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# The Best Wineries to Visit in Woodinville

The epicenter of Western Washington wine overflows with vintners. Here are the ones to try now.

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**WESTERN WASHINGTON'S [epicenter of wine](#)** dates back to the 1970s. Today, change is sweeping the area, from new tasting districts to the uncertain future of Chateau Ste. Michelle. In other words, [Woodinville](#) has lots of exciting new developments, but also some reasons to return, time and again, to taste.

## Novelty Hill–Januik

Few have been producing wine in Washington longer than Mike Januik (first release: 1984). Fewer have his track record of excellence. Januik and its sister winery Novelty Hill make a wide selection—with notable cabernet sauvignon and chardonnay. But the real story here is unrelenting consistency: You know it will be good.



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