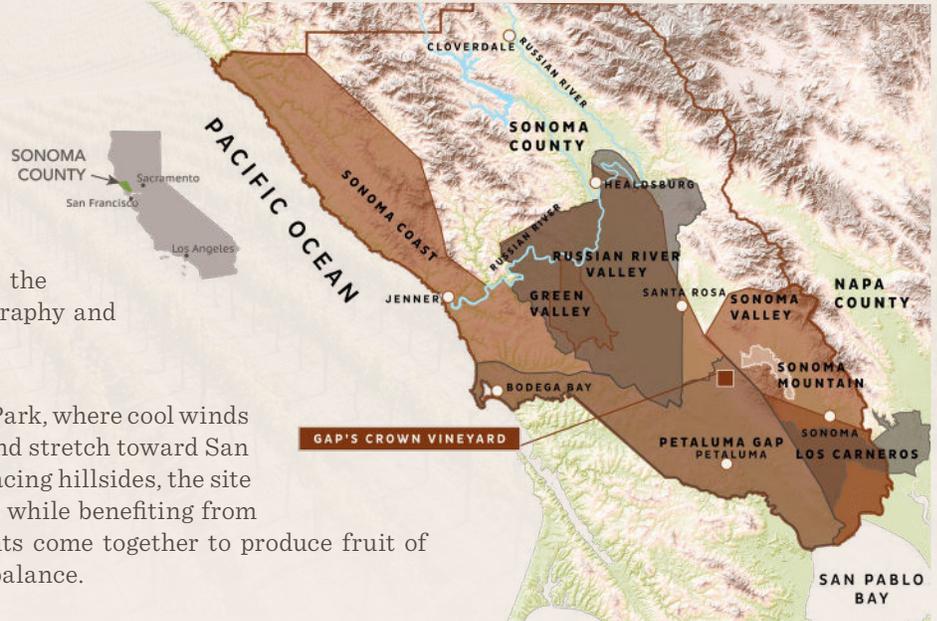


# GAP'S CROWN VINEYARD CHARDONNAY SONOMA COAST

Our heritage vineyard, Gap's Crown, has become an icon in California viticulture, renowned for consistently producing exceptional pinot noirs and chardonnays. Positioned on the western slope of Sonoma Mountain, within both the Petaluma Gap and Sonoma Coast AVAs, it exemplifies the powerful synergy between distinctive geography and meticulous farming.

The vineyard is east of the town of Rohnert Park, where cool winds and fog funnel through the Petaluma Gap and stretch toward San Pablo Bay. Planted along steep, southwest-facing hillsides, the site is ideally situated to capture afternoon sun while benefiting from extended hang time. These natural elements come together to produce fruit of remarkable concentration, complexity, and balance.



## CHARDONNAY CHARACTERISTICS

- » Chardonnay shows bright, mineral-driven character with a dusting of chalk
- » More Chablis-like in texture and profile—creamy, yet vibrant
- » Crystalline acidity brings lift and focus
- » Lees aging adds a delicate backbone and extended finish
- » Defined by brightness, energy, and elegance vintage after vintage



2022 VINTAGE

**WINE ENTHUSIAST**

**No. 5**



*of the Top 100*



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2023

GAP'S CROWN VINEYARD

CHARDONNAY

Antonio Galloni  
vinous  
96 pts.

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- ANTONIO GALLONI



WHAT OTHER PUBLICATIONS ARE SAYING



"Vibrant and intense on account of its youth at this point, this terrific Chardonnay still manages to seem finely woven because its barrel-based accents play so well with its fruit notes. Scents and flavors of both green and Golden apples provide ride alongside suggestions of peaches and apricots, and oak augments the wine's complexity while still leaving it with a profile defined by freshness and linear energy" - MICHAEL FRANZ

95 PTS International Wine Report

94 PTS Wine Enthusiast

APPELLATION

Sonoma Coast

VARIETY CONTENT

100% Chardonnay

SOIL

Goulding Cobbly Clay Loam

CLONES

76, 124, 95

FERMENTATION

French Oak

FERMENTATION LENGTH

28 days

MALOLACTIC

FERMENTATION

100%

BARREL AGING

11 Months

BARREL COMPOSITION

100% French Oak; 19% New

ALCOHOL CONTENT

13.7%

TOTAL ACIDITY (TA)

