin • Conroe, TX  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard California Muscato 2016  
Don and Judy Howell • Lansing, NY  
100% Muscat 2016  
Gary D. Jensen • Appleton, WI  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard California Pink Muscato 2015  
Clinton Kent • Erie, PA  
100% Muscat 2014  
Chris Scott • Charlottesville, VA  
100% Estate Petit Manseng 2015  
Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA  
100% Chenin Blanc 2015  
Frank Walsh • Toledo, WA  
100% Viognier 2016

**BRONZE**

Mark Besore • Woodbridge, VA  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard California Muscato 2015  
Jack Brassell • Atlanta, GA  
100% Italian Verdicchio 2015  
Robert Broome • Terrace, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection  
Müller-Thurgau  
Fred Brophy • San Diego, CA  
100% Viognier 2015  
Franco Costa • Winnipeg, MB  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Grand Cru  
International California Muscat 2016  
Roger Doull • Surrey, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection Viognier  
2016  
Donis Flagello • Half Moon Bay, CA  
100% Chenin Blanc 2015

LaReza J. Guillmeno • Los Angeles, CA  
100% Winexpert California Muscato  
2015  
William Murray and Alan Hefner  
West Lafayette, IN  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Yakima Valley Viognier 2016  
Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
Roswell, GA  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Viognier 2015  
Jeffrey Lamb • Brick, NJ  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard Muscato 2016  
Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
100% Orange Muscat 2016  
Gary Palmero • Herald, CA  
100% Estate French Colombard 2016  
Mike Stahl • Rockville, MD  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Yakima Valley Viognier 2015  
Phil Zynda • Depew, NY  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard California Muscato 2015

## White Vinifera Bordeaux Style Blends

1 Entry

**BRONZE**

Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Cheeky Monkey Déjà Vu  
White 2016

## Other White Vinifera Blends

57 Entries

**GOLD**

Sandra Happy • Abbotsford, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Winemaker's  
Trio White  
Dennis R. Haff • Newton, NJ  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Australian Gewürztraminer  
Verdelho Muscat 2017  
Harry and Janet Litchfield  
Listowel, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking  
En Primeur German Riesling  
Gewürztraminer 2016

**SILVER**

Dominick G. Agnese • Bethpage, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer Verdelho  
Muscat 2015  
Kellie Babin • Airdrie, AB  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Pacific Quartet 2015  
Kellie Babin • Airdrie, AB  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer Verdelho  
Muscat 2015  
Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
100% Winexpert Gewürztraminer  
Verdelhol Muscat 2015  
Mat McTrash • Haliburton, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Pacific Quartet 2013  
Carlos Oliveira • Tillsonburg, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking  
En Primeur Winery Series Pinot Grigio  
Sauvignon Blanc Muscat 2016

**BRONZE**

Inge Carpenter • Barrie, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Australian Gewürztraminer  
Verdelho Muscat 2015  
Denis Cyr • Mascouche, QC  
100% Liebfraumilch 2016  
Elese Gabrielli • Woodstock, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer Verdelho  
Muscat 2016  
Ken Gibson • Calgary, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer Verdelho  
Muscat 2016  
Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Winemaker's  
Trio White 2016  
Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Gewürztraminer Verdelho  
Muscat 2016  
Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
Roswell, GA  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Australian Gewürztraminer  
Verdelho Muscat 2015  
Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking  
En Primeur German Riesling  
Gewürztraminer 2015  
Greg Mussenden • Vernon, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition California Trio Blanc 2015  
Carlos Oliveira • Tillsonburg, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Pinot Grigio Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
Patti Polfuss • Waterloo, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Sauvignon  
Blanc Muscat 2016  
Sarah-Beth Radovini • Courtice, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Australian  
Traminer Riesling 2016

## Cabernet Franc

**Sponsor: Five Star  
Chemicals & Supply, Inc.**

29 Entries

**SILVER**

Gary Grant • Strasburg, VA  
100% Estate Cabernet Franc 2014  
Adam Hand • Reno, NV  
100% Cabernet Franc 2015  
Clinton Kent • Erie, PA  
100% Cabernet Franc 2013  
Chris Scott • Charlottesville, VA  
100% Cabernet Franc 2014  
Douglas VanTornhout • Fairfield, CT  
100% Cabernet Franc 2013

**BRONZE**

Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Cabernet Franc 2012  
Crystal and John Cooke • Brantford, ON  
100% Vintner's Cellar Supreme  
Cabernet Franc 2016  
Thomas J. DeLong • Concord, OH  
100% Cabernet Franc 2016  
Louis Dugas • Montreal, QC  
75% Cabernet Franc, 25% Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2015  
Michael Neves • Mississauga, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Washington Cabernet Franc  
2017

Tom Wallner • Keyport, WA  
100% Cabernet Franc 2014

## Cabernet Sauvignon

**Sponsor: Grape Expectations –  
New Jersey**

197 Entries

**GOLD**

John M. Andersen • El Cajon, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Dan Cobb • Loveland, OH  
85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Malbec,  
5% Syrah, 5% Zinfandel 2014  
David Crane • Alamo, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
John DiMeo • Forest Hill, MD  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo  
Boulder, CO  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
Mark Florans • Suffern, NY  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Michael Fritze • Waterford, VA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Brad and Jill Jackson • St. Helena, CA  
80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20%  
Cabernet Franc 2012  
Ty Johnson • Wenatchee, WA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2008  
R. Samuel Lee • Vernon, CT  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Robert Knehr and Nick Nicholaides  
Hasbrouck, NJ  
90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Ruby  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Paul Dillon and Joe Noonan  
Seattle, WA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Vito Paglia • No. Providence, RI  
75% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Merlot  
2015  
Jateen Patel • Winnetka, IL  
100% Napa Cabernet Sauvignon 2012  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Merlot  
2015  
Roger Mattar and John Severs  
Corona, CA  
80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20%  
Sangiovese 2015  
Dave Sabo and Annie Spadaro  
Chagrin Falls, OH  
100% Sonoma Mountain Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2015

## SILVER

Vicki Chekouras • Racine, WI  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Portuguese Aragonese Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2013  
Sam Delli • Northville, MI  
92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot,  
3% Petit Verdot 2014  
John DiMeo • Forest Hill, MD  
100% Atlas Peak Cabernet Sauvignon  
2013  
Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo  
Boulder, CO  
75% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 25%  
Estate Merlot 2013  
Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo  
Boulder, CO  
75% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 25%  
Estate Merlot 2014

Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Australian Cabernet Sauvignon  
2016  
Ty Johnson • Wenatchee, WA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2010  
Frank Korpics • Hellertown, PA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
James Massarello • Oak Park, IL  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Pier Oddone • Healdsburg, CA  
93% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 7%  
Estate Petite Sirah 2014  
Kumar Patel • Saratoga, CA  
90% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 5%  
Estate Merlot, 5% Estate Cabernet  
Franc 2014  
James Picano • Fairfield, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2013  
Charles G. Rader, Sr.  
New Brighton, PA  
100% Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2011

## BRONZE

Chris Woods and Terry Arnold  
Alliston, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Australian  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Elmer Baugess • Whitsett, NC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Craft Showcase Red Mountain  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2013  
Gregory Bequette • Livermore, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Fred Brophy • San Diego CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
David A. Capperella • Bellefonte, PA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Don Corrick • Orillia, ON  
100% Winexpert World Collection  
Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Jerry Dieruf • Springfield, VA  
50% Virginia Cabernet Sauvignon, 50%  
California Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo  
Boulder, CO  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon  
2013  
Jimmy Dunn • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Lodi Ranch II  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Jake Flaherty • Albany, CA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Paul Gerardi • New Rochelle, NY  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Mark Hvasti • Bracebridge, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Three Country  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Matt and Amy Jones • La Grange, IN  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
World Vineyard French Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2016  
Kevin F. Kelly • Seattle, WA  
82% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot  
2013  
Ron Kelly • Ottawa, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Three Country  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Frank Korpics • Hellertown, PA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Joe Lauber • Cincinnati, OH  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2013  
Matthew Leone • Johnston, RI  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Grand Cru  
Heritage Estates Cabernet Sauvignon  
Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Joanne McLean • Bancroft, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Three Country  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
Richard McNamara • Riverview, NB  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series California  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Stefano Milito • Plano, TX  
85% Sonoma Cabernet Sauvignon,  
15% Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
Michael Kennedy and Michael Mincey  
Hawthorne, NJ  
100% Sonoma Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
Vincent Montagano  
Dollard-des-Ormeaux, QC  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
Robert Knehr and Nick Nicholaides  
Hasbrouck, NJ  
100% Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon  
2015  
Paul Dillon and Joe Noonan  
Seattle, WA  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Gary Palmero • Herald, CA  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
Ed Pawlowski • N. Easton, MA  
85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Merlot,  
7% Petite Sirah 2014  
Sarah-Beth Radovini • Courtice, ON  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Lodi Ranch II  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
100% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
75% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25%  
Sangiovese 2015  
Lynn Schwartz • Centennial, CO  
85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Cabernet  
Franc, 4% Merlot, 2% Petit Verdot, 1%  
Malbec 2015  
Lynn Schwartz • Centennial, CO  
99% Cabernet Sauvignon, 1% Petit  
Verdot 2015  
Joe Slana • Mississauga, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Washington Red Mountain Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2015  
Karin Taylor • Sausauto, CA  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
Charles Thompson • Hollister, CA  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2013  
Robert Trump • Quakerstown, PA  
100% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014

## Merlot

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106 Entries

**GOLD**

Walt Cade • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Merlot 2017

L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
75% Merlot, 25% Zinfandel 2014

