



Sleight of Hand, the Walla Walla-based garage project of winemaker Trey Busch and Jerry and Sandy Solomon, has made some mighty impressive wines in their first year of operation, and are clearly on an accelerating, upward path.



Allen Shoup's **Long Shadows Vintners** pairs tremendous Washington terroir with global winemaking talent to create a unique line-up of always-special (and often sold-out) wines.

Wenatchee-area growers Michael and Laura Laurent Mrachek combine Wahluke Slope estate fruit with the outstanding skill of their winemaker Craig Mitrakul to produce some of the most consistently high-quality wines in Washington under their **Saint Laurent** label.

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Wineries to Watch



Tiny **Nefarious Cellars**, in the hopefully soon-to-be-approved Lake Chelan appellation, is the project of Dean and Heather Neff. Their small-production, well-priced, and superbly-made wines are hard to find, but repay the effort with much enjoyment.

Greg Harrington's **Gramercy Cellars** in Walla Walla is turning a lot of heads for the silky purity of his Syrah wines—and with only two vintages under his belt, he's just beginning! ▶

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