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**Harvest Date; Bottling Date**

9/14/14; 3/18/15

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**Appellation**

Amador County, CA

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**Varietal(s)**

Semillon

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**Brix at Harvest**

24.0

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**Cases Bottled**

300

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**Alcohol**

13.8%

## Semillon

2014 Winery by the Creek Estate

### Winemaker's Notes

The Sémillon grape is rather heavy, with low acidity and an almost oily texture. It has a high yield and wines based on it can age a long time. Along with Sauvignon blanc and Muscadelle, Sémillon is one of only three approved white wine varieties in the Bordeaux region. The grape is also key to the production of sweet wines such as Sauternes.

This 2014 Semillon tastes bone dry and offers acidity that is clean. The fruit flavors of lime, lemon, grapefruit, kiwi, beeswax and vanilla are delightful. A fine mixture of precision and length evokes a warm day on the Garonne River in the Gironde region of Bordeaux.

**Food Pairings:** Meaty fish, salmon, tuna, Friday Night Lobster at Charles B. Mitchell Vineyards.

### Winery by the Creek

Winery by the Creek is nestled amongst the pine and oak forests of the Sierra Foothills in the small town of Fair Play, California. Its rural setting is breathtaking and serene. Centuries ago, it was home to native Northern Sierra Miwok tribes and later became a thriving mining camp, trading center and agricultural outpost during the Gold Rush. Today, Fair Play is an established American Viticultural Area where world-class wines are handcrafted.