

LYNMAR

Russian River Valley

LYNMAR WINERY FACT SHEET

Lynmar Winery at Quail Hill Vineyard is a small family-owned estate specializing in Russian River Valley Pinot Noir and Chardonnay. The Fritz Family purchased the Quail Hill Vineyard in 1980, and founded Lynmar Winery in 1990 to showcase the uniqueness of the estate's Quail Hill Vineyard and the Russian River Valley. The wines were first commercially released in 1996 with the 1994 vintages of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. In 2004, the winery launched a five-year investment plan to complete a phased replanting of Quail Hill Vineyard and build a state-of-the-art gravity flow winery.

VINEYARD Quail Hill Vineyard, the home of Lynmar Winery, is a 42-acre estate located in the Laguna Ridge area of the Russian River Valley. Long recognized as a gem in the appellation, the vineyard possesses superb qualities for growing world-class Pinot Noir and Chardonnay. The combination of the vineyard's location, soil composition, long and cool growing season, dramatic elevation changes, and clone and rootstock selections makes this a prized vineyard; one that has been a source for some of the top Pinot Noir and Chardonnay producers in the Russian River Valley. Today, Quail Hill Vineyard is the exclusive source for Lynmar Winery's Estate and Reserve wines, as well as the core blend of Lynmar's appellation-designated wines.

WINERY Located on Quail Hill Vineyard, the existing winery was upgraded, and caves dug, in time for the 2005 harvest. A five-year capital investment plan also includes phased replanting of the vineyard and a new visitor's center. Current production: 12,000 cases.

WINEMAKING & VINEYARDS TEAM Hugh Chappelle.....Winemaker
Paul Hobbs..... Consulting Winemaker
Greg Adams.....Consulting Viticulturist

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Quail Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir *The first blend of the best lots, and composed solely of free run juice, this wine is the definitive expression of Pinot Noir at Quail Hill Vineyard.*

Quail Hill Vineyard Chardonnay *Blended from only the best barrels each vintage, this wine is elegant and balanced, and expresses the unique terroir of the estate's Chardonnay blocks.*

Russian River Valley Pinot Noir *The winemaker selects barrels with 'high tone' Pinot Noir fruit characteristics—bright fruit with lively acidity—yielding a medium-bodied wine with complex fruit.*

Russian River Valley Chardonnay *Stainless steel fermentation and careful lot selection from Quail Hill Vineyard and select growers give this crisp wine its characteristic minerality and bright fruit.*

HOSPITALITY CENTER The Lynmar Winery Hospitality Center is located at 3909 Frei Road, Sebastopol, CA. Open every day from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Lynmar Experience guided food and wine-pairing tasting is available by appointment.