

## 2016 Semillon Columbia Valley

**Double Gold** – Sip Northwest, Best of the Northwest, 2017, [www.sipnorthwest.com](http://www.sipnorthwest.com)

*“One of Walla Walla’s most iconic producers, L’Ecole N° 41 is a second generation, family-owned winery set in the heart of the Walla Walla Valley. A classic Semillon with accents of peaches, melon and honeysuckle, this vibrant and crisp white wine will elevate your next cheese plate.” – Sip Northwest Judges*

**88 points** - Stephen Tanzer, Vinous , October 2017

*(fermented and aged in neutral tight-grained French oak): Pale, bright yellow. Musky scents of lemon peel, apricot, fig and honeysuckle, plus hints of vanilla and toast from the oak. A fairly full, velvety style but without quite the density, nuance or definition of the Klipsun Sémillon-Sauvignon Blanc. Finishes with a hint of warmth but also a firming citrus character and no shortage of acidity.” – Stephen Tanzer*

The Tri-City Herald, Great Northwest Wine, ‘The white wines of L’Ecole’, October 2017, [www.tricityherald.com](http://www.tricityherald.com)

*“We’ve long admired Marty Clubb’s dedication to this white Bordeaux grape, and this bottling is a classic, with opening whiffs of fresh figs and toast, followed by flavors of melted butter, Golden Delicious apple within a rich midpalate. Pair with roasted chicken, smoked turkey, shellfish, or pasta in a cream sauce.” - Andy Perdue & Eric Degerman*

### Medals & Competitions

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