

10 Undiscovered Wineries in Washington State

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Washington State has graced the world's wine stage with its fabulous Pinots and an outstanding range of varietals. This vast area, consisting of Yakima Valley Wine Country, Woodinville Wine Country and the Tri-Cities, are pristine winemaking regions that embody tourism and hospitality at its finest. The countless wineries aside, it's easy to indulge at top-notch restaurants that focus on the incredible bounty found only in the Pacific Northwest. All of the wineries, no matter how big or small, are hidden gems, perfect for an afternoon picnic in their lush Northwest backyard.

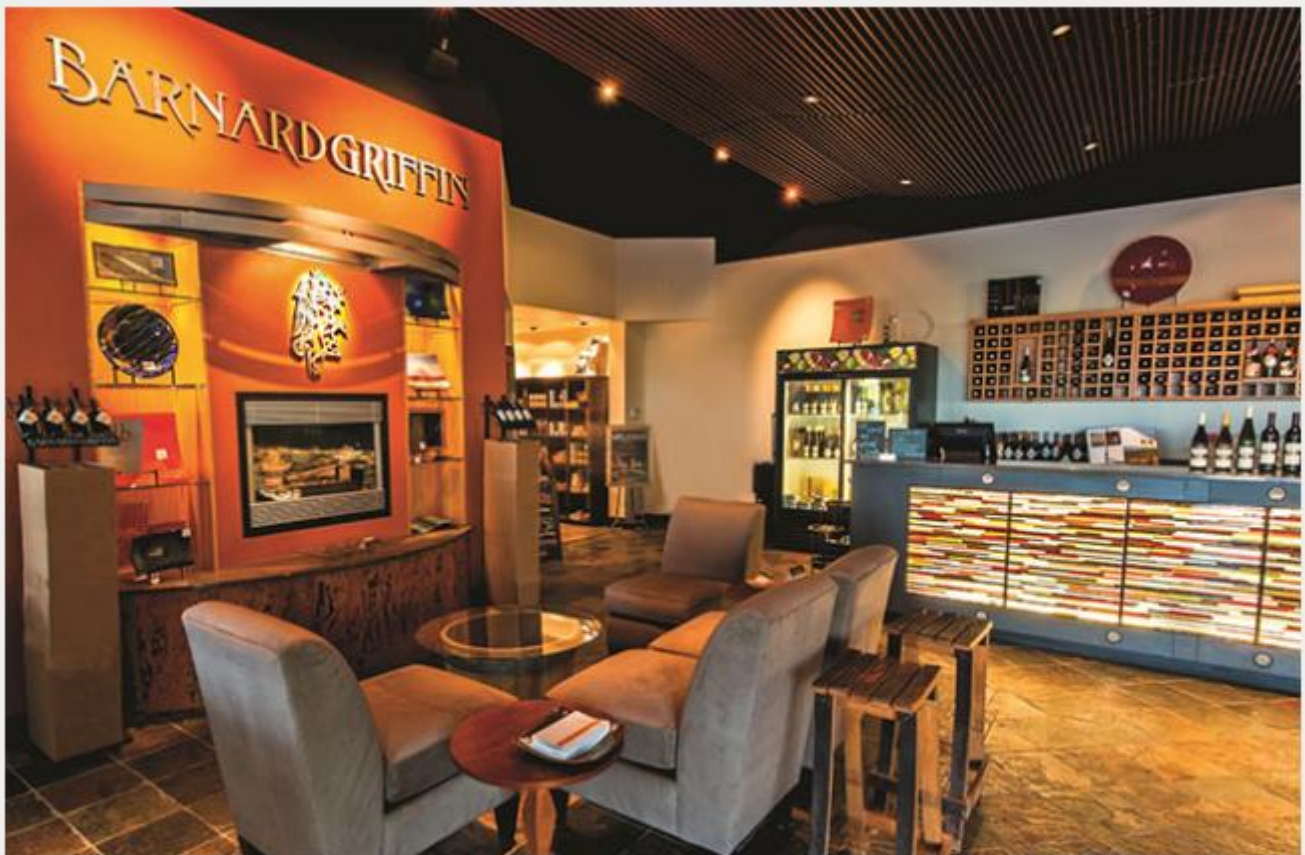
—*Kristen Oliveri*



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Husband-and-wife team Ali and Jarrod Boyle believe strongly in the sustainable farming movement, and the conditions of the region (low rainfall, soil that keeps phylloxera from spreading, and few vineyard pests) have made it quite easy for the family to implement sustainable farming practices. Today the [property](#) has 263 acres of planted vines, producing a whopping 23 varietals.



Courtesy of Barnard Griffin Winery

BARNARD GRIFFIN WINERY

Founders Rob Griffin and Deborah Barnard focus not only on the craft of winemaking but also on the art of glass works. Both passions come together at db Gallery, which is located on the [winery grounds](#). Guests can visit the gallery, sip a glass of wine, and attend a glass art class. There's also a wine bar and restaurant with an exquisite menu selection, which of course pairs perfectly with the estate's impressive wine list.



Kevin Cruff

TERRA BLANCA WINERY

Located on the famed Red Mountain, Keith and ReNae Pilgrim's sprawling [300-acre estate](#) has a unique terroir of fine sands and fine sandy silt loams with interbeds of carbonate-coated gravels, cobbles, and boulders. Guests visiting the vineyard can tour the property along with its production facilities and caves that house 3,000 barrels. Some noteworthy wines include their 2010 Terra Blanca Arch Terrace Triple Threat and their 2012 Terra Blanca Arch Terrace LH Chenin Blanc. The land is also certified by Salmon Safe.