## SILVER

Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Merlot 2011  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Merlot 2014  
David Buchman • Berkeley, CA  
100% San Bernardino Merlot 2014  
Michael and Andrew Crews  
Orinda, CA  
80% Napa Valley Merlot, 15% Sierra  
Foothills Malbec, 5% Livermore Petite  
Sirah 2015  
Richard Disney • Bellport, NY  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Merlot 2015  
Robert X. Joakimson • Concord, CA  
97% Oakley Merlot, 3% Oakley Petit  
Verdot 2014  
Clinton Kent • Erie, PA  
100% Merlot 2013  
Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
Roswell, GA  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Stags Leap  
Merlot 2015  
Ralph H. Obenauf • Basking Ridge, NJ  
100% Merlot 2015  
Sandy Shivas • Ilion, NY  
100% Mosti Mondiale Renaissance Old  
Vine Merlot 2016  
Karl St. Pierre • Levis, QC  
100% Merlot 2016  
Kenneth Stinger • Portland, OR  
100% Merlot 2015  
Neil Vaseleniuck • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Merlot 2015

## BRONZE

Rich Andrews • Alamo, CA  
100% Estate Merlot 2012  
Wendell Barner • Steubenville, OH  
100% Merlot 2014  
John Bowen • Milton, GA  
77% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon,  
8% Malbec 2012  
Robert Broome • Terrace, BC  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Merlot  
Fred Deysenroth • Bennington, VT  
100% Mosti Mondiale Noble  
Merlot 2016  
Jordon Hale • Douro-Dummer, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Original All  
Juice Merlot 2016  
Russell Kaufman • Danville, CA  
100% Tzabaco Ranch Dry Creek Valley  
California Merlot 2014  
Kathleen Swanson and Michael  
MacWilliams • San Francisco, CA  
100% Merlot 2012  
Stefano Milito • Plano, TX  
95% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon  
2015  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
100% Merlot 2014  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
75% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon  
2014  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
80% Merlot, 20% Syrah 2014  
Edward Sanders • Winnipeg, MB  
100% Merlot 2016  
Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA

80% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon  
2013  
Patricia Strome • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Merlot 2014  
Bob Vogt • Loveland, OH  
100% Estate Merlot 2012

## Shiraz/Syrah

**Sponsor: Bader Beer & Wine Supply**  
84 Entries

### GOLD

Stephen Tankersley • Auburn, CA  
90% Sonoma Syrah, 10% Sonoma  
Zinfandel 2013

### SILVER

Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
100% Syrah 2013  
Bonnie Campbell • Nanaimo, BC  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft South  
African Shiraz 2016  
Darrell Dail • Raleigh, NC  
100% Winexpert Selection  
International Australian Shiraz  
Viognier 2014  
Larry S. Dean • Seattle, WA  
100% Syrah 2011  
Mike Doherty • Lynnwood, WA  
100% Les Collines Vineyard Syrah  
2015  
Marco Ferrante, Sr. • Arnold, MD  
100% Petite Sirah 2015  
Sandra Happy • Abbotsford, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Shiraz 2016  
Stephen D. Heike, Jr. • West Chicago, IL  
100% Syrah 2014  
Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Australian Shiraz  
Neil Vaseleniuck • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Shiraz 2015

### BRONZE

Gary Adams • Tehachapi, CA  
100% Estate Syrah 2011  
Jon Adams • Martinez, CA  
95% Syrah, 5% Petite Sirah 2014  
Lou Benedetto • Fontana, WI  
100% Syrah 2014  
Dan Cobb • Loveland, OH  
100% Syrah 2014  
Chris Creasey • Las Vegas, NV  
81% Syrah, 14% Grenache, 5%  
Viognier 2013  
Michael and Andrew Crews • Orinda, CA  
100% Sonoma Valley Durrell Vineyard  
Syrah 2013  
John Foss • Somis, CA  
98% Estate Syrah, 2% Estate Viognier  
2014  
Sal Guaragna • Davidsonville, MD  
100% Petite Sirah 2012  
Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Australian Shiraz 2016  
Les Hayden • Yorba Linda, CA  
100% Syrah 2012  
Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
90% Syrah, 10% Graciano 2014  
Tony Mastres and Kevin Kelly  
Goleta, CA  
100% Rancho Volodores Vineyard Pas  
Robles California Syrah 2014

Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
100% Winexpert Selection Shiraz 2014  
David Robinson • Duncan, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Shiraz 2016  
Joe Slana • Mississauga, ON  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Barossa  
Valley Shiraz 2015  
Tom Wallner • Keyport, WA  
100% Syrah 2015

## Pinot Noir

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85 Entries

### GOLD

Michael and Andrew Crews • Orinda, CA  
100% Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir  
2013  
Mary Rogan • Danville, CA  
100% Pinot Noir 2015

### SILVER

Sabastian Desotelle • Minneapolis, MN  
100% Master Vintner Winemaker's  
Reserve Pinot Noir 2016  
James G. Laier III • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Estate Pinot Noir 2014  
Ace Vandenack • Myers Flat, CA  
100% Estate Pinot Noir 2014

### BRONZE

Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
78% Pinot Noir, 22% Baco Noir 2015  
Ric Blasquez • Albany, OR  
100% Estate Pinot Noir 2013  
Edward Bueche • Byron Center, MI  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Pinot Noir 2015  
Gail Gilbert • Barrie, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Pinot Noir  
Mark Hvasti • Bracebridge, ON  
100% Vineco Atmosphere New  
Zealand Pinot Noir 2016  
Donna Guedon and Kevin Kennedy  
Pleasant Hill, CA  
100% Russian River California Pinot  
Noir 2015  
Kathleen Swanson and Michael  
MacWilliams • San Francisco, CA  
100% Pinot Noir 2012  
Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
100% Pinot Noir 2016  
Robert Knehr and Nick Nicholaides  
Hasbrouck, NJ  
100% Pinot Noir 2016  
Patti Polfuss • Waterloo, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Sonoma Valley  
Pinot Noir 2015  
Carlos Enrique Tobler • Hudson, WI  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Pinot Noir 2016  
Mark Weiner • Los Gatos, CA  
100% Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot  
Noir 2014

## Sangiovese

**Sponsor: The Beer Essentials**

50 Entries

### SILVER

Fred Deysenroth • Bennington, VT  
100% Mosti Mondiale Noble  
Sangiovese 2016

### BRONZE



Salvatore Battista • Triangle, VA  
100% Winexpert Selection  
International Italian Sangiovese 2015  
Jeff Boswell • Cochranton, PA  
100% Sangiovese 2014  
Greg Fields • Arroyo Grande, CA  
80% Estate Sangiovese, 10% Estate  
Nebbiolo, 2015 Estate Merlot 2013  
Tom Gregorich • Solon, OH  
100% Chianti 2015  
Robert Knehr and Nick Nicholaides  
Hasbrouck, NJ  
100% Brunello 2015  
L. Jack Ruscilli • Columbus, OH  
100% Sangiovese 2015

## Zinfandel

**Sponsor: The Beverage People**

103 Entries

### GOLD

Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Zinfandel 2016  
Shelly Molgaard • Upper Tantallon, NS  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Italian Zinfandel 2016

### SILVER

Rupert Perera and Tony Blackburn  
Martinez, CA  
100% Estate Zinfandel 2014  
David Blitstein • Grass Valley, CA  
95% Zinfandel, 5% Petite Sirah 2014  
Tim Drexler • Downers Grove, IL  
100% Zinfandel 2015  
Emily Ernst • San Francisco, CA  
95% Estate Zinfandel, 5% Estate Petite  
Sirah 2014  
Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
100% Winexpert Eclipse California  
Lodi Old Vine Zinfandel 2016  
Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
80% Zinfandel, 20% Petite Sirah 2015  
David Jaxheimer • Fanwood, NJ  
100% Old Vine Zinfandel 2015  
James G. Laier III • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Estate Zinfandel 2013  
James G. Laier III • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Buchignani-Garcia Vineyard  
Zinfandel 2014  
Ralph Lenamon • Livermore, CA  
94% Sonoma Dry Creek Valley  
Zinfandel, 6% Livermore California  
Petite Sirah 2014  
Ed Vespi • Brick, NJ  
80% Lodi Old Vine Zinfandel, 20%  
Petite Sirah 2014

### BRONZE

Ed Burdett • Healdsburg, CA  
90% Estate Zinfandel, 10% Estate  
Syrah 2015  
Ed Burdett • Healdsburg, CA  
85% Estate Zinfandel, 15% Estate  
Syrah 2014  
Michael Corey • Ballston Spa, NY  
100% Zinfandel 2014  
Sam Delli • Northville, MI  
90% Zinfandel, 5% Cabernet  
Sauvignon, 5% Merlot 2014  
John DiMeo • Forest Hill, MD  
100% Zinfandel 2015  
Joe DiPonzio • N. Chili, NY  
80% Estate Zinfandel, 20% Estate  
Petite Sirah 2015

Michael P. Zappa and Dan Dippolito  
Hubbard, OH  
100% Zinfandel 2015  
Kevin F. Kelly • Seattle, WA  
85% Zinfandel, 15% Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2014  
Lawrence Kilcullen • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Zinfandel 2014  
James G. Laier III • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Buchignani-Garcia Vineyard  
Zinfandel 2015  
James G. Laier III • Santa Rosa, CA  
100% Buchignani-Garcia Vineyard  
Zinfandel 2014  
Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Lodi Old Vines Zinfandel 2016  
Frank Lorello • Wood-Ridge, NJ  
75% Old Vine Zinfandel, 25% Alicante  
2015  
Joseph McEllistrem • Carson City, NV  
100% Zinfandel 2013  
Joseph McEllistrem • Carson City, NV  
100% Zinfandel 2014  
William Mellana • Kenwood, CA  
100% Zinfandel 2013  
Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking  
Cellar Classic Winery Series Old Vine  
Zinfandel  
Anthony V. Palmiotto  
Wall Township, NJ  
100% Estate Zinfandel 2013  
Tammy and Harold Papazian  
Northbrook, IL  
75% Zinfandel, 25% Syrah 2015  
Lindsay Tate • Sudbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Italian  
Zinfandel 2016  
Steve VanSomeren • Elk Grove, CA  
100% Zinfandel 2015

