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Flight # 1 ~ Viognier & Colombard

Gold	Dave and Lori Arango	12	2025	Viognier blend	75% Viognier, 25% French Colombard, Amador County
Gold	John and Eloise Pound	21	2024	Viognier	estate grown, Contra Costa AVA
Silver	Scott Etzel & Betsy Schmidt	8	2025	French Colombard	Stanislaus County
Silver	Sarah Raube & Craig Riebers	92	2024	Colombard	Stanislaus County
Bronze	John and Eloise Pound	19	2023	Viognier	estate grown, Contra Costa AVA
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	125	2023	Viognier	Amador County
Bronze	Dave and Lori Arango	13	2025	French Colombard	90% French Colombard, 10% Viognier Stanislaus County
Hon Mention	Bonneau Dickson	124	2024	Viognier	Amador County

Flight # 2 ~ Other White

Gold	Dave and Lori Arango	15	2024	Vermentino blend	70% Vermentino, 30% Sauvignon Blanc, Contra Costa A
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	126	2024	Chardonnay	Oak Barrel Winecraft, Sonoma County
Hon Mention	Greg Earley	101	2024	Sauvignon Blanc	Brentwood
Hon Mention	Stewart Hallett	111	2023	Chardonnay	Estate Grown and Bottled
Hon Mention	Michelle Beason	39	2025	Grenache Blanc	EC 1118 yeast, Sierra Foothills AVA

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Flight # 3 ~ Rosé

Bronze	John and Eloise Pound	20	2023	Syrah Primitivo Rose	50% Syrah, 50% Primitivo, estate grown, Contra Costa A
Bronze	Jim and Bette Felton	64	2024	Grenache Rosé	100% Grenache Noir
Hon Mention	David Milam	47	2025	Sangiovese Rosé	100% estate fruit
Hon Mention	Mike and Ann Koch	68	2024	Zinfandel Rosé	100% Zinfandel, Estate Grown
Hon Mention	Bill Rose	5	2025	Cabernet Sauvignon	Rosé' - Cabernet Sauvignon, Contra Costa AVA

Flight # 4 ~ Cabernet Franc

Gold	Greg Earley	106	2024	Cabernet Franc	Livermore
Silver	David Milam	45	2021	Cabernet Franc	75% Cabernet Franc, 20% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot, Estate
Bronze	Scott Etzel & Betsy Schmidt	6	2024	Cabernet Franc	Contra Costa AVA, estate vineyard
Bronze	Jim Just	88	2022	Cabernet Franc	96% Cab Franc, 4% Cab, Estate
Bronze	Mary Anne & Gil Johnson	122	2023	Cabernet Franc	

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Flight # 5 ~ Italians

Gold	Bill Rose	4	2024	Charbono	70%- 2024, 30% -2023, Mendocino
Silver	Al and Michele Turner	75	2023	Amarone	RJ Spagnols
Silver	John and Janine Wakenshaw	82	2025	Amarone	Vineco wine kit, Italy
Silver	Jeff Hocking	83	2024	Sangiovese blend	50% Sangiovese, 30% Syrah, 20% Cabernet
Silver	Stewart Hallett	113	2023	Sangiovese	Estate Grown and Bottled
Bronze	David Milam	43	2024	Sangiovese	85% Sangiovese, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon
Hon Mention	Sarah Raube & Craig Riebers	93	2019	Barbera	
Hon Mention	Sarah Raube & Craig Riebers	94	2021	Barbera	Early pick, no oak

Flight # 6 ~ Merlot

Gold	Greg Earley	109	2024	Merlot Cab Franc	50% Merlot, 50% Cab Franc, Livermore
Silver	Cal Podrid	86	2024	Merlot blend	80% merlot, 20% Cab, Estate
Bronze	Gregory Croce	32	2017	Merlot	Fairview District
Bronze	Jim and Bette Felton	61	2023	Merlot blend	80% Merlot, 20% Cab Franc
Bronze	Russell Barretta	70	2019	Merlot	
Bronze	Anwar Froz	2	2024	Merlot	Contra Costa AVA
Bronze	Greg Bequette	52	2022	Merlot	Alhambra Valley

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Flight # 7 ~ Rhones

Silver	Ron Peck	10	2021	Rhone blend	52% Syrah, 31% Grenache, 17% Petit Sirah, Contra Cost
Silver	Greg Bequette	57	2024	GSM	45% Grenache, 45% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre
Silver	Cal Podrid	87	2024	Grenache	
Bronze	Ron Peck	11	2022	Rhone blend	45% Grenache, 36% Syrah, 19% Petit Sirah, Contra Cost
Hon Mention	Greg Bequette	56	2024	Grenache	