6.4g/L

PH

3.20

PRODUCTION

465 Cases

SRP

\$70

RELEASE DATE

February 2025

THREE STICKS VINEYARDS

Alana, Durell, Gap's Crown, One Sky, Walala, William James

COLLECTION

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International  
**WINEREPORT**

"The 2023 Three Sticks Gap's Crown Vineyard Chardonnay, hailing from an exceptional site on the Sonoma Coast, expresses a captivating bouquet of delicate blossoms, ripe white peaches, and the scent of damp earth after a spring rain. Its rounded and generous character is beautifully balanced, with a harmonious interplay of nuanced layers. The wine reveals a bright, energetic profile, with vivid notes of candied lime and succulent grapefruit that contribute to its precise and well-defined structure. A subtle suggestion of toasted brioche and a whisper of integrated oak provide a graceful counterpoint, while the crispness of green apples creates an invigorating, polished finish." - **JEREMY YOUNG**



**WINEENTHUSIAST**

"Fresh, lively aromas of nectarine, Meyer lemon peel and river rocks jump from the glass on the nose of this Chardonnay. The palate feels nervy, with energetic acidity driving right through the mid-palate and flavors of lemon curd, passion fruit, pineapple sage and flowers lingering across the finish." - **TOM CAPO**

### 2022 VINTAGE



**WINEENTHUSIAST**  
No. 5 | Cellar Selection

"Bright, focused apple and lemon aromas anchor the nose of this Chardonnay. The palate is clean and lively, displaying flavors of Honey-crisp apple, with tangerine and lemon winding up the intensity. A long, complex and mouthwatering finish comes in a framework of beautifully integrated French oak." - **TOM CAPO**



**Wine Spectator**

"Wonderfully intense and vibrant, with plenty of generosity to the flavors of Key lime, quince, pear and Honey-crisp apple on its taut, mouthwatering frame. Offers accents of tarragon and lemon verbena, with a note of crunchy sea salt on the energetic finish. Drink now. 450 cases made." - **MARYANN WOROBIEC**



THE **tastingpanel**  
MAGAZINE

"Fluctuating temperatures required that the fruit from this renowned site be picked at various points over an extended stretch but the watchfulness and effort involved paid generous dividends. Already impressively balanced and integrated, the resulting wine shows complex flavors of stone fruit, ripe apple and tropical notes spiced up with subtle touch of French oak. Ready now but poised for at least five years of improvement." - **MICHAEL FRANZ**



Antonio Galloni  
**vinous**

"The 2022 Chardonnay Gap's Crown Vineyard is gorgeous. Creamy, open-knit and expansive, the 2022 is quite impressive. Citrus cont, marzipan, white owers, slate and chalk are all woven together. There's a seamless quality here that is so attractive." - **ANTONIO GALLONI**

### 2021 VINTAGE



**WINEENTHUSIAST**  
Editor's Choice

"This full-blown, toast-and butter-scented wine boasts rich fruits, a mouthfilling texture and a lingering finish. Spicy toasted-oak aromas lead to vanilla, poached pears, toasted almonds and cream flavors that swell on the palate and linger on the finish." - **JIM GORDON**



**The Wine Independent**

"The 2021 Three Sticks Gap's Crown Vineyard Chardonnay is an unoaked version of the traditional Chardonnay, with 65% aged in concrete and the rest in stainless steel. It jumps from the glass with notes of fresh yellow apples, juicy pears, and grapefruit, plus hints of baker's yeast and honeysuckle. Medium to full-bodied, the palate has satiny texture, with a racy backbone to support the generous apple and pear flavors, finishing on a yeasty note." - **LISA PERROTTI-BROWN**



**Wine Spectator**

"Impressive for the intense focused and pure flavors of sleek, fresh limes, lemon and yuzu at the core, with details of fresh white flowers and lemon verbena. Shows salty mialerality that makes the finish incredibly refreshing." - **MARYANN WOROBIEC**



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