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POINTS

2016  
SEASCAPE VINEYARD  
SONOMA COAST  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Seascape Vineyard leaps from the glass with exuberant notes of green mangoes, yuzu, mandarin peel and pink grapefruit with touches of baker's yeast, pie crust, beeswax and oyster shell. It's medium-bodied with a very, very taut, intense and refreshing palate, sporting incredible tension and layers and finishing very long and very minerally. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

97+  
POINTS

2016  
JENNIFER'S VINEYARD  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Jennifer's Vineyard displays intense notes of grapefruit, green guava, mango and pineapple with nuances of talc, oyster shells and fresh ginger. The palate is medium-bodied, elegant and super intense with tightly wound layers of citrus and tropical fruits and bags of mineral notions on the epically long finish. This needs time but should emerge from the cellar gloriously in 2-3 years! – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
FAR COAST VINEYARD  
SONOMA COAST  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Far Coast Vineyard is a little youthfully closed with crushed rocks and chalk dust notes over a core of mandarin peel, Golden Delicious apples, pear tart and lightly browned toast. Medium to full-bodied, the palate simply vibrates with electric tension, offering vibrant citrus and apple layers and finishing long and stony. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
FOG DANCE VINEYARD  
GREEN VALLEY OF THE  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Fog Dance Vineyard reveals gregarious pink grapefruit, apple pie and green mango notions with nuances of marzipan, crusty bread and wet pebbles. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is solidly structured with great freshness, lifting the intense, tightly wound layers to a long earthy/mineral finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
STONE CÔTE  
SONOMA COAST  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Stone Côte has lovely scents of lemon meringue pie, white peaches, honeyed pears and baking bread with touches of beeswax and toasted almonds. Medium to full-bodied, the palate sports wonderful harmony and a compelling creaminess to the texture with great freshness and a long peachy finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
SEVENS BENCH VINEYARD  
CARNEROS  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Sevens Bench Vineyard exudes beautiful lemongrass, lime leaves and fresh grapefruit scents with hints of yuzu, wet slate and croissant. Medium to full bodied, the palate gives a cerebral, mineral and earthy character with a citrus core and fantastic vibrancy, finishing long and chalky. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
THREE JACKS VINEYARD  
GREEN VALLEY OF THE  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
CHARDONNAY

The 2016 Hartford Court Chardonnay Three Jacks Vineyard gives up beautiful lemon curd, peach preserves and guava scents with suggestions of pineapple, allspice and brioche. Full-bodied, rich and seductive, it delivers mouth-filling stone fruit and tropical layers with a satiny texture and a long, ginger-laced finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
JURASSIC VINEYARD  
SANTA YNEZ VALLEY  
CHENIN BLANC

This wine comes from a vineyard planted in 1982 at 1,000 feet of elevation. It was 100% barrel fermented and aged for 12 months in 100% French oak (all used) and bottled unfiltered and unfiltered. The 2016 Chenin Blanc Jurassic Vineyard opens with alluring apple tart, honeycomb, poached pears and fresh hay notes with a touch of white pepper. Medium-bodied, the palate has an almost electric intensity of apple and pear flavors with a zippy line of freshness and a satin-textured finish. – L P-B, Feb. 2019

97+  
POINTS

2016  
SEASCAPE VINEYARD  
SONOMA COAST  
PINOT NOIR

The 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Seascape Vineyard is pale to medium ruby-purple colored and opens with vibrant cranberries, pomegranate and Bing cherries scents with touches of underbrush, wild sage, red roses and mossy bark with a waft of tilled soil. Medium to full-bodied, the palate packs in the elegant red fruit and earthy layers, finishing on a long, lingering, provocative mineral note. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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2016  
ARRENDELL VINEYARD  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

Medium to deep ruby-purple colored, the 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Arrendell Vineyard is a little youthfully mute to begin, opening out to display gorgeous rose hip tea, kirsch and warm cranberries with hints of dried thyme, black soil and tree bark plus a hint of fungi. The medium to full-bodied palate completely coats the mouth with earth-laced red berry and kirsch notions, framed by very firm, very fine-grained tannins and great freshness, finishing very long with a compelling herbal lift. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
JENNIFER'S VINEYARD  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

Medium ruby-purple colored, the 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Jennifer's sashays out of the glass with heart-stopping violets and lilacs over a core of redcurrants, Bing cherries, mulberries and black raspberries plus wafts of underbrush, spice box, black tea and black pepper. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is packed with spice and earth layers, framed by firm, fine-grained tannins and finishing very long and mineral-laced. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

2016  
FAR COAST VINEYARD  
SONOMA COAST  
PINOT NOIR

Medium ruby-purple in color, the 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Far Coast Vineyard reveals a beautifully fruity nose of warm raspberries, preserved cherries and mulberries with hints of red roses, underbrush, wild blueberries and cast iron pan with a touch of truffles. Medium-bodied with a solid frame of very fine-grained tannins, the palate delivers vibrant red and blue fruit layers and a long, perfumed finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018



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**2016**  
**MACLEAN'S BLOCK**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

The 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir MacLean's Block is medium to deep ruby-purple in color and opens with fragrant notions of wild blueberries, redcurrant jelly, cranberry pie and kirsch plus hints of oolong tea, mossy bark and truffles. Medium to full-bodied, taut and firmly structured, it delivers tons of black and blue fruit layers sparked by earthy accents, finishing long and earthy. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

