

# FIELD RECORDINGS.

### 'Winery of the Year'

-Vinepair 2023

# 'Andrew Jones is one of the most important players in the Central Coast wine industry.' -San Francisco Chronicle

Year Founded: 2007

Region: Central Coast, Paso Robles AVA

Owner/Winemaker:
Andrew Jones and Tim Fulnecky

Known For: Andrew's 'day job' is working for a grapevine nursery in California, putting some 2-3 million vines in the ground per year in addition to putting 60,000+miles on his car a year driving from vineyard to vineyard. Andrew knows where the best vineyard sites are in California and he champions them through authentically made wines.

-Organic, Sustainable, Vegan-

Field Recordings is the winemakerrun label of Andrew Jones, born from his two decades of working in the vine-nursery world on California's Central Coast. With an eye for underappreciated vinevard sites, he founded Field Recordings in 2007 to document "the people and places I value most" through wine. Based in Tin City, Paso Robles, the program sources from some of the region's most interesting and quietly performing vineyards - organic or sustainably farmed, often dry-farmed, always chosen with intention. Andrew makes wines that speak of place, but above all speak of flavor: nativeyeast ferments, minimal sulfur, zero pretension. At Field Recordings you'll find everything from skin-contact whites and pét-nats to serious barrelaged reds and everyday-drink blends



- all wrapped in a label and a brand designed for accessibility and authenticity. With most wines retailing in the \$25 range, and many club members and visitors remarking on their freshness and value, the brand occupies a distinct space: elevated yet un-elevated, thoughtful yet fun. Field Recordings is expanding vineyard ownership, refining organic certification, and maintaining a tasting room that welcomes dogs, families and curious visitors alike. In a winemaking world that often privileges flash and hype, Field Recordings delivers quiet, grounded wines with personality.

#### 2021 Champs, Paso Robles



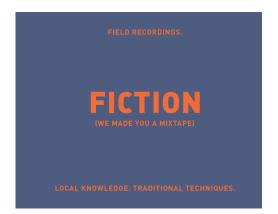
Varietals: 100% Pinot Meunier

Vineyards: Derbyshire

To expand on our sparkling wine-making skills we started a methode champenoise in 2020 using this underdog sparkling grape from the old world that is the only of its kind grown on the SLO Coast. On tirage for 30 months and disgorged in July of 2023. Enjoy, this is our toast to you!



#### 2023 'Fiction' Red Wine, Paso Robles



**Varietals:** 23% Zinfandel, 22% Cabernet Sauvignon, 17% Cabernet Franc, 16% Syrah, 8% Alicante Bouschet, 5% Lagrein, 5% Corvina, 4% Cinsault

Vineyards: Loomis (Organic), Hinterland (Organic), Bordonaro, Wilderness,

Vukelich, Armory, Koligian

**Fermentation:** Fermented as whole berries; depending on the lot, we use 10-20% stems for added structure and spice. Punchdowns and/or pumpovers twice daily to keep the native yeast fermentation healthy and happy.

Élevage: 6 months in both American and French oak, 20% new

**Tasting Notes:** Fresh blueberries, hint of black pepper, cinnamon and cardamom. Tart black cherries and licorice on the palate, with a smooth and refreshing finish.

<u>93 Points - James Suckling</u> - "The nose offers an array of bright, lifted aromas of mulberries, cocoa and violets. The palate is medium-bodied with firmly integrated tannins and fresh acidity, showing notes of blood plums, raspberries, dark chocolate and licorice."

#### **2024 Wonderwall Pinot Noir, Santa Barbara County**



Vineyards: Garey Anch, Maria Vista, Yellow Foxtrot

Fermentation: Fully destemmed and fermented in stainless steel with 1 pump

over per day to gently extract flavors through fermentation

Élevage: 7 months in French oak, 10% new

Tasting Notes: Raspberry, black cherries, Ceylon cinnamon, black pepper

#### 2024 Chenin Blanc, Central Coast



Varietals: 100% Chenin Blanc

Vineyards: Shell Creek (organic), Jurassic Park (sustainable), Chalone

Fermentation: Hand-picked and pressed directly to barrel for a spontaneous fermentation

Élevage: 4 months in 1000l German fuder and 228l neutral French oak

Tasting Notes: Meyer lemon, fresh quince, zest of lime, oyster shells, chamomile





Varietals: 100% Cabernet Franc

Vineyards: Hinterland (Organic), Bordonaro

Fermentation: open top bins with 33% stem inclusion

Élevage: 8 months in American oak casks

Tasting Notes: blueberries, black cherries, red currants

and a touch of mint and rosemary

92 Points - James Suckling - "Not your traditional California cabernet franc. This leans more toward a Loire Valley style, with fresh, lifted aromas of wild blackberries, cassis, violets and potpourri. The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins and bright acidity, showing notes of cranberries, pencil shavings and fresh herbs. Very well balanced and vibrant."

