

YEAR	ON/OFF	Dates	NOTES	LBS.	GAL.	AWARDS
2012	OFF	12/7/2012	80/20 Crop Harvested	336	3	No competitions entered
		12/8/2012	Milled			
2013	ON		Heavy olive fly battle 25% Frantoio, 25% Coratina, 25% Maurino 15% Leccino, 10% Pendolino Shelby's Blend	226	5	Silver - CCOOC
2014	OFF	12/25/2014	Drought! No significant rain until March = flowering issue. Harvested	156	0	No competitions entered
2015	ON		Watering started early even though rain early			
		3/20/2015	Flowering started			
		4/7/2015	Full Bloom			
		8/25/2015	Color started			
		9/27/2015	1st Harvest - 8 Maurino + misc barn side	230	4	
		10/24/2015	2nd Harvest	980	19	
		11/13/2015	3rd Harvest	570	11	
		1/21/2016	Purchased 22 gal. from Solana Farms, blended (40% Tusci, 30% early Arbq & 30% Mission)			Silver - LA Int'l Silver, Packagaing Design - LA Int'l Bronze, Cal State Fair Silver, Paso Robles Olive Festival Gold, Best of Artistic Design - CCOOC
2016	OFF	1/31/2016	Current rain received 11.05"			
		2/14/2016	Dry spell - prebud micro started w/ 80 deg. Weather			
		4/16/2016	New diffuser deep watering system on line			
		4/23/2016	Bud break			
		5/1/2016	Olive nubs began to emerge			
		5/14/2016	Fruit set not going to be much			
		6/17/2016	Pea size			
		7/15/2016	100 deg days June through July			
		8/22/2016	Fires			
		8/25/2016	First Color			
		10/7/2016	Harvested Maurino trees (orange), milled 10/8/16	40	0.75	
10/14/2016	Harvested balance of other trees	200	3			
10/15/2016	Milled varietels seperately. Started to rain (already rec'd 1" in Oct.) Pendolino 30lbs					

Frantoio 25lbs
 Coratina 20lbs
 Taggiasca 10lbs
 Leccino 40 lbs
 Mission/Arbq 35lbs.

Tasting notes:

Leccino - Black olive predominate, like a late harvest (mild)
 Maurino - grassy, green apple & almond, fruity forward (med.)
 Pendo - green apple, banana, bite at end, most balanced (med.)
 Frantoio - nice feel, green almond
 Coratina - high astringency (one note?), spice, clove, tomato leaf (robust)
 Mission - buttery, woody, nutty, floral - like a late harvest (mild)

12/15/2016 Purchased 2 Tuscan blends from Olea Farm - merged to make **Points North**

Gold/Best Microproducer - Cal State Fair
Gold, Paso Robles Olive Festival
Gold/Best of Class - CCOOC
Bronze - LA Int'l
Bronze, Effective Use of Design - LA Int'l

2017

ON

2/12/2017 About 24" of rain to date! Micro buds started & first sunny weekend
 2/18/2017 Heavy rains and winds, 25.6"
 2/25/2017 More rain
 4/13/2017 April showers .25"
 4/30/2017 Bud break
 6/18/2017 Pit hardening / dime size
 7/7/2017 Very hot all of July
 8/29/2017 Mild August, color changes started on Leccino/Maurino
 11/3/2017 1st Harvest - 6 Maurino / All Tagg. / barn Leccino 311 5
 (70% Maurino, 25% Tagg., 5% Leccino) = SBP
 Passed chem. - fruity, mellow, slight pungcy finish (mild)
 11/4/2017 2nd Harvest - remaining Maurino (Blk 1), Mission, 200 2.5
 11/5/2017 Coratina (barn) & Arbq.
 (45% Mission 90lbs, 30% Maurino 60 lbs, 25% Coratina 50lbs)
 Passed chem. - sharp, not balanced, flat, still nice flavor
 12/2/2017 Late Harvest w/ Crew 1480 35

The Field - 15 gal.
 30% Frantoio, 30% Leccino, 25% Taggiasca, 25% Maurino,
 10% Pendolino, 5% Coratina
 Tasting notes: Buttery up front, pungent back (nice opposite bal), tomato, green choke,
 fruity

Bronze-CCOOC
Bronze (Points North)-CCOOC
Gold, Unique Single Bottle Packaging-CCOOC

Tusci - 20 gal.
 52% Frantoio, 18% Pendolino, 15% Leccino,

Silver-Cal State Fair
Silver, Effective Use of Design (LA Int'l)

12% Maurino, 3% Coratina
 Tasting notes: Really best balance! Buttery, nice mouth feel, Fruity, green banana, bal of
 pung & bitter on finish.