**2016**  
**MARIN COUNTY**  
PINOT NOIR

Aged for 17 months in 38% new French oak and bottled unfinned and unfiltered, the medium ruby-purple colored 2016 Pinot Noir Marin County leaps from the glass with vibrant black and red cherries, cranberries and violets with hints of rose hip tea, hemp and black soil. Medium to full-bodied, the palate delivers mouth-coating red and black fruits with bags of earthy nuances and a plush texture, finishing very long. – L P-B, Feb. 2019

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POINTS

**2016**  
**MULDUNE TRAIL**  
ANDERSON VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

The 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Muldune Trail is medium to deep ruby-purple colored and charges boldly from the glass with intense scents of raspberries, black cherries, pomegranate and redcurrants with touches of fungi, bay leaves and rose hip tea. Medium to full-bodied with a firm, fine-grained foundation and oodles of freshness, it delivers powerful black and red berry layers and a long fruity finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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**2016**  
**FOG DANCE VINEYARD**  
GREEN VALLEY OF THE  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

The medium to deep ruby-purple colored 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Fog Dance Vineyard simply sings of black cherry pie, freshly crushed blackberries and pomegranate with hints of spice cake, dark chocolate and saffras. Medium to full-bodied, rich and spicy in the mouth, it fills the palate with decadent black berries and a velvety texture, finishing on a lingering peppery note. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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**2016**  
**HAILEY'S BLOCK**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

The 2016 Hartford Court Pinot Noir Hailey's Block has a medium ruby-purple color and features exuberant notes of Black Forest cake, kirsch and wild blueberries with hints of baking spices and dusty soil. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is packed with juicy red, black and blue fruit layers, framed by plush tannins and finishing on a spicy note. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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**2016**  
**VELVET SISTERS**  
ANDERSON VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

Medium to deep ruby-purple colored, the 2016 Pinot Noir Velvet Sisters rocks up with boisterous notions of crushed black raspberries, blueberries, red plums and black cherries plus hints of cloves, cinnamon stick and chocolate box. Full-bodied, plushy textured and decadently fruited in the mouth, it delivers mouth-filling black fruits and spices, finishing long. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

**2016**  
**TRULY RITA**  
STA. RITA HILLS  
PINOT NOIR

Aged 17 months in 26% new French oak and bottled unfinned and unfiltered, the medium ruby-purple colored 2016 Pinot Noir Truly Rita comes sashaying out of the glass with seriously spicy notions of cinnamon stick, cloves, anise and black pepper with a core of red currant jelly, kirsch and raspberry preserves plus a waft of wild thyme. Medium-bodied, the palate has lovely restraint with elegant red fruit layers framed by soft tannins and seamless freshness, finishing on a mineral note. – L P-B, Feb. 2019

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POINTS

**2016**  
**WARRIOR PRINCESS**  
OREGON  
PINOT NOIR

The 2016 Pinot Noir Warrior Princess comes from several blocks in the Zena Crown vineyard, aged for 16 months in 29% new French oak and bottled unfinned and unfiltered. Medium to deep ruby-purple colored, it bursts from the glass with bold black cherries, black raspberries and blueberry scents with hints of spice cake, red roses and red licorice plus a touch of underbrush. Full, rich and packed with perfumed black fruits, it has a plush texture and refreshing lift on the finish. – L P-B, Feb. 2019

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**2016**  
**HIGHWIRE VINEYARD**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
ZINFANDEL

The 2016 Hartford Zinfandel Highwire Vineyard has a medium to deep garnet-purple color. Wow—the nose is a knock-out beauty of black cherry cordial, blueberry compote, fruitcake and liquid licorice with hints of roses, lilacs, Indian spices and garrigue. Full bodied and beautifully structured with firm, grainy tannins and wonderful freshness, the palate is generously filled with fruit and spice layers, finishing long and perfumed. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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**2016**  
**DINA'S VINEYARD**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
ZINFANDEL

Medium to deep garnet-purple, the 2016 Hartford Zinfandel Dina's Vineyard comes leaping forth from the glass with arresting, gorgeous floral scents of violets, lavender and roses with a core of cherry cordial, blueberry compote, blackberry tart and dried mulberries plus wafts of spice box and dark chocolate. Full, firm and with a racy line of freshness lifting the concentrated fruit, it finishes very long with tons of mineral, floral and spicy layers. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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**2016**  
**HARTFORD VINEYARD**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
ZINFANDEL

The 2016 Hartford Zinfandel Hartford Vineyard is medium garnet purple colored and reveals a beautiful exotic fruit-laced nose of star anise, cassia and cumin seed over a core of Black Forest cake, Christmas pudding and wilted roses. The palate is full-bodied and firmly structured, sporting oodles of freshness framing the flamboyant red and black fruit preserves, finishing long and spicy. – L P-B, Oct. 2018

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POINTS

**2016**  
**FANUCCHI-WOOD ROAD VINEYARD**  
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
ZINFANDEL

The 2016 Hartford Zinfandel Fanucchi-Wood Road Vineyard is medium to deep garnet-purple in color and gives up intense notes of crushed black cherries, mulberries, plum preserves and blackberry compote with hints of star anise, cracked black pepper, hoisin and potpourri plus a waft of stewed tea. Full, concentrated and decadent in the mouth, it has a firm backbone of chewy tannins and wonderful freshness lifting the opulent fruit to a very long finish. – L P-B, Oct. 2018



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