## Other Red Vitifera Varietals

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Winemaking Supplies, Inc.**

227 Entries

### GOLD

Rui Eduardo Bastos Amaro • Angwin, CA  
100% Tempranillo 2015  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Petite Sirah 2014  
Chris Creasey • Las Vegas, NV  
76% Petite Sirah, 24% Primitivo 2014  
Michael P. Zappa and Dan Dippolito  
Hubbard, OH  
100% Petite Sirah 2013  
David E. Gunderson • Pullman, WA  
100% Malbec 2014  
Deborah R. Haff • Newton, NJ  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Italian Barbera 2016  
Heather Hvasti • Bracebridge, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli  
Negroamaro 2016  
Michael Little • Farmington, MN  
100% Lodi Barbera 2015  
Mike Micciola • Oshawa, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli  
Negroamaro 2016  
Bob Vogt • Loveland, OH  
100% Estate Petite Sirah 2011  
Bob Vozzella • Franklin, MA  
100% Barbera 2015

Bob Vozzella • Franklin, MA  
100% Malbec 2015

### SILVER

John Blichmann • Lafayette, IN  
100% Chilean Malbec 2013  
Gary VanSchooneveld  
and Ruth Bowman  
Eden Prairie, MN  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Barolo 2014  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Petit Verdot 2013  
Victor Cantarella • Whittier, CA  
75% Tempranillo, 25% Syrah 2014  
Jimmy Dunn • Longview, TX  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Italian  
Piedmont Barolo 2014  
Greg Earley • Brentwood, CA  
100% Petit Verdot 2014  
Adam Hand • Reno, NV  
100% Barbera 2015  
Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
80% Mourvedre, 15% Cabernet  
Sauvignon, 5% Zinfandel 2013  
Place Briggs Melino • Chepachet, RI  
100% Tempranillo 2014  
Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Carmenere  
Bill Rose • Lafayette, CA  
100% Charbono 2013  
Ray Ambrose and Joe Sciarini  
Guilford, CT  
100% Petite Sirah 2014  
Ray Ambrose and Joe Sciarini  
Guilford, CT  
80% Primitivo, 20% Petite Sirah 2014  
David Thomas • Sonoma, CA  
100% Estate Malbec 2014  
Neil Vaseleniuck • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Montepulciano  
2016  
Darrin Sobin, Jack Grimaldi and Wayne  
Witkowski • Fairfax, VA  
100% Barbera 2015

### BRONZE

Dominick G. Agnese • Bethpage, NY  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Barolo 2013  
Roberto Alvarez • Leeds, UT  
100% Estate Tempranillo 2014  
Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Chilean  
Malbec 2011  
Michael Belair • Magog, QC  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli Malbo  
Gentile 2015  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Alexander Valley Petit  
Verdot 2016  
Joe Bernardo • Reno, NV  
100% Estate Nevada Tempranillo  
2015  
Diane Bielby • Kamloops, BC  
100% Winexpert Selection Petit  
Verdot 2016  
Alex Bogomolov • Milton, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Argentina  
Malbec 2015  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
100% Petit Verdot 2011  
Inge Carpenter • Barrie, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Italian Barbera 2015



- Brian Clapsaddle • Plymouth, MN  
100% Pinotage 2015
- Brian Court • Seattle, WA  
75% Petit Verdot, 20% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot 2014
- Michael and Andrew Crews  
Orinda, CA  
80% Mendocino Carignan, 10% Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Napa Valley Merlot 2014
- Larry S. Dean • Seattle, WA  
100% Mourvedre 2012
- Dennis Deanda • Acampo, CA  
95% Estate Petite Sirah, 5% Estate Barbera 2015
- Dennis Deanda • Acampo, CA  
95% Estate Barbera, 5% Estate Petite Sirah 2015
- Robert DiDonato • Pittsburgh, PA  
100% Carmenere 2013
- Mike Doherty • Lynnwood, WA  
100% Les Collines Vineyard Petit Verdot 2015
- Kathy Elliott • Sarnia, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Barbera 2016
- Marie Graham • Kitchener, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase Malbec 2015
- Lane Griffin • Conroe, TX  
100% Winexpert Selection International Chilean Malbec Bonarda 2016
- Sal Guaragna • Davidsonville, MD  
100% Malbec 2012
- Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
100% Winexpert Selection Italian Montepulciano 2016
- Todd R. Holman • Longview, TX  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Italian Nero D'Avola 2014
- Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
90% Graciano, 10% Syrah 2014
- Gary D. Jensen • Appleton, WI  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Italian Barbera 2016
- Robert X. Joakimson • Concord, CA  
100% Winexpert Selection International Spanish Tempranillo 2014
- Tony Mastres and Kevin Kelly  
Goleta, CA  
100% ASB Vineyards Paso Robles California Nebbiolo 2013
- David King • Huntsville, AL  
100% Winexpert Barola 2014
- Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Argentine Malbec 2013
- Linda LeGroulx • Ottawa, ON  
100% Wine Kitz Ultimate Estate Reserve Nebbiolo 2013
- Michael Little • Farmington, MN  
85% Petite Sirah, 15% Petit Verdot 2015
- George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
Flemington, NJ  
100% Italian Montepulciano 2014
- Lorenzo Loggia • Montreal, QC  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Nebbiolo 2014
- Frank Lorello • Wood-Ridge, NJ  
100% Dolcetto 2015
- Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
100% Malbec 2016
- John Merkle • Glencoe, MO  
100% Petit Verdot 2014
- Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase Barbera
- Michael Neves • Mississauga, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli Limited Edition Nebbiolo 2016
- Gary Palmero • Herald, CA  
100% Estate Cabernet Petite Sirah 2015
- Anthony V. Palmiotto  
Wall Township, NJ  
100% Estate Malbec 2014
- Tad Pulis • Flemington, NJ  
100% Dolcetto 2015
- Sarah-Beth Radovini • Courtice, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Australian Petit Verdot 2015
- Doug Robinson • Ramona, CA  
100% Estate Mourvedre 2012
- Dean Scott • Kutztown, PA  
100% Estate Muscat Hamburg 2016
- David Smith • Windsor, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Argentina Malbec 2016
- Patricia Strome • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase Malbec 2016
- Stephen Tankersley • Auburn, CA  
90% Sonoma Petit Verdot, 10% Sonoma Merlot 2014
- Charles Thompson • Hollister, CA  
100% Petit Verdot 2013
- James L. Thompson • Frankinville, NY  
100% Winexpert World Collection Vineyard Chilean Malbec 2014
- Guy Chiasson and Francois Tremblay  
Quebec, QC  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli Wort Italy Negroamara 2015
- Frank Walsh • Toledo, WA  
100% Dolcetto 2016
- Derek Wilson • Calgary, AB  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase Barbera 2014
- Siegfried Wolf • Bridgeman, MI  
95% Petite Sirah, 5% Sangiovese 2014
- Red Vinifera  
Bordeaux Style Blends**  
**Sponsor: Ten Thousand Vines Winery**  
88 Entries  
**GOLD**
- Dominick G. Agnese • Bethpage, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Mosaic Red 2015
- Chuck Gower and Cheryl DiPanfilo  
Boulder, CO  
60% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Estate Pinot Noir 2015
- Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
50% Vin Bon Classic Fresh Juice Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Cabernet Franc, 25% Vin Bon Signature Fresh Juice Merlot 2014
- Glenn Sweatt • Jeffersonville, IN  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Super Tuscan 2015
- SILVER**
- Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
56% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Franc, 4% Petit Verdot
- James Fassarella • Fairport, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Super Tuscan 2015
- Grace R. Gregg • Mineral, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot 2015
- David E. Gunderson • Pullman, WA  
42% Cabernet Sauvignon, 27% Malbec, 17% Merlot, 14% Cabernet Franc 2013
- Donna Guedon and Kevin Kennedy  
Pleasant Hill, CA  
38.46% Cabernet Franc, 38.46% Merlot, 23.06% Cabernet Sauvignon 2015
- Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Atmosphere Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon Malbec Carmenere
- George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
Flemington, NJ  
60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot 2015
- George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
Flemington, NJ  
60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc 2015
- Vincent Vitale and Thomas Magnani  
Shirley, NY  
52% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot, 15% Petite Sirah 2014
- John Merkle • Glencoe, MO  
57% Merlot, 28% Petit Verdot, 15% Malbec 2014
- Anthony V. Palmiotto  
Wall Township, NJ  
50% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 50% Estate Malbec 2014
- BRONZE**
- Mike and Jan Andrews • Santa Rosa, CA  
50% Malbec, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot 2012
- Steve Auer • Coos Bay, OR  
78% Pinot Noir, 22% Baco Noir 2015
- David Buchman • Berkeley, CA  
67% San Berdino Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% San Berdino Merlot 2014
- David Buchman • Berkeley, CA  
67% San Berdino Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% San Berdino Merlot 2013
- John Coats • Fort Smith, AR  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En Primeur Winery Series Italian Super Tuscan 2013
- Brian Court • Seattle, WA  
57% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Syrah, 10% Petit Verdot 2013-14
- Darrell Dail • Raleigh, NC  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited Edition Washington Triumph 2014
- Ron Dickens • Phoenix, AZ  
50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Cabernet Franc, 25% Petit Verdot 2013
- Michael Dickson • Asheville, NC  
50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 50% Merlot 2012
- Marie Graham • Kitchener, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Cabernet Franc Cabernet Sauvignon 2016
- Ben Kleinsasser • Brantford, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Cabernet Franc Cabernet Sauvignon 2016
- Ben Kleinsasser • Brantford, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Chateau du