Flight # 8 ~ Zinfandel

Silver	Jim and Bette Felton	63	2023	Primitivo	100% Primitivo
Silver	Mike and Ann Koch	67	2023	Zinfandel	85% Zinfandel, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon, Estate Grown
Silver	Greg Bequette	58	2025	Zinfandel	Lodi
Silver	Michelle Beason	36	2024	Zinfandel	Country Costa AVA
Silver	Brown, Maas	116	2024	Zinfandel	
Bronze	Scott Etzel & Betsy Schmidt	7	2022	Zinfandel	Martinez
Bronze	Mary Anne & Gil Johnson	121	2023	Zinfandel	
Bronze	John and Eloise Pound	18	2021	Primitivo Syrah	60% Primitivo, 40% Syrah, estate grown, Contra Costa A

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Flight # 9 ~ Cabernet Sauvignon - 1 of 2

Gold	Jon and Kristie Martini	95	2019	Cabernet Sauvignon	Pleasanton Ridge, aged in stainless with French oak spir
Silver	Mike and Ann Koch	66	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	100% Cabernet Sauvignon Estate Grown
Silver	Greg Bequette	54	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Pleasanton
Silver	Greg Earley	104	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Livermore
Bronze	David Milam	42	2024	Cabernet Sauvignon	80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Merlot, 5% Petite Sirah
Bronze	Dave and Lori Arango	17	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	80% Cabernet Sauv, 20% Petite Verdot, Contra Costa Co
Hon Mention	Greg Earley	105	2024	Cabernet Sauvignon	Livermore

Flight # 10 ~ Cabernet Sauvignon - 2 of 2

Gold	John Benson	118	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Lake County, Estate Grown and Bottled
Gold	John Benson	119	2024	Cabernet Sauvignon	Lake County, Estate Grown and Bottled
Silver	Greg Bequette	53	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Davis
Silver	Stewart Hallett	112	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Estate Grown and Bottled
Silver	Bonneau Dickson	129	2025	Cabernet Sauvignon	Paicines CA, San Benito Co. Not filtered or fined
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	133	2023	Cabernet Sauvignon	Paicines CA, San Benito Co. Not filtered or fined, US oak
Bronze	Jeff Hocking	85	2023	Cabernet	

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Flight # 11 ~ Syrah

Silver	Russell Barretta	71	2024	Syrah blend	60% Syrah, 40% Cabernet
Silver	Greg Bequette	55	2024	Syrah	
Bronze	Steve Mirabito	100	2022	Syrah	Estate grown, LaMorinda AVA
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Hon Mention	Gregory Croce	33	2019	Syrah	Lodi
Hon Mention	Jim and Bette Felton	60	2023	Syrah	Estate grown and made

Flight # 12 ~ Petite Sirah

Gold	Jim Just	91	2024	Petite Sirah blend	75% Petite Sirah, 25% Cab
Gold	Jeff Hocking	84	2023	Petite Sirah	
Silver	Jim Just	89	2023	Petite Sirah	95% Petite Sirah, 5% Cab
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	127	2023	Petite Sirah	Amador County
Bronze	Randy and Linda Roberts	115	2024	Petite Sirah	Livermore Valley
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	130	2024	Petite Sirah	Amador County
Bronze	Bonneau Dickson	128	2025	Petite Sirah	Amador County
Hon Mention	Anwar Froz	3	2024	Petite Sirah Cab	50% Petite Syrah, 50% Cabernet Sauvignon, Contra Cost

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Flight # 13 ~ Other Reds

Gold	Greg Earley	107	2024	Petit Verdot	Lodi
Silver	Greg Earley	108	2024	Graciano	Lodi
Silver	David Milam	44	2024	Petit Verdot	100% estate Petit Verdot
Silver	Dave and Lori Arango	16	2022	Tempranillo	El Dorado County
Bronze	Michael Parker	35	2022	Tinta Cao	Country Costa AVA
Bronze	Mary Anne & Gil Johnson	123	2023	Cabernet Zinfandel	(% unknown)
Bronze	David Milam	46	2024	Malbec	100% estate Malbec

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Flight # 14 ~ Bordeaux Blend

