

Winery Exchange Brands Awarded Gold Medals

Three Winery Exchange brands recently received gold medals at the San Diego International Wine Competition and Jerry D. Mead's New World International Wine Competition.

Parkers Estate, Chardonnay, 2006

CRITICS: GOLD SWEEPS

San Diego International Wine Competition, 2008

Hilltown, Pinot Noir, 2006

CRITICS: BEST OF CLASS GOLD

Jerry D. Mead's New World International Wine Competition, 2008

Kirkland Signature, Pinot Noir Sonoma Coast, 2006

CRITICS: GOLD

Jerry D. Mead's New World International Wine Competition, 2008

About San Diego International Wine Competition:

The 2008 SDIWC is the 25th edition of one of the oldest and most respected wine competition in the US. The SDIWC is also the largest wine competition in the US conducted for the benefit of charity. More than 2000 wines were evaluated over the weekend of April 19-20, 2008. [http:// www.sdiwc.com](http://www.sdiwc.com)

About Jerry D. Mead's New World International Wine Competition:

Open to wines produces anywhere in the "New World", including all of North America, Central America, South America, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. All wines judged "double-blind", that is, the judges not only do not know the identity of the wines they are tasting, neither do they have a list of entered wines, which might enable them to guess the wines identities. <http://www.nwiwc.com/>