Pays 2016  
 Randy Partridge • St. Marys, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Winery Series Winemaker's  
 Trio 2016  
 James G. Russo, Jr. • Hoboken, NJ  
 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 50%  
 Cabernet Franc 2014  
 Jon Schwartz • Centennial, CO  
 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Cabernet  
 Franc, 4% Merlot, 2% Petit Verdot, 1%  
 Malbec 2015  
 Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA  
 60% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Sauvignon  
 2013  
 Bob Vogt • Loveland, OH  
 68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot,  
 8% Cabernet Franc, 4% Petit Verdot  
 2013  
 Charles Williams • Renton, WA  
 62% Cabernet Sauvignon, 38%  
 Cabernet Franc  
 Charles Williams • Renton, WA  
 40% Merlot, 33% Cabernet Sauvignon,  
 17% Petit Verdot, 10% Cabernet Franc

## Other Red Vinifera Blends

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243 Entries

#### GOLD

Gordon Baron • Denver, CO  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Sterling  
 Grenache Syrah Mourvedre 2014  
 Michael and Andrew Crews • Orinda, CA  
 50% Dry Creek Syrah, 50% Paso  
 Robles Malbec 2010  
 Tony Gabrielli • Woodstock, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Amarone 2015  
 Susan Hawken • Collingwood, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Rosso Grande  
 2013  
 Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
 50% Zinfandel, 50% Petite Sirah 2013  
 Ralph H. Obenauf • Basking Ridge, NJ  
 50% Sangiovese, 25% Merlot, 25%  
 Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
 Maureen and Ferenc Pankotai  
 San Diego, CA  
 60% Estate Malbec, 40% Estate Shiraz  
 2014  
 Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Super Tuscan  
 2014  
 Donald St. Claire • Angels Camp, CA  
 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 50% Merlot  
 2014  
 Keke Yuan • Richmond Hill, ON  
 100% Mosti Mondiale Fresco Juice  
 Italian Amorosso 2015

#### SILVER

Jon Adams • Martinez, CA  
 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 29%  
 Zinfandel, 11% Petite Sirah 2014  
 Roberto Alvarez • Leeds, UT  
 60% Estate Garnacha, 35% Estate  
 Syrah, 5% Estate Viognier 2015  
 Jack Brassell • Atlanta, GA  
 100% Italian Valpolicella 2015  
 Cathy Clark • Oakville, ON

100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Zinfandel Syrah  
 Malbec 2015  
 Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 RQ La Batalla 2016  
 William Cooley • Valparaiso, IN  
 100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
 Spanish Diablo Rojo 2016  
 Franco Costa • Winnipeg, MB  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Italian Valpola Ripassa 2015  
 Chris Creasey • Las Vegas, NV  
 60% Carmenere, 20% Cabernet Franc,  
 20% Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
 Dennis Deanda • Acampo, CA  
 35% Estate Zinfandel, 33% Estate  
 Cabernet Sauvignon, 32% Estate  
 Barbera  
 Sam Delli • Northville, MI  
 71% Sangiovese, 24% Merlot, 5%  
 Cabernet Sauvignon 2014  
 Richard Disney • Bellport, NY  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Italian  
 Amarone 2015  
 Dan Doherty • Halifax, NS  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Grenache Syrah  
 2015  
 Clayton Donohue • North Van, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Amarone 2016  
 Kathy Elliott • Sarnia, ON  
 100% Winexpert Eclipse Bravado 2016  
 Kathy Elliott • Sarnia, ON  
 100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
 Edition Mosaic Red 2016  
 James Fields • Heidelberg, ON  
 50% California Cabernet Sauvignon,  
 50% California Merlot 2015  
 David E. Gunderson • Pullman, WA  
 71% Syrah, 21% Petit Verdot, 8%  
 Cabernet Franc 2011  
 Carol Hamilton Lake • St. Louis, MO  
 70% Sangiovese, 15% Cabernet  
 Sauvignon, 15% Merlot 2016  
 Alan Hatton • Dartmouth, NS  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Valpolicella 2015  
 Todd R. Holman • Longview, TX  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Spanish  
 Monestrell Petit Verdot 2014  
 Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot  
 2015  
 James Kaufmann • Pittsburgh, PA  
 100% Winexpert Eclipse Bravado 2016  
 Ben Kleinsasser • Brantford, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Spanish  
 Grenache Syrah 2015  
 Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
 Roswell, GA  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Chateau Du Pays 2014  
 George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
 Flemington, NJ  
 100% Italian Amarone 2015  
 Alan E. Mitchell • Dartmouth, NS  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Amarone 2015  
 Gary Palmero • Herald, CA  
 67% Estate Petite Sirah, 33% Estate  
 Cabernet Sauvignon 2015

Randy Partridge • St. Marys, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru  
 Select RQ Spanish Tempranillo  
 Grenache Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
 Paul Rowe • London, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru  
 Select RQ Spanish Tempranillo  
 Grenache Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
 John Slana • Mississauga, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Amarone 2015  
 Joe Slana • Mississauga, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Amarone 2015  
 William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Super Tuscan 2015  
 David Sylling • Seattle, WA  
 58% Barbera, 42% Nebbiolo 2014  
 Lindsay Tate • Sudbury, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Winery Series Italian Super  
 Tuscan 2016  
 Lindsay Tate • Sudbury, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Winery Series Italian Rosso  
 Grande Eccellente 2016  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Italian Valpolicella 2016

#### BRONZE

Jon Adams • Martinez, CA  
 60% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40%  
 Zinfandel 2014  
 Lawrence Blessinger  
 Franklin Square, NY  
 50% Estate Cabernet Franc, 25%  
 Estate Merlot, 25% Estate Petit Verdot  
 2015  
 Alex Bogomolov • Milton, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Italian Amarone 2015  
 Roland Brosseau • Sudbury, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 RQ Tempranillo Grenache Cabernet  
 Sauvignon 2016  
 Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
 100% Winexpert Selection Shiraz  
 Cabernet Sauvignon 2013  
 Bill Cagnolatti • Baton Rouge, LA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Super Tuscan  
 2015  
 Eileen Calder • Abbotsford, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Italian Amarone 2016  
 Victor Cantarella • Whittier, CA  
 33% Petite Sirah, 33% Tempranillo,  
 33% Grenache 2014  
 Thomas Clarke • Calgary, BC  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Amarone 2015  
 Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Winery Series Super Tuscan  
 2016  
 Don Corrick • Orillia, ON  
 80% Winexpert World Collection  
 Vineyard California Trinity Red, 20%  
 Winexpert Selection Chilean  
 Carmenere 2016  
 Franco Costa • Winnipeg, MB  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En

Primeur Italian Super Tuscan 2015  
Chris Creasey • Las Vegas, NV  
70% Carmenere, 20% Cabernet Franc,  
10% Syrah 2015

Michael and Andrew Crews  
Orinda, CA  
50% Sonoma Syrah, 25% Sonoma  
Carneros Merlot, 25% Sonoma Petit  
Verdot 2011

Darrell Dail • Raleigh, NC  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition International Foutitude 2015

Dan Doherty • Halifax, NS  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Tempranillo Grenache Cabernet  
Sauvignon 2016

Mark J. Dufresne • North Bay, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Rosso Grande  
2014

Jimmy Dunn • Longview, TX  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Italian Super  
Tuscan 2014

Vicki Dunning • Coeur d'Alene, ID  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking  
Cellar Classic Winery Series Italian  
Super Tuscan

Jack and Brenda Esslinger • Chase, BC  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Rosso Fortissimo

Dave Fellowes • Aurora, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Pinot Noir  
Merlot Syrah 2016

Dave Fellowes • Aurora, ON  
100% Vineco KenRidge Showcase  
Cabernet Sauvignon Malbec  
Carmenere 2016

Lisa Gardner • Powell, OH  
50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 50% Merlot  
2015

David Garnar • Webster, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Tuscan Italian Super Tuscan  
2015

David Garnar • Webster, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection  
Limited Edition Australian Riverland  
Shiraz Viognier 2015

Edmund F. Gregg • Mineral, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Winemaker's Trio  
2015

Sandra Happy • Abbotsford, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Amarone 2016

Sandra Happy • Abbotsford, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Valpola 2016

William Murray and Alan Hefner  
West Lafayette, IN  
100% Vineco Passport Australian  
Cabernet Franc Cabernet Sauvignon  
2016

Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Super Tuscan  
2015

Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Winemaker's  
Trio 2015

Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon Malbec  
2015

Erik Jackson • Turlock, CA  
70% Graciano, 25% Cabernet  
Sauvignon, 5% Zinfandel 2013

Gary D. Jensen • Appleton, WI  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Australian Shiraz Viognier  
2015

Thomas Johnson • Vega, TX  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Tango 2012

Thomas Johnson • Vega, TX  
50% Petite Sirah, 50% Merlot 2015

Brad Keown • Windsor, ON  
100% Winexpert Eclipse Bravado 2016

Ben Kleinsasser • Brantford, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Rosso  
Fortissimo 2015

Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
Roswell, GA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Super Tuscan 2015