<u>91 Points - Vinous</u> - "Wickedly fresh, the 2023 Franc opens in the glass with blue and purple floral tones, hints of wet stone and black raspberries. This is racy with crunchy wild berry fruits elevated by violet inner florals and juicy acidity. It leaves a flowery concentration and a tinge of fine tannins through the finish."

#### 2022 Rosé Pet Nat, Paso Robles



#### 20 Wines to Drink Right Now - New York Times

"Field Recordings buy grapes from all over the Central Coast of California and almost always makes interesting wines that are not intended to make statements, just to satisfy. This savory, energetic pétillant naturel rosé, a blend of cabernet franc and chardonnay, is typical. It's made using the ancient method of creating sparkling wines, simply bottling the wine before fermentation is complete. The resulting carbon dioxide, with no way to escape the bottle, creates the gentle bubbles that enliven this wine."

Varietals: 86% Cabernet Franc, 14% Chardonnay

**Vineyards**: Wine Porch (organic), Cat Canyon (organic), Madison, Magdalena **Fermentation**: Crushed and left on skins for 6 hours and pressed to stainless.

Fermented cold with native yeast and bottled before fermentation is complete to get just

the right amount of sparkle

Tasting Notes: Oxnard plains strawberries, fresh rosemary sourdough loaves and a

hint of jade citrus mint tea, watermelon jolly rancher.

#### Dry Hop Pet Nat, Arroyo Grande Valley



Varietals: 100% Chardonnay Vineyards: Coquina (Organic)

Fermentation: Fermented cold and slow in stainless for 3 weeks

on organic citra hops

Tasting Notes: Gooseberry, Lupulin, Pears

The fermentation occurred naturally and lasted 15 days before being racked off of its lees. We reserved a small portion of the fermenting juice in a temperature-controlled tank, which was added back to the wine before bottling. No non-grape sugar was used to finish the fermentation in the bottle. Dry Hop Pét Nat was our first foray into the Pét Nat revolution. The creation of this wine requires perfect timing. It must be captured in bottle at just the right level of natural sugar so it is perfectly carbonated upon release.



#### 'Salad Days'



A truly unique sparkling wine experience made from organic California grapes. Raw, vibrant and ready to take on anything. Moving forward thru vinification. On to greener pastures. 100% organic ingredients.

Fermented in stainless steel for 45 days to preserve fresh and tropical flavors tasting of gooseberry, lychee, bartlett pears.

#### 2024 'Skins', Central Coast



'Top Wines of 2018' - Sunset Magazine (2017 vintage) Most Commercially Sold Orange Wine in America!

Varietals: 32% Chenin Blanc, 14% Malvasia Bianca, 12% Pinot Gris, 11% Pinot Blanc, 10% Vermentino, 8% Trousseau Gris, 4% Albariño, 3% Sémillon, 2% Verdelho, 2% Picpoul Blanc, 1% Colombard, 1% Gros Manseng

Vineyards: Martin Brothers (Organic), Trousdale, Cat Canyon (Organic), Greengate Farms, Lockwood Valley, George Brown, Huerhuero, Shell Creek (Organic), Jurassic Park, Nolan, Creston Ridge (Organic), Millhouse (Organic), Zabala (Organic), Hinterland (Organic)

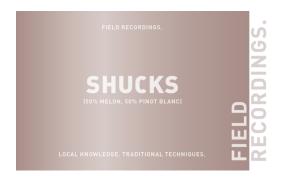
Fermentation: White grapes are destemmed and left on skins for 23 to 46 days.

**Élevage**: 100% barrel aged for 4 months in neutral French oak **Tasting Notes:** Flavors of apricot, Haitian orange and marzipan

<u>91 Points - Vinous</u> - "Opens with a vivid bouquet that recalls sun tea and blood orange. It is sweet upon entry, with a liquid floral concentration that saturates the senses as nuances of apricot and melon swirl throughout. Fresh and medium in length, the 2024 finishes with a hint of candied citrus."

#### 91 Points - Wine Enthusiast

#### 2024 'Shucks'



65% Pinot Blanc, 35% Melon from Chalone Vineyard. Directly pressed to neutral barrels for a spontaneous fermentation. 4 months in neutral French oak. Flavors of lemon creme, shortbread cookies, white flowers.

