# Nice Winery 2022 Nice Sauvignon Blanc

## Mendoza, Argentina







#### **About The Wine:**

Our club members have known the secret about our awesome "patio pounder" Sauvignon Blanc for almost a decade, but it is always nice to get a pat on the back in a blind tasting competition against so many other Sauvignon Blanc wines from around the world! This show-stopping Sauvignon Blanc has been awarded numerous awards all the way from Gold Medals to Regional Class Champion at the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo. We are thrilled to share this refreshing treat with you all!

Luján de Cuyo is famous for producing the world's finest Malbec. The winning trifecta of altitude, Andes Mountain snow-melt, and alluvial soils make this small region in Mendoza ideal for producing one of the world's most genuine expressions of Sauvignon Blanc.

Chefs and Sommeliers, Ian Eastveld and Ryan Levy, partnered with Familia Otero Ramos in crafting this exceptional, well-balanced wine. The grapes were hand-harvested in the cool morning, then gently pressed in whole clusters to extract this exquisite Sauvignon Blanc. We then ferment the juice in stainless steel tanks for 45 days at 12 degrees centigrade to insure a slow, cold, and even fermentation. The result is floral aromatic notes and juicy citrus flavors that could be lost with otherwise hasty handling. Pair thus beautiful wine with ceviche, crab cakes, roasted chicken, and veal Milanese with a spritz of lemon.

**Tasting Notes:** Granny Smith Apple. Lemon Blossom. Kiwi.



#### **About Ryan and Ian**

Certified Sommeliers, Wine Educators, and Le Cordon Bleutrained Chefs, Ryan Levy and Ian Eastveld, are the "Foodie Superduo" behind Nice Winery. Their chef-driven wines have been lauded in *Wine Enthusiast*,

awarded 94-point ratings, gold medals, and are featured on top wine lists. When not making their hand-crafted wines, the chefs teach about wine and food at their Houston winery and tasting studio.



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