Kathy Lawler • Langley, BC  
100% Vineco Passport Pinot Noir  
Merlot Syrah 2016

Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon Malbec  
Carmenere 2015

Sal Lipari • Barrie, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli  
Amorosso 2016

Sal Lipari • Barrie, ON  
100% Mosti Mondiale Meglioli Rojo  
Grande 2016

Roger Long • Indianapolis, IN  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Cabernet Sauvignon Cabernet  
Franc Malbec Merlot 2016

George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
Flemington, NJ  
50% Sangiovese, 25% Cabernet  
Sauvignon, 25% Merlot 2015

Jeff Kulp, Paul Laffredo, and Patricia  
Lucas • Canton, MI  
100% Winexpert Selection Cabernet  
Sauvignon Merlot 2015

Jeff Kulp, Paul Laffredo, and  
Patricia Lucas • Canton, MI  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Valroza 2016

Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Rosso Grande  
Eccellente 2016

Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
100% Amarone 2016

Joseph McEllistrem • Carson City, NV  
50% Syrah, 30% Grenache, 20% Petite  
Sirah 2015

Richard McNamara • Riverview, NB  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Shiraz Viognier 2014

Shelly Molgaard • Upper Tantallon, NS  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Amarone 2014

Carlos Oliveira • Tillsonburg, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Italian Valpolicella 2013

Carlos Oliveira • Tillsonburg, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot 2015

Dawn Paul • Cranbrook, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Monastrell Petit Verdot 2015

Garry Peters • St. Andrews West, ON  
33% Tempranillo, 33% Grenache, 33%  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2016

Karen Phillips • Aurora, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
Classic Winery Series Rosso Grande  
Eccellente 2014

Karen Phillips • Aurora, ON  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
Amarone 2016

James Picano • Fairfield, CA  
40% Zinfandel, 20% Merlot, 20%  
Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Tempranillo,  
10% Touriga Nacional 2013

Paul Rowe • London, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
RQ Australian Shiraz Cabernet  
Sauvignon Malbec

Cody Shive • Chapel Hill, NC  
100% Vineco Kenridge Showcase  
Collection Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon  
Malbec Carmenere 2014

Guylaine & G.C. Sirois • Quebec, QC  
100% Mosti Mondiale Edition Des  
Maitres Wort Italy Granbarile 2016

Guylaine & G.C. Sirois • Quebec, QC  
100% Mosti Mondiale Impression  
Renaissance Italian Amorosso 2016

John Slana • Mississauga, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Luna Rossa  
2016

Karl St. Pierre • Levis, QC  
50% Malbec, 50% Muscat 2016

Bill Stephenson • Creston, BC  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Spanish Grenache Syrah 2016

Jason Stieler • Kitchener, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Australian  
Grenache Syrah Mourvedre 2016

Lindsay Tate • Sudbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
Primeur Winery Series Spanish  
Grenache Syrah 2016

Timothy M. Valdez  
Colorado Springs, CO  
45% Syrah, 40% Touriga Nacional,  
15% Grenache 2014

Neil Vaseleniuck • Windsor, ON  
100% Vineco Passport Pinot Noir  
Merlot Syrah 2016

Bob Vogt • Loveland, OH  
48% Merlot, 48% Cabernet Sauvignon,  
4% Petit Verdot 2012

Derek Wilson • Calgary, AB  
100% Wine Kitz Ultimate Estate  
Reserve Vieux Chateau du Roi 2015

Darrin Sobin, Jack Grimaldi, and Wayne  
Witkowski • Fairfax, VA  
67% Merlot, 33% Barbera 2015

Ryan Woolcott • Fonthill, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
Edition Mosaic Red 2016

## Blush/Rosé Red Vinitera

46 Entries  
**GOLD**

Philip Locilento • Weston, ON  
100% Vin Bon Premium Fresh Juice  
White Zinfandel 2015

## BRONZE

Richard E. Baker • Terre Haute, IN  
100% Winexpert Selection  
International Australian Grenache



Rose' 2014  
 Duncan Blackman • Victoria, BC  
 50% White Vinifera, 50% Red Vinifera  
 2016  
 John Provine and Didi Duello  
 O'Fallon, MO  
 80% White Zinfandel, 20% Blueberry  
 2016  
 Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
 100% Winexpert Selection California  
 White Zinfandel 2016  
 Lise Mailloux • Quebec, QC  
 100% Pinot Noir 2016  
 Garry Peters • St. Andrews West, ON  
 100% Pinot Noir 2016  
 Karen Phillips • Aurora, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 International White Zinfandel 2016  
 Paul Rowe • London, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Winery Series Chilean  
 Pinot Noir 2016  
 Scott Stewart • Garfield, NJ  
 100% Winexpert White Merlot 2016

## Red or White Vinifera Late Harvest and Ice Wine

22 Entries  
**GOLD**

John and Kathy Cogovan  
 Gasport, NY  
 100% Winexpert Cabernet Franc Ice  
 Wine 2016  
 Jeff Kulp, Paul Laffredo, and Patricia  
 Lucas • Canton, MI  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
 Riesling Ice Wine 2017  
 David Smith • Windsor, ON  
 100% Winexpert Speciale Riesling Ice  
 Wine 2013  
 Phil Zynda • Depew, NY  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
 Riesling Ice Wine 2015

## SILVER

Andy Castrodale • Grand Coulee, WA  
 100% Zinfandel 2011  
 Dave Gochenaur • Downers Grove, IL  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
 Riesling Ice Wine 2015  
 Sal and Janet Internicola • Flanders, NJ  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
 Cabernet Franc Ice Wine 2016  
 Ty Johnson • Wenatchee, WA  
 100% Gewürztraminer Ice Wine 2013  
 William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Specialty  
 Riesling Ice Wine 2016

## BRONZE

Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
 100% Viognier 2014  
 Erroll Gee • Whitby, ON  
 100% Winexpert Cabernet Franc Ice  
 Wine 2015  
 Gary Duesterberg and Adora Ku  
 Roswell, GA  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Specialty  
 Riesling Ice Wine 2016

## White Table Wine Blend

15 Entries  
**SILVER**

Cathy Clark • Oakville, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar  
 Classic Winery Series Winemaker's  
 Trio 2016  
 Jim Cogelow • Golden Valley, MN  
 100% Winexpert Selection Limited  
 Edition Chenin Blanc Gewürztraminer  
 Muscat 2013

## BRONZE

Robert Fowler • St. Paul, MN  
 50% La Crescent, 50% Pinot Gris 2016  
 Karen Piantek • Vernon, CT  
 100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
 Angel Blanco 2016

## Red Table Wine Blend

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63 Entries  
**GOLD**

Marco Ferrante, Sr. • Arnold, MD  
 60% Sangiovese, 20% Cabernet  
 Sauvignon, 20% Petite Sirah

## SILVER

Jon Adams • Martinez, CA  
 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 50% Syrah  
 2015  
 Carlos Amaral • Mississauga, ON  
 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, 30%  
 Cabernet Franc, 20% Merlot 2015  
 Tom Anders • Walnut Creek, CA  
 60% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 40%  
 Estate Merlot 2015  
 Robert Fowler • St. Paul, MN  
 50% Frontenac, 44% Cabernet  
 Sauvignon, 3% Cabernet Franc, 3%  
 Merlot 2014  
 George Featherman and Jim Lowney  
 Flemington, NJ  
 60% Tempranillo, 30% Cabernet  
 Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc 2015  
 Melissa Swanson • Thousand Oaks, CA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru  
 Select RQ Australian Shiraz Cabernet  
 Sauvignon Malbec 2016

## BRONZE

Gary and Megan Carmichael • Floyd, VA  
 100% Vineco Cheeky Monkey Spanish  
 Garnacha 2016  
 Crystal and John Cooke • Brantford, ON  
 100% Vintner's Cellar Supreme  
 Valpolicella 2016  
 Darrell Dail • Raleigh, NC  
 40% Estate Zinfandel, 30% Estate  
 Cabernet Sauvignon, 30% Estate  
 Merlot 2014  
 James Hecht • Cumberland, RI  
 33% Merlot, 33% Zinfandel, 33% Syrah  
 2015  
 Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Chateau Neuf du Pape  
 Grant Millar • Kingston, ON  
 100% Vineco Cellar Craft Showcase  
 Mystic  
 Michael Hammond and Becky Mowat  
 Charlottetown, PE  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Cabernet Sauvignon Syrah Zinfandel  
 2106  
 Roger Mattar and John Severs  
 Corona, CA  
 33% Sangiovese, 33% Cabernet

Sauvignon, 22% Nebbiolo,  
 12% Zinfandel 2015  
 Mitko Toshev • Calgary, AB  
 100% Winexpert World Collection  
 Vineyard California Trinity Red 2016  
 Guy Chiasson and Francois Tremblay  
 Quebec, QC  
 100% Mosti Mondiale Fresco Wort  
 Italy Valle Dei Tempi 2015  
 Guy Chiasson and Francois Tremblay  
 Quebec, QC  
 100% Mosti Mondiale Edition Des  
 Maitres Wort Chile Rojo Encantado  
 2015  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En  
 Primeur Australian Cabernet  
 Sauvignon Shiraz 2016  
 Siegfried Wolf • Bridgeman, MI  
 36% Marquette, 34% Foch, 30%  
 Sangiovese 2014

## Blush Table Wine Blend

8 Entries

## BRONZE

Joseph W. Knizeski • Orangeburg, NY  
 30% Grenache, 30% Syrah, 20%  
 Touriga Nacional, 20% Cabernet  
 Sauvignon 2016