In the mountains above Soledad, at the base of the Pinnacles National Monument, lies the 50-year-old La Puesta block. At a time when varieties were mixed up, the Melon grapes were originally planted as "Pinot Blanc." Gradually, the vines were replanted with true Pinot Blanc, and today, the actual vineyard mix is unknown. We get a random assortment, picked early in the season to ensure the freshest possible acidity. Aged on its lees until bottling for added richness and complexity while retaining that laser-sharp acidity. Grab your shucking knives.

#### 94 Points - Editors Choice - Wine Enthusiast



#### 2024 Freddo, Paso Robles



Varietals: Varietals: 100% Sangiovese

Vineyards: Creston Ridge (Sip Certified), Trousdale (Sip Certified),

Tasting Notes: Tastes like fresh cranberry, Montmorency cherries, strawberry

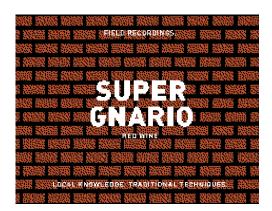
This wine was fermented with native yeasts in sealed stainless steel tanks under pressure of CO<sup>2</sup> for two weeks. After pressing, the wine finished its fermentation in stainless steel tanks before being racked off of its lees into tanks to age. Minimal sulfur was added after malolactic fermentation and again before bottling.

The ideal antipasto wine! We recommend serving with a chill — when the letters on the label turn blue, you know what to do (drink it).

#### 91 Points - Wine Enthusiast

91 Points – James Suckling – "Bursting with charm, this shows red cherries, cranberries and rhubarb swept with fresh oregano and spices, plus a subtle lift of fennel seeds through the mouthwatering finish. This light, bracing red is meant to be enjoyed chilled; the word "Freddo" on the label turns blue when it's properly cold."

#### **2023 Super Gnario**, Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara



#### 'The 15 Best Wines in 2023 So Far' -The Tasting Table

Produced with two grapes that aren't regularly associated with California: Nebbiolo and Barbera. Nebbiolo features predominantly, proving that the star variety of Italy's prestigious Barolo wines is at home on this side of the Atlantic.

Varietals: 70% Nebbiolo, 30% Barbera

Vineyards: Alta Gaviota, Mora

**Fermentation**: Open top fermentation in 1.5 ton bins for 17-47 days.

14 months in French oak, 10% new.

Tasting Notes: Luxardo cherries, rustic fruit punch, iron oxide, garrigue

Élevage: 14 months in 100% French oak (10% new).

#### **2023 Domo Arigato (Mr. Ramato)**, Central Coast



Varietals: A Ramato-style wine made from skin-contact Pinot Gris (hence the name).

We used a special barrel selection of our Pinot Gris lots used for Skins.

Vineyards: Greengate Farms

Fermentation: Destemmed and fermented on skins for 36 days before pressing to

neutral barrels

Elevage: 4 months in neutral French oak

Tasting Notes: Freeze dried strawberry, fresh apricot, hint of thyme



#### 2023 About Time Organic Merlot, Paso Robles



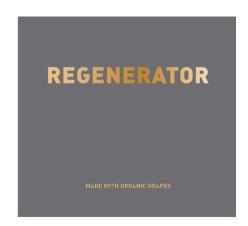
This organic Merlot from Paso Robles got the white glove treatment from our team. Minimal pumpovers and processing to keep some nice fresh fruit flavors. All the things you want out of a daily drinking claret for your dining table.

Varietal: Merlot

Vineyards: Castoro Estate

**Fermentation**: Open top tanks for 14 days with daily pumpovers **Elevage**: 5 months in stainless steel, 5 months in neutral oak **Tasting Notes:** Vanilla spice latte, plum sauce, tobacco leaf

#### 2023 Regenerator Organic Zinfandel



Classic California Zinfandel that showcases the spicy side of Zin while holding onto its bright berry flavors. Good to go with everything from burgers to filet mignon.

Varietal: Zinfandel

Fermentation: Open top tanks for 14 days with daily pumpovers

**Elevage**: 10 months in American oak, 25% new **Tasting Notes**: Black licorice, plums, Urfa pepper

#### 2024 'Fiasco' Red Blend, Paso Robles



Varietal: 75% Cabernet Sauvignon, 25% Sangiovese

Vineyards: Armory, The Wilderness, Creston Ridge, Trousdale

Fermentation: 14-21 days in open top bins and punched down twice daily

Elevage: 10 months in French oak (10% new)

Tasting Notes: muddled red raspberry, a hint of rust, the essence

of menthol, fancy yet casual

<u>92 Points – James Suckling</u>- "Nervy and full of energy, showing tobacco leaves and brambleberries that are dusted with Mediterranean herbs and dried lavender. Precise and mineral through the vivid finish."



