

RVVA WINE COMPETITION AWARDS 2024

Amateur Medals:

Amateur wines were integrated and judged head-to-head in panels with commercial wines. Once the scores were received, the top 5 scored wines were re-presented to the judges as identified amateur category wines and competed against each other for best in show. All the amateur's scores were then adjusted on a curve to create the gold, silver, and bronze winners.

Bronze Winners:

- Donna Hendrix, from Hillside Ranch Vineyard - 2023 Viognier
- Jerry Rios from Riosotti Vineyard - 2022 Petite Sirah
- Patricia Torres from Wind and Star Vineyard - 2021 Petit Verdot

Silver Winners:

- Donna Hendrix from Hillside Ranch Vineyard:
 - 2023 Wild Fermented Sauvignon Blanc
 - 2024 Sauvignon Blanc
- Patricia Torres from Wind and Star Vineyard - 2023 Concord Rose

Gold Winners:

- Elaine & Glen Hester from Conca D'Oro Vineyards - 2021 Red Blend
- Donna Hendrix from Hillside Ranch Vineyard:
 - 2022 Syrah
 - 2023 Rose' of Syrah

Commercial Medals:

Bronze Winners:

- Correcaminos Vineyard: 2023 Rose of Tannat
- Mahogany Mountain Vineyard & Winery:
 - 2019 Red Blend
 - 2017 Barbera
- Mia Marie Vineyards:
 - 2023 Chardonnay
 - 2023 Rose of Tempranillo
 - 2021 Cabernet Sauvignon
 - 2022 GSM Blend
 - 2023 Viognier
- Old Julian Vineyards & Winery:
 - 2020 Merlot
 - 2020 Cabernet Sauvignon
 - 2020 Petite Sirah
- Pamo Valley Winery:
 - 2022 Sangiovese
 - 2023 Viognier

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Commercial Medals (Cont.):

Bronze Winners (Cont.):

- Principe di Tricase Winery: 2019 Nebbiolo
- Ramona Ranch Vineyard and Winery: 2021 Sangiovese Reserve
- Sunrise Vineyards LLC:
 - 2021 Grenache Blanc ("Liquid Gold")
 - 2020 My Second Red Wedding – Red blend
 - 2022 Sauvignon Blanc
- The Succulent Cellar: 2022 Vermentino
- Vina Ramona: 2021 Sangiovese
- Volcan Mountain Winery:
 - 2020 Cabernet Franc
 - 2020 Malbec

Silver Winners:

- Creek hollow Winery: 2021 Sangiovese
- Old Julian Vineyards & Winery: 2019 Syrah
- Pamo Valley Winery: 2022 Granny's Syrah
- Principe di Tricase Winery: 2018 Aglianico
- Ramona Ranch Vineyard and Winery: 2022 Sauvignon Blanc
- Rancho San Martin: 2020 Super Tuscan
- Sky Valley Cellars: 2021 Syrah
- Sunrise Vineyards LLC: 2019 Syrah
- The Succulent Cellar:
 - 2022 Founders' Blend
 - 2023 Rose of Syrah
- Vina Ramona: 2021 Fortified Zinfandel - Dessert Wine
- Volcan Mountain Winery:
 - 2020 Carignan
 - 2020 Carignan (port style)

Gold Winners:

- Creek Hollow Vineyards: 2021 Cab
- Ramona Ranch Vineyard and Winery:
 - 2022 Viognier
 - 2017 Montepulciano
- Sky Valley Cellars: 2023 Albarino
- The Succulent Cellar: 2023 Viognier
- Volcan Mountain Winery: 2023 Grenache (Rose)

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Best in Show Lum Eisenman Awards:

- Amateur Winemaker: **Donna Hendrix - 2023 Rose of Syrah**
- Commercial Winemaker: **Sky Valley Cellars - 2023 Albarino**
- Best Vineyard: **The Succulent Cellar**