## Grape & Non-Grape Table Wine Blend

24 Entries

## GOLD

Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
 70% Winexpert Eclipse Washington  
 Columbia Valley Riesling, 30% Red  
 Raspberry 2016  
 Mike Stahl • Rockville, MD  
 98% Winexpert Island Mist  
 Pomegranate Zinfandel, 1% Orange  
 Blossom Honey, 1% Cranberry Honey  
 2016

## SILVER

Ron Dershem • Davisburg, MI  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Cranberry  
 Malbec 2016  
 Carol Hamilton • Lake St. Louis, MO  
 100% Winexpert Raspberry White  
 Zinfandel 2014  
 John Hively • New Waterford, OH  
 50% Red Raspberry, 50% Niagara 2015  
 Dennis R. Haff • Newton, NJ  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist White  
 Cranberry Pinot Gris 2017

## BRONZE

Ron Dershem • Davisburg, MI  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Black  
 Cherry Pinot Noir 2016  
 John Hively • New Waterford, OH  
 50% Blackberry, 50% Niagara 2015  
 Stacy Johnson • Winlock, WA  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist  
 Blackberry Cabernet Sauvignon 2015  
 Mike Stahl • Rockville, MD  
 99% Winexoert German Mosel Valley  
 Gewürztraminer, 1% Tulepo Honey  
 2015  
 P.S. Swearingen • Waxahachie, TX  
 80% Concord, 20% Blackberry 2016

## Apple or Pear Varietals or Blends

38 Entries

### GOLD

Randy Stevens • Lorraine, NY  
50% McIntosh Apple, 50% Cortland Apple 2015

### SILVER

Harold Baker • New Palestine, IN  
60% Apple, 40% Blackberry, spices 2016  
Tony and Becky Margis • Newark, DE  
98% Apple, 1% Cinnamon, 1% Nutmeg 2016  
Norman Yerdon • Adams, NY  
100% Apple

### BRONZE

Dana Andrews • Duluth, MN  
75% Estate Crabapple, 24% Estate Concord, 1% Cherry 2016  
John and Kathy Cogovan • Gasport, NY  
50% Pear, 49% Chardonnay, 1% Fig 2015  
Kris Mitchell and Denis Durand Lamont, AB  
100% Estate Apple 2015  
Keith Fowler • Westfield, NJ  
100% Estate Pear 2016  
Tony and Becky Margis • Newark, DE  
100% Estate Pear 2016  
Jerrilyn Monroe • Stover, MO  
100% Bartlett Pear 2016  
Dein Shapiro • Stockton, NJ  
50% Estate Honey Crisp Apple, 50% Estate Gala Apple 2015

## Hard Cider or Perry

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20 Entries

### GOLD

Raymond M. Iannucci • Branford, CT  
12.5% Fuji Apple, 12.5% Golden Russet Apple, 12.5% Fortune Apple, 12.5%, 12.5% Mutso Apple, 12.5% Braeburn Apple, 12.5% Winesap Apple, 12.5% Baldwin Apple, 12.5% Northern Spy Apple 2015  
Raymond M. Iannucci • Branford, CT  
25% Golden Russet Apple, 25% Braeburn Apple, 25% Fuji Apple, 25% Mutsu Apple 2015  
Tony Soboti • Summit, NJ  
50% Pineapple, 50% Pear

### SILVER

Kenneth Choi • West Linn, OR  
100% Apple 2017  
Tony Soboti • Summit, NJ  
50% Strawberry, 50% Ginger  
Tony Soboti • Summit, NJ  
50% Black Currant, 50% Apple  
Tony Soboti • Summit, NJ  
50% Beach Plum, 50% Cranberry

### BRONZE

Allen Richard • Natchez, MS  
100% Mangrove Jack Craft Pear Cider 2016  
Tony Soboti • Summit, NJ  
50% Maple, 50% Cinnamon

## Stone Fruit

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49 Entries

### GOLD

Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Morello Cherry 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Estate Elephant Heart Plum 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Peach 2016  
Camille Hendrickson  
Hagerstown, MD  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard Breezin' Mist Peach Apricot Chardonnay 2015  
Paulette Kates • Akron, IN  
100% Peach 2015  
Matthew Leone • Johnston, RI  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard Breezin' Mist Peach Perfection 2016  
William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Black Forest Dessert Wine 2017  
Eric Swing • Mount Holly, NC  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Harvest Cherry 2015

### SILVER

Thomas B. Foster • Thompson, PA  
100% Chocolate Cherry 2014  
Joe Krajciwicz • Grandville, MI  
100% Montmorency Cherry 2016  
Amy Ludwig • Jackson, MO  
25% Mango, 25% Peach, 25% Strawberry, 25% Pineapple 2016  
Colin Rohrmoser • St. Catharines, ON  
100% Cherry 2014  
Raymond Swanson • Plainville, CT  
60% Mango, 40% Peach 2015  
Samer Thanavaro  
Town & Country, MO  
100% Estate Pim Saen Mun 2016  
Joe Worthington • Scipio, IN  
100% Cherry 2016

### BRONZE

Jay Buermann • Milton, VT  
100% Plum 2015  
John and Kathy Cogovan • Gasport, NY  
100% Cherry 2016  
Thomas B. Foster • Thompson, PA  
100% Cherry 2013  
Maureen Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Cherry 2015  
Amy Ludwig • Jackson, MO  
100% Plum 2016  
Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
100% Black Plum 2016  
Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
100% Estate Cherry 2016  
Chris and Heather Rogers • Lakeland, FL  
100% Mango 2016  
David Noone and Li Vasquez-Noone  
Delray Beach, FL  
100% Estate Mango 2015  
David Noone and Li Vasquez-Noone  
Delray Beach, FL  
100% Estate Mango 2015

Raymond Swanson • Plainville, CT  
100% Peach 2015  
Raymond Swanson • Plainville, CT  
100% Plum 2015  
Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
75% Estate Mango, 25% Estate Blackberry 2016  
Oscar J. Walker • Louisville, KY  
100% Cherry 2016

## Berry Fruit

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144 Entries

### GOLD

Peyton Allen • Ramer, TN  
100% Blueberry 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Red Raspberry 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Boysenberry 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Olallieberry 2016  
Charles E. Bright • Louisville, KY  
100% Vintner's Best Blackberry 2016  
Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
100% Winexpert Island Mist Strawberry Watermelon Shiraz 2016  
Erik Hayes • Wabash, IN  
100% Vintner's Best Raspberry 2016  
Stephen Kristner • Middletown, NY  
100% Strawberry 2015  
John J. Matchock • Ramey, PA  
45% Blueberry, 45% Cherry, 10% Elderberry 2015  
Jessica and Nathaniel Metz  
Battle Ground, IN  
65% Winexpert Vintner's Harvest Blackberry, 35% Winexpert Vintner's Harvest Strawberry  
Regina M. Place • Elbridge, NY  
100% Estate Mulberry 2015  
Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
75% Estate Aronia Berry, 25% Estate Frontenac 2015  
Robert M. Rosser • Boaz, AL  
100% Strawberry 2016  
Greg and Carol Salyer • Gray, TN  
50% Pomegranate, 50% Blueberry 2008  
William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Raspberry Mocha Dessert Wine 2016  
Luke S. Zimmerman • Shilon, OH  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard Breezin' Rockin' Raspberry 2016

### SILVER

Rod Allen • Hamilton, MT  
99.5% Estate Raspberry, .5% Estate Orange 2015  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Blackberry 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Dessert-Style Loganberry 2016  
Michael Christiana • Enola, PA  
100% Red Raspberry 2015  
Timothy Cunfer • Lehigh, PA

100% Estate Black Raspberry 2016  
 John Provine and Didi Duello  
 O'Fallon, MO  
 35% Strawberry, 35% Merlot, 30%  
 Rhubarb 2016  
 Tore Eike • Sola, Norway  
 60% Estate Aronia, 40% Estate Cherry  
 2014  
 Roger Fox • Spokane Valley, WA  
 100% Winexpert Selection Blackberry  
 Dessert Wine 2016  
 Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
 100% Black Raspberry 2015  
 Mirella Hopper • Woodstock, ON  
 100% Vineco Niagara Mist Strawberry  
 Raspberry 2016  
 Maureen Janke • Eagan, MN  
 20% Estate Blueberry, 20% Estate  
 Red Raspberry, 20% Estate Black  
 Raspberry, 20% Estate Strawberry,  
 20% Estate Blackberry 2015  
 John J. Matchock • Ramey, PA  
 50% Strawberry, 50% Cranberry 2016  
 Danielle Mentley • Petrolia, ON  
 100% Vineco Niagara Mist Rasperry  
 Dragonfruit, with chocolate 2016  
 Daniel Narduzzi • Waterloo, ON  
 50% Wildberry, 50% Shiraz 2014  
 Richard Ness • Springfield, OH  
 100% Estate Black Raspberry 2016  
 Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
 100% Strawberry 2016  
 Debbie Pajala • Brantwood, WI  
 90% Estate Blueberry, 10% Estate  
 Pomogranate 2016  
 Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
 80% Estate Blackberry, 20% Estate  
 Wild Blackberry 2016  
 Alan Putnam • Corvallis, MT  
 100% Estate Red Raspberry, Dessert  
 2016  
 Sandy Shivas • Ilion, NY  
 100% Fontana Blackberry 2016  
 Robby Temple • Burlison, TX  
 75% Elderberry, 25% White Grape  
 2016  
 James L. Thompson • Frankinville, NY  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist  
 Strawberry Merlot 2016  
 Dee Tridle • Coeur d'Alene, ID  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard  
 Breezin' Rockin Raspberry Rose'  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard  
 Breezin' Acai Raspberry 2016  
 David Wawro • Jordan, NY  
 85% Raspberry, 15% Apple 2016