## SO FAR OUT

#### A Collaboration between Field Recordings and Amy Atwood



At So Far Out, we're on a mission to craft organic wines that are environmentally friendly, affordable, and free of all pretense. Our goal is to make wine accessible to all, regardless of their experience level, so we've created a welcoming, inclusive atmosphere at our tasting room on the Martian ranch in Los Alamos. We believe that sustainable winemaking practices are not only important for preserving the environment but also for creating exceptional wines. That's why we source our grapes from Santa Barbara County, an area that is rich in biodiversity and offers ideal growing conditions for organic produce.



Our commitment to the environment translates into every aspect of our winemaking process, from the way we grow our grapes to the materials we use for our packaging. We're proud to offer organic wines that are not only good for the environment but that also taste great. Our wines are crafted with the same care and attention to detail as some of the finest wines out there, yet we keep our prices affordable, so everyone can enjoy them. At our unique tasting room on the Martian ranch, we offer a welcoming and inclusive atmosphere where wine lovers of all experience levels can come, learn, and taste exceptional organic wines. We strive to create a sense of community, where everyone feels welcome and included. In summary, So Far Out is a wine company that's committed to making organic wines that are environmentally friendly, affordable, and without pretense. We're here to make wine accessible to all, and we welcome you to join us in our mission to make wine that's good for the planet and good for the soul.



#### 2022 'All the Rage'

"All the Rage" is a fantastic red wine that packs a flavorful punch. Made from a blend of organic Cabernet Sauvignon (65%), Merlot (20% Merlot), Syrah (10%), and Marselan (5%) grapes grown in two vineyards (Coquilot and Deboem) in Santa Barbara County - one of them young and the other over three decades old, the wine offers a depth of character that is rich and complex. 100% neutral French oak. On the nose, the wine is vibrant with aromas of black cherry, red currant, and hints of chocolate. On the palate, the wine is silky, with a balanced acidity and tannins that are firm yet smooth. The flavors are bold and fruit-forward, with distinct notes of ripe plum, blackberry, and a touch of vanilla. Bottled without any fining, this wine maintains its true flavor and is ideal for those who appreciate organic wine. Stylistically similar to a Bordeaux village, "All the Rage" is bold yet elegant, perfect for pairing with grilled meats or hearty pasta dishes. It's an impressive wine that will make you the life of the party and satisfy even the most discerning of palates. Organic/Vegan!





#### 2022 'Soft Eyes' Rosé

'Soft Eyes' Rosé is a beautiful, organic wine made from Grenache (93%) and Marselan (7%) grapes from Deboem Vineyard in Santa Barbara County. Native yeast fermentation in tank. Aged in 100% stainless steel. On the nose, this wine is bursting with bright aromas of fresh strawberries, crisp watermelon, and subtle notes of juicy citrus fruits. The palate is dominated by a stunning blend of tart raspberries, tangy cranberries, and hints of lemon zest that offer an incredible balance of tartness and sweetness. The wine is very refreshing, light and has a supple, silky texture that is augmented by a lingering acidity. It beautifully represents the Old World style of winemaking, with great attention to detail, bringing forth a delightful and unique tasting experience. It pairs perfectly with a fresh salad, grilled seafood, light pasta dishes, or just enjoyed on its own as an aperitif. Overall, Soft Eyes Rosé is a must-try wine, offering exceptional quality and value. **Organic/Vegan!** 



#### 2022 Chillable Red Wine

"So Far Out" is an exciting new chillable red wine that is making waves in the wine world. Produced from organic and responsibly farmed grapes grown along California's central coast, this wine is the embodiment of a new wine revolution. Corvina (45%), Mourvèdre (30%), Grenache (20%), Charbono (5%) from Wilderness and Black Oak vineyards. Open top bin fermentation with native yeast. Aged in 95% stainless steel, 5% new oak. This red wine is light, refreshing and perfect served chilled, making it a perfect choice for those warm summer days at the beach, outdoor BBQs, or simply relaxing with friends. The blend, which is a closely guarded secret, is designed to highlight the characteristics of the terroir and the varietals used in the blend. With aromas of ripe red berries, and subtle hints of herbs, this wine is well balanced and smooth on the palate, with a light to medium body that is refreshing and juicy to the taste. The flavors are the perfect harmony of fruit, with hints of strawberry and raspberry and a slight acidity that lingers in the finish. "So Far Out" is the perfect wine for those who appreciate traditionally made, organic wine, and the push to move forward to a more sustainable future. It's a wine that is both playful and sophisticated, indicative of the changes that are taking place within the wine industry towards more environmentally and socially responsible practices. **Organic/Vegan!**