Gold	Sam Parino	97	2022	Bordeaux blend	50% Cab Sauv, 45% Merlot, Petit Verdot
Silver	John Benson	120	2023	Bordeaux blend	46% Cab Sauv, 28% Cab Franc, 18% Merlot, 8% Petite Ve
Silver	Russell Barretta	72	2023	Bordeaux blend	60% Cabernet, 40% Malbec
Silver	Greg Earley	110	2024	Bordeaux blend	60% Cab Franc, 30% Malbec, 10% Petit Verdot, Livermor
Silver	Sam Parino	98	2023	Bordeaux blend	60% Merlot, 25% Cab Franc, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon
Bronze	Sam Parino	96	2018	Bordeaux blend	70% Cab Sauv, 15% Cab Franc, 15% Merlot
Bronze	Greg Bequette	51	2020	Bordeaux blend	42% Cab Sauv, 35% Cab Franc, 23% Merlot
Bronze	Greg Bequette	50	2019	Bordeaux blend	32% Cab Sauv, 30% Cab Franc, 28% Merlot, 5% Petite Ve
Bronze	David Milam	41	2023	Bordeaux blend	55% Cab Sauv, 20% Merlot, 10% Cab Franc, 10% Petit Ve

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Flight # 15 ~ Other Red Blends

Gold	Jim Just	90	2024	Cab blend	60% Cab, 40% Petite Sirah
Silver	Al and Michele Turner	74	2024	Super Tuscan	RJ Spagnols Italian Sangiovese Cabernet Sauvignon ble
Silver	Nelson Stoll	81	2024	Bordeaux Zin blend	50% (Cab Franc & Petite Verdot), 50% Zin, all organic, no
Silver	Stewart Hallett	114	2023	Super Tuscan	60% Sangiovese, 40% Cabernet Sauvignon, Estate grow
Bronze	Jim and Bette Felton	62	2023	Meritage	56% Zinfandel, 16% Cab Franc, 14% Merlot, 14% Syrah
Bronze	David Milam	40	2023	Spanish blend	Rioja blend, 68% Tempranillo, 16% Merlot, 16% Cabernet
Hon Mention	Al and Michele Turner	73	2022	Barbera Tempranillo	50% Placer Co. Barbera, 50% Brentwood Tempranillo

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Flight # 16 ~ Port

Gold	John and Fran Descalzo	34	2025	Primitivo - Port	Country Costa AVA
Gold	Greg Earley	103	2020	Tinta Cao Port	Brentwood
Gold	Al and Michele Turner	76	2023	Amarone Port	RJ Spagnols, 20% ABV, 8% residual sugar
Gold	Al and Michele Turner	78	2024	Super Tuscan Port	RJ Spagnols Italian Sangiovese Cabernet Sauvignon, 20
Silver	Al and Michele Turner	79	2022	Barbera Tempranillo	50% Placer Co. Barbera, 50% Brentwood Tempranillo
Silver	Al and Michele Turner	80	2022	Elderberry Port Style	50% Placer Co. Barbera, 50% Brentwood Tempranillo
Bronze	Al and Michele Turner	77	2023	Elderberry Amarone	RJ Spagnols, 20% ABV, 8% residual sugar
Bronze	David Milam	49	2024	Sangiovese Port	100% Sangiovese
Hon Mention	David Milam	48	2024	Petit Verdot Port	100% Petit Verdot

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Flight # 17 ~ Sweet

Gold	Bernard Sterling	23	2024	OrangeCello	Desert, 87% Trovita orange, 1.5% meyer lemon zest, 12%
Gold	Bernard Sterling	27	2024	Banana Mead	Dessert, 58% Chardonnay, 15% Sangiovese, 8% Banana
Gold	Bernard Sterling	28	2024	Spiced Red blend	Dessert, 48% Merlot, 48% Cab, 4% spirits, cloves, cinna
Gold	Bernard Sterling	31	2024	Pineapple/Tangelo M	Dessert, 58% Chard, 15% Sangiovese, 8% Pineapple, Ta
Gold	Bernard Sterling	24	2024	Aronia blend	72% pomace Chardonnay, 19% Sangiovese, 6% Aronia b
Silver	Bernard Sterling	30	2024	Mango Mead	Dessert, 66% Chardonnay, 16% Sangiovese, 8% Mango f
Silver	Bernard Sterling	25	2024	Black Cherry blend	40% Merlot, 40% Cab, 16% black cherry and elderberry j
Silver	Bernard Sterling	29	2024	Apple Chardonnay	82% Apple juice, 15% Chardonnay pomace, 2.8% wine sp
Bronze	Bernard Sterling	22	2024	Blackberry blend	40% Merlot, 40% Cab, 16% Blackberry, 4% wine spirits, s
Hon Mention	Anwar Froz	1	2024	Riesling	Ice wine,sweet , 18% ABV, Contra Costa AVA
Hon Mention	Bernard Sterling	26	2024	Pomegranate blend	41% Merlot, 41% Cab, 14% pomegranate juice, 4% wine