## BRONZE

Dana Andrews • Duluth, MN  
 75% Blueberry, 15% Concord, 10%  
 Pomegranate 2016  
 Mark Bennett • Hamilton, MT  
 100% Estate Raspberry 2016  
 Charles E. Bright • Louisville, KY  
 100% Vintner's Best Blueberry 2016  
 Marc DeMelo • Scottsdale, AZ  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist  
 Strawberry White Merlot 2015  
 Kris Mitchell and Denis Durand  
 Lamont, AB  
 25% Estate Raspberry, 25% Estate  
 Saskatoon Berry, 25% Rhubarb, 25%  
 Apple 2015

James Fields • Heidelberg, ON  
 50% Strawberry, 50% Zinfandel 2015  
 James Scott and Eileen Flores  
 Washington, NJ  
 100% Blueberry 2016  
 James Scott and Eileen Flores  
 Washington, NJ  
 100% Raspberry 2016  
 Keith Fowler • Westfield, NY  
 100% Estate Raspberry 2016  
 Sherri Fullenkamp • Westpoint, IA  
 100% Estate Blueberry 2016  
 William Murray and Alan Hefner  
 West Lafayette, IN  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist  
 Blackberry Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
 Cindy Holmes • Gravenhurst, ON  
 65% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard  
 Breezin' Cranberry Chianti, 35%  
 Blueberry 2016  
 Jeffrey Lamb • Brick, NJ  
 90% Blueberry, 10% Moscato 2016  
 Ted Mack • Oklahoma City, OK  
 100% Vintner's Best Elderberry 2016  
 John J. Matchock • Ramey, PA  
 90% Blueberry, 10% Elderberry 2016  
 John J. Matchock • Ramey, PA  
 100% Blueberry 2016  
 Danielle Mentley • Petrolia, ON  
 100% Vineco Niagara Mist Strawberry  
 White Zinfandel 2016  
 Michael Kennedy and Michael Mincey  
 Hawthorne, NJ  
 100% Blueberry 2016  
 Jerrilyn Monroe • Stover, MO  
 100% Vintner's Harvest Fruit Base  
 Elderberry 2016  
 Regina M. Place • Elbridge, NY  
 100% Estate Red Raspberry 2016  
 Robert Porten • Utica, NY  
 100% Cranberry 2015  
 Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
 100% Blueberry 2016  
 Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
 100% Estate Wild Blackberry 2016  
 Bill Stamper • Wakarusa, IN  
 100% Cranberry 2016  
 Keith Godwin and Rob Stottlemeyer  
 Falling Waters, WV  
 100% Blueberry 2016  
 Raymond Swanson • Plainville, CT  
 100% Raspberry 2016  
 Oscar J. Walker • Louisville, KY  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Blueberry  
 Pomegranate Merlot 2016  
 Shawn Wilkins • Mason City, IA  
 100% Strawberry 2015

## Other Fruits

37 Entries

### GOLD

Chris Woods and Terry Arnold  
 Alliston, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard  
 Breezin' Cranapple Chardonnay 2016  
 John R. Gallivan • Saint Joseph, IL  
 94% Estate Persimmon, 6% Estate  
 Golden Raisin 2015  
 Christopher Gugel • Jacksonville, FL  
 99% Orange, 1% Chocolate 2017  
 David Jaxheimer • Fanwood, NJ  
 100% Pineapple 2015  
 Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
 12.5% Raspberry, 12.5% Blackberry,  
 12.5% Blueberry, 12.5% Peach, 12.5%

Banana, 12.5% Strawberry, 12.5%  
 Pineapple, 12.5% Cherry 2016  
 Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
 100% Estate Lychee 2016  
 Steven White • Sandusky, OH  
 80% Banana, 20% Strawberry 2016  
 Phil Zynda • Depew, NY  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Coconut  
 Yuzu Pinot Grigio 2015

## SILVER

Danielle Mentley • Petrolia, ON  
 100% Vineco Niagara Mist Pineapple  
 Coconut 2016  
 Dan Schreffler • Dunmore, PA  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Kiwi Pear  
 Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
 William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
 Specialty Vanilla Fig 2017  
 Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
 100% Estate Starfruit, Dry 2016  
 Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
 100% Estate Starfruit, Sweet 2016  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard  
 Breezin' Citrus Sunshine 2016

## BRONZE

Buddy Bear • Grand Junction, CO  
 99% Watermelon, 1% Apricot 2015  
 Crystal and John Cooke • Brantford, ON  
 100% Vintner's Cellar Supreme  
 Coconut Sauvignon Blanc 2016  
 Camille Hendrickson • Hagerstown, MD  
 100% Winexpert Island Mist Raspberry  
 Peach Sangria 2016  
 David King • Huntsville, AL  
 100% Lemon 2015  
 Amy Ludwig • Jackson, MO  
 40% Pomegranate, 30% Raspberry,  
 30% Cranberry 2016  
 Daniel Narduzzi • Waterloo, ON  
 50% Coconut, 50% Sauvignon Blanc  
 2016  
 Kathleen Ondrus • Fruita, CO  
 50% Banana, 50% Chocolate 2016  
 Robert M. Taylor • Fairview, IL  
 100% Persimmon 2016  
 Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
 75% Estate Starfruit, 25% Estate  
 Blackberry 2016  
 Steven White • Sandusky, OH  
 100% Banana 2016  
 Jim Woods • Flagstaff, AZ  
 100% Prickly Pear 2016

## Traditional Mead

19 Entries

### GOLD

Sean Benjamin • Haines Port, NJ  
 100% Orange Blossom Honey 2015  
 Eric Olson • Valley Center, CA  
 100% Wildflower Honey (carmelized  
 Bochet) 2016

## SILVER

John Abbott • Chico, CA  
 100% Orange Blossom Honey 2015  
 Randolph Kunzelmann • Gilbert, AZ  
 100% Mesquite Honey 2016

## BRONZE

Brian Daughetee • Mauldin, SC



100% Tulip Poplar Honey 2016  
Greg Hertling • O'Fallon, MO  
100% Orange Blossom Honey  
Eric Olson • Valley Center, CA  
100% Mesquite Honey 2017  
Eric Olson • Valley Center, CA  
100% Clover Honey 2014  
Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
100% Honey 2015  
Dan Schreffler • Dunmore, PA  
100% Wildflower Honey 2016

## Fruit Mead

**Sponsor: The Purple Foot – Milwaukee**

28 Entries

**GOLD**

Alan Braker • Sun Prairie, WI  
70% Nectarine, 30% Honey 2015  
Clayton Donohue • North Van, BC  
98% BC Honey, 1% Orange, 1% Raisin 2014  
Jessica and Nathaniel Metz  
Battle Ground, IN  
75% Winexpert Vintner's Harvest  
Apricot, 15% Winexpert Vintner's  
Harvest Peach, 10% Honey  
Rick Presley • Morrisville, MO  
50% Wild Blackberry, 50% Blackberry  
Honey 2015  
Samer Thanavaro • Town & Country, MO  
100% Estate Starfruit 2016

## SILVER

Herbert Hebein • Chicago, IL  
50% Blackberry, 50% Blackberry  
Honey 2016

## BRONZE

Jeff Boswell • Cochranton, PA  
50% Raspberry, 50% Riesling 2014  
John J. Matchock • Ramey, PA  
50% Peach, 50% Wild Honey 2016

## Herb and Spice Mead

21 Entries

**SILVER**

John Abbott • Chico, CA  
33% Christmas Mulling Spice, 33%  
Apple, 33% Wildflower Honey 2014  
Sean Benjamin • Haines Port, NJ  
88% Orange Blossom Honey, 2%  
Allspice, 2% Cinnamon, 2% Nutmeg,  
2% Ginger, 2% Cardamon, 2% Vanilla  
Bean 2016  
Robert Broome • Terrace, BC  
96% Fireweed Honey, 1% Clove, 1%  
Cinnamon, 1% Orange, 1% Raisin  
Scott Kurtz • Brentwood, MO  
33% Chipolte, 33% Tangerine, 33%  
Missouri Wildflower Honey 2015  
Eric Olson • Valley Center, CA  
99% Orange Blossom Honey, 1%  
Habanero 2017

## BRONZE

Sean Benjamin • Haines Port, NJ  
88% Orange Blossom Honey, 2%  
Allspice, 2% Cinnamon, 2% Nutmeg,  
2% Ginger, 2% Cardamon, 2% Vanilla  
Bean 2016  
Ben and Danae Gilmore  
Hurricane, WV  
98% Orange Blossom Honey, 1%  
Hibiscus, 1% Kent Goldings Hops 2016

Scott Kurtz • Brentwood, MO  
25% Lavender, 25% Mint, 25%  
Chamomille, 25% Missouri Wildflower  
Honey 2012  
Kimberly Walbridge • Conneaut, OH  
50% Wildflower Honey, 45% Asian  
Pear, 5% Vanilla Bean 2014

## Flower or Vegetable

26 Entries

**GOLD**

Jeff Boswell • Cochranton, PA  
100% Corn 2015  
Gerald W. Burke • Austenburg, OH  
100% Dandelion  
Michael Christiana • Enola, PA  
25% Dandelion, 25% Orange, 25%  
Lemon, 25% Raisin 2016  
Christopher Gugel • Jacksonville, FL  
100% Rose Petal 2016  
David Jaxheimer • Fanwood, NJ  
80% Estate Tomato, 20% Pepper 2015  
Joanne McLean • Bancroft, ON  
50% Onion, 50% Garlic 2016

