



Lenné Wine Club, Spring 2024 Shipping...

Welcome to the Lenné Spring 2024 shipping release! Thanks to mild spring temperatures, we're able to begin shipping a few weeks earlier than usual this year.

This release will be our last consisting entirely of pinots made by Lenné's founder and original wine maker, Steve Lutz. Our 2022 vintage was made by our new winemaker, Jared Ezel, but it's still in barrel, since Jared likes the complexity and depth created by longer barrel time. We'll begin showing the 2022s as soon as they are bottled, and the 2024 Fall shipping will include wines by Jared and by Steve.

The 2021 vintage was fantastic for Oregon pinot noir. After some record heat early in the summer, we got higher temps in July, but a cool stretch in late August and September allowed longer hang time which let the grapes build acidity without overripening. These wines show bright acidity and luscious fruit flavors. We recommend 2-4 more years before uncorking, though they are great now, if you can't wait.

2021 LeNez pinot noir

Our most approachable pinot noir, this vintage is 60% Pommard clone, with Dijon 114, 115, and 667. It is denser and more full-bodied than most year's LeNez, with black and red fruited flavors, tropical notes, and a bit of baking spice on the finish.

2021 Lenné Estate pinot noir

Our flagship pinot, this blends all five clones, but always with at least 50% of the Pommard clone, which is darker and bolder than most of the Dijon clones. Compared to the LeNez, it's a bit bolder and more dark fruited.

2021 South Slope Select

This wine is a blend of the Pommard and Dijon 115 clones, basically half Karen's and half Jill's. It combines the best of both clones, with a supple, velvety mouthfeel and a dense, lasting fruit finish balanced with fine-grained tannins. The most popular wine on our tasting flight, of late.

2019 Sad Jack 777 Dijon clone

The 2019 vintage was cool and damp, with periods of rain all summer. The resulting wines are velvety and dense, with dark complex fruit notes. The 2019s have been very popular in our tasting room this year, due to their supple mouthfeel, and they are excellent wines to enjoy right now, without any additional cellaring time.

2021 Sad Jack 777 Dijon clone

We did not produce a single clone 777 for several years, until it was reborn in 2017, by a guest winemaker. Famed Oregon winemaker Drew Voit makes his private label in the same custom crush facility where Steve Lutz made Lenné wines, and after Drew's success making Lenné Chardonnay, Steve gave him the keys to one of our pinots. Drew has made the Sad Jack every year since 2017, and it's a great wine that shows more than one winemaker can turn out a fantastic pinot from Lenné Estate.

2021 Cinq Elus pinot noir

Our most beautiful and complex wine, blended from the best barrel of each of our five pinot clones. This is the last original label Lenné wine made by Steve Lutz to be released to our shipping wineclub, and we're thrilled to share it with you all.

Club pricing:

2021 LeNez	\$45
2021 Estate PN	\$50
2019 Sad Jack	\$65
2021 Sad Jack	\$60
2021 South Slope	\$60
2021 Cinq Elus	\$85

Rootstock club 6b = 10% discount
Rootstock club 12b = 20% discount
Taproot Silver club 12b = 25% discount
Deepproot club 24b = 30% discount