



WINERY OF THE MONTH

DELFOSSE VINEYARDS & WINERY

Experience the Bucolic Beauty of the Virginia Countryside

Uniquely situated in a secluded valley at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains, DelFosse Vineyards and Winery offers serene elegance and intimate charm in an idyllic setting. The winery in Faber is a short distance from Charlottesville, just a brief 30-minute drive. Owners Adrienne and Mike Albers invite you to visit and explore this scenic location where you will experience the solitude of the Virginia countryside. The rural setting is unique, hugged between three mountains, with elevation that ensures both rich wines and spectacular views.

The winery site is classically elegant, yet informal. There are opportunities to relax and picnic by the lake or take a hike or bike ride along the five and a half miles of trails. Take a tour of the terraced vineyards and historic buildings. Enjoy a tasting of award-winning wines in the Tasting Room or on the Lawn. Whatever your pleasure, the bucolic setting and the wines of DelFosse Vineyards & Winery promise an experience that will bring you back time after time. Wine dinners, food and wine pairings, BBQs, concerts and the very popular French Crepe days are among special events that draw visitors to DelFosse year round.

The perfect venue for special events, both large and intimate, DelFosse is a popular choice for weddings, rehearsal dinners, corporate events, anniversaries, birthdays and holiday parties, among others. Choose the setting for your event from the Log Cabin overlooking terraced vineyards, the Pavilion on the Plaza, the Vineyard Deck and others. The experienced staff will coordinate with your individual needs to ensure total success for every occasion.

Established in 2002 in the Monticello AVA wine region, DelFosse Vineyards and Winery covers 330 acres. The European-styled terraced terrain provides unique wine-growing conditions, and the team of viticulturists and winemakers approach the challenges of the terrain with creativity, experience and passion. There are eleven varietals planted including Chardonnay, Viognier, Sauvignon Blanc, Petit Manseng, Pinot Gris, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Malbec, Petit Verdot and Chambourcin. Most are aged in French oak barrels, though the Viognier and Petit Manseng are aged in stainless steel to preserve the aromatic flavors of the grape.

Also on the property are a functional spring for the bottling of spring water and historically preserved buildings. Treat yourself to a peaceful overnight or weekend respite in the 100+ year old Historic Chestnut Log Cabin. Initially used as the winery tasting room, the Cabin was completely restored in 2005 with all the modern amenities.

DelFosse Vineyards and Winery is a wine lover's favorite. Whatever your pleasure, the bucolic setting and award-winning wines promise a memorable experience! We invite you to visit.

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Historic Log Cabin



Tasting Room



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