## SILVER

John and Kathy Cogovan • Gasport, NY  
99% Estate Tomato, 1% Estate Orange  
2015  
Michael Little • Farmington, MN  
100% Rhubarb 2016  
Debbie Pajala • Brantwood, WI  
95% Estate Dandelion, 5% Ginger  
2015  
Andy and Kayla Skowron  
Woodbine, MD  
96% Dandelion, 2% Lemon, 2%  
Clementine 2016

## BRONZE

Maureen Janke • Eagan, MN  
100% Rhubarb 2016  
Steve Klok • Kalamazoo, MI  
80% Estate Rhubarb, 20% White Grape  
2015

## Port Style

94 Entries

**GOLD**

Kellie Babin • Airdrie, AB  
100% Winexpert Red Velvet Dessert  
Wine 2015  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Red Raspberry Port 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Blackberry Port 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Peach Port 2016  
Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
Walnut Creek, CA  
100% Cherry Amaretto Port 2016  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
90% Zinfandel, 10% Syrah 2014  
Michael Brouillette • Baton Rouge, LA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Specialty Chocolate Raspberry Port  
Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Chocolate  
Cherry Port 2015  
Bill Weir and Susan Campbell-Weir  
Clayton, CA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select

Specialty Raspberry Mocha Dessert  
Wine 2015  
Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
99% RJS Craft Winemaking Black  
Forest Port, 1% Hazelnut 2015  
Crystal and John Cooke • Brantford, ON  
100% Vintner's Cellar Supreme Port  
2016  
Jack and Brenda Esslinger • Chase, BC  
100% Vineco Cellar Craft Specialty  
Porto Contino  
Dave Fellowes • Aurora, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Specialty Orange Chocolate Port 2014  
Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Specialty Black Forest Port 2015  
Paul B. Henry • Temple, PA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Specialty Toasted Caramel Dessert  
2016  
Sal and Janet Internicola • Flanders, NJ  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select  
Specialty Vanilla Fig Port 2016  
Dave Sienknecht • San Jose, CA  
100% Zinfandel 2015  
William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Coffee  
Toasted Caramel Dessert Wine 2017  
Charles Trafagander • Modena, NY  
49% Cabernet Sauvignon, 49% Merlot,  
1% Raspberry, 1% Cocoa Nibs 2012  
David Wawro • Jordan, NY  
100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
Chocolate Caramel Dessert Wine 2015

## SILVER

Elmer Baugess • Whitsett, NC  
100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
Chocolate Raspberry Port 2012  
Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
85% Merlot, 15% Syrah 2010  
Charles E. Bright • Louisville, KY  
100% Winexpert Chocolate Orange  
Port 2015  
Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
100% RJS Craft Winemaking Coffee  
Port 2014  
Bill Weir and Susan Campbell-Weir  
Clayton, CA  
100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
Blackberry Port 2014  
Inge Carpenter • Barrie, ON  
100% Winexpert Selection Speciale  
Peppermint Mocha Dessert 2016  
Andy Castrodale • Grand Coulee, WA  
100% Zinfandel Port 2011  
Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
98% RJS Craft Winemaking Dessert  
Wine, 1% Chocolate, 1% Peanut Butter  
2015  
Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
99% RJS Craft Winemaking Toasted  
Caramel Port, 1% Apple 2015  
Jeffrey Clayton • Bartlett, IL  
99% RJS Craft Winemaking Coffee  
Port, 1% Hazelnut 2015  
Thomas B. Foster • Thompson, PA  
100% Winexpert Chocolate Raspberry  
Port 2013  
Jonathan George • Beaver Falls, PA  
100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve  
Best Peach 2016  
Ken Gibson • Calgary, BC  
50% RJS Craft Winemaking Toasted

Caramel Port, 50% Winexpert Selection Speciale Port 2015  
 John Gresham • Lodi, CA  
 75% Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Estate Zinfandel, 10% Estate Petite Sirah 2015  
 Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Toasted Caramel Port 2015  
 Alan Hatton • Dartmouth, NS  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Black Forest Port 2015  
 Camille Hendrickson  
 Hagerstown, MD  
 50% Winexpert Orange Chocolate Port, 50% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Specialty Port 2015  
 Kelly Mackay • Airdrie, AB  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale Chocolate Caramel Dessert Wine 2015  
 Gail Nelson • Creston, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Toasted Caramel Port 2015  
 Jim Savarino • North Adams, MA  
 100% Zinfandel 2015  
 Lynn Schwartz • Centennial, CO  
 98% Estate Frontenac, 2% Cabernet Franc 2016  
 Sandy Shivas • Iliion, NY  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale Red Velvet 2016  
 Sandy Shivas • Iliion, NY  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Black Forest Port 2016  
 Sandy Shivas • Iliion, NY  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale Peppermint Mocha Dessert 2016  
 Sandy Shivas • Iliion, NY  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Toasted Caramel Port 2016

### BRONZE

Tom Anders • Walnut Creek, CA  
 45% Napa Valley Merlot, 42% Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon, 13% Napa Valley Cabernet Franc  
 Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
 100% Zinfandel 2008  
 Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
 98% Syrah, 2% Petit Verdot 2010  
 Dan Boykin • Concord, CA  
 100% Petite Sirah 2009  
 Gerald W. Burke • Austenburg, OH  
 100% Blackberry 2015  
 Jon Bush • Middletown, MD  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orange Chocolate Port 2014  
 Doc and Roxie Challenger  
 Blairsville, GA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Coffee Dessert Wine 2015  
 Paul Everson • Maplewood, MN  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Raspberry Mocha Dessert Wine 2015  
 Erroll Gee • Whitby, ON  
 100% Winexpert Speciale Chocolate Raspberry Port 2014  
 Derek Hammond • Thornbury, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select

Specialty Coffee Port 2015  
 Mark Hvasti • Bracebridge, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Vanilla Fig Dessert Wine 2016  
 Larry Janke • Eagan, MN  
 100% Black Currant 2016  
 Lana Keating • Ft. Worth, TX  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Chocolate Raspberry Port 2016  
 Terry Robbins • Oskaloosa, KS  
 100% Estate Chambourcin 2014  
 David Robinson • Duncan, BC  
 100% Estate Blueberry 2015  
 David Robinson • Duncan, BC  
 100% Estate Blackberry 2016  
 Paul Rowe • London, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Vanilla Fig Port 2016  
 Dave Sabo and Annie Spadaro  
 Chagrin Falls, OH  
 100% Paso Robles Zinfandel 2015  
 William Stefan • Fairfax, VA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cellar Classic Coffee Dessert Wine 2017  
 Bud Witter • Kitchener, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Brandy Cassis Dessert Wine 2015

### Sherry Style

6 Entries  
**SILVER**  
 Kellie Babin • Airdrie, AB  
 100% Winexpert Speciale Apera Sherry Style 2015

### BRONZE

Mat McTrash • Haliburton, ON  
 100% Vineco KenRidge Classic Sherry 2010

### Other Fortified

19 Entries  
**GOLD**  
 Joe Laws • Wright City, MO  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Raspberry Mocha Dessert Wine 2015  
 Doc and Roxie Roder • Blairsville, GA  
 98% RJS Craft Winemaking Vanilla Fig Dessert Wine, 1% Pecan, 1% Cinnamon Spirit 2016  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Specialty Vanilla Fig with Moonshine 2016

### SILVER

Ken Gibson • Calgary, BC  
 98% Winexpert Speciale Peppermint Mocha Dessert Wine, 1% Vodka, 1% Sambuca 2016  
 Mike Tomell • Frenchtown, MI  
 53.3% Baco Noir, 25.4% Red Plum, 8.9% Black Cherry, 5.1% King of the North, 4.1% Oregon Grape, 3.2% St. Pepin 2013  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa

100 Mile House, BC  
 100% Village Idiot Plum Port with Moonshine 2016  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% Village Idiot Rhubarb Port with Moonshine 2016

### BRONZE

Rex Johnston and Barbara Bentley  
 Walnut Creek, CA  
 96% Peach, 4% Peach Brandy 2016  
 Charles Hatlestad • Fairport, NY  
 100% Winexpert Selection Speciale Chocolate Orange Port, Brandy 2015  
 Joseph Patrick • Shelton, CT  
 75% Estate Blueberry, 25% Blackberry Brandy 2015  
 Deborah Rickman • Auburn, CA  
 100% Estate Santa Rosa Plum 2015  
 Jane Petruniak and Stephen Stefanyk  
 Surrey, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select Cabernet Franc Ice Wine, Raspberry, Chocolate 2016

### Sparkling Grape, Dry/Semi-Dry or Sweet

13 Entries  
**GOLD**  
 John Edlund • Macedon, NY  
 100% Seyval Blanc 2015  
 Walt Huber • Maineville, OH  
 100% Winexpert Vintner's Reserve Riesling 2015  
 Walt Huber • Maineville, OH  
 50% Syrah, 25% Viognier, 25% Muscat 2015  
 Randy Partridge • St. Marys, ON  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En Primeur Winery Series Chilean Pinot Noir Rosé 2016  
 David Robinson • Duncan, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Grand Cru International Rosé 2016  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En Primeur Winery Series German Riesling Gewürztraminer 2016

### SILVER

David Robinson • Duncan, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking En Primeur Winery Series Chardonnay 2016

### BRONZE

Bill Weir and Susan Campbell-Weir  
 Clayton, CA  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Cru Select RQ South Africa Chenin Blanc Sauvignon Blanc 2014

### Sparkling Non-Grape

6 Entries  
**GOLD**  
 Callie McHarg and Keith Warawa  
 100 Mile House, BC  
 100% RJS Craft Winemaking Orchard



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