2018	OFF	2/1/2018	Only 2" of rain so far this season. Warm winter so far, started watering.		
		2/19/2018	Converted the 3rd car garage portion as a new clean room for storage, bottling and lasering. Finally had a series of good storms at the end of Feb-early March for a season total of		
		5/15/2018	12.65". Warmed up very quickly, then a late frost.		
		5/24/2018	Everyone reporting weather related tree confusion, little or no bloom		
		9/15/2018	Sparse clusters began color change.		
		11/9/2018	Harvest any olives off trees	5	0
		12/5/2018	Purchased 10 gal. - 5 gal. Frantoio, 5 gal. Coratina for 50/50 blend Tusci		
					Gold-LA Int'l Gold Best of Class-CCOOC Bronze-Cal State Fair
2019	ON	1/1/2019	Already had 5.50" of rain. So far getting a good cold winter.		
		3/21/2019	Micro buds finally appear		
		3/26/2019	Spring wild flower super blums started		
		5/13/2019	Full olive flowers all open in full blum. All trees were pruned/ centers opened before flowering		
		5/19/2019	Crazy month of late rain storms. Over an inch so far. Lost a few flowers to rain and wind, but ample rain made visible little buds strong. Total season rainfall = 22.95"		
		6/7/2019	Started watering w/ updated drip (2-1/2 gal per hr. per tree)		
		6/11/2019	Baby olives, pea size!		
		7/4/2019	Pulled sap suckers, cleaned centers again.		
		7/5/2019	Increased watering to 2-4 hours - <i>(for July & August important growth months)</i>		
		7/11/2019	Pit harding. Started GF-120 application - very little fly activity so applying once every 2-3 weeks.		
		7/28/2019	Last day at State Fair pouring - \$1000 in sales (3rd year appearance)		
		8/13/2019	Beautiful growth and quantity of olives looks super!		
		8/15/2019	First week of summer with 100+ degree days		
		9/12/2019	First week of veraison (color change)		
		10/15/2019	Harvested Maurino, Leccino (bottom) & Taggiasca (<i>POINTS NORTH</i>)	800	7
11/14/2019	Harvested Frantoio & Coratina (<i>TUSCI</i>) Also Pendolino & Side Leccino, Maurino (<i>POINTS NORTH</i>)	700	16		
11/25/2019	Decent rain already by Thanksgiving week 5"	300	6		

12/26/2019 Late harvest 20 remaining trees - our press
12/31/2019 Rain totals by year-end already at 7.30"

300 4

Tusci - 16 gal.
50% Frantoio, 50% Coratina

Bronze - LA Int'l
Silver- Cal State Fair
Gold - NYIOOC

Points North - 13 gal.
40% Maurino, 40% Leccino, 20% Pendolino, 20% Taggiasca

Bronze - Cal State Fair

2020

OFF

1/8/2020 Cold, frosty mornings since beginning of year. Working on Pruning all trees.

2/17/2020 No rain for over a month now. Cold mornings, 70 deg days. Finished heavy pruning.

3/15/2020 Fertilizer spread & first disc

4/4/2020 Finish shreading all pruning and spreading at bases

4/10/2020 Continue receiving late March/April storms. Rain totals for the season now = 13.70"

7/4/2020 Started regular 2 week watering & GF120

7/25/2020 Removed suckers.

8/1/2020 Expected lighter crop which is the case but olive size is considerably larger.

8/13/2020
Been a mild summer so far (only 3 weekends over 100). Today had subtropical remnants that brought light showers all day = .10" of rare August moisture.

8/16/2020
More subtropical storms brought lightening and major fires throughout state. Thick smoke 1/4 mile visibility through Central Coast and Valley all week long. It will be interesting how this will affect the oils this year.

9/2/2020 First hit of color change

10/20/2020
Checked ripeness and getting very close (2 more weeks). Cool nights and nice daytime temperatures

11/7/2020 *Harvested small crop*

12/13/2020
Finished light pruning/topping. Fertilized today because light rain showers moving through.

200 4

Points North - 4 gal.
Frantoio, Coratino, Pendolino, Maurino, Leccino, Pendolino, Taggiasca

Silver- CCOC
Gold & Top10 - Brazil IOOC!

Tusci - 5 gal.
Frantoio, Coratina, Picual

2021

ON

1/29/2021 Rainy days bring rainbows - 6" so far this season

4/2/2021 Beautiful spring days. Dry, mild, windy spring so far.

4/8/2021 Micro buds all shooting out

4/23/2021 First watering of blocks, 4 hours each

5/1/2021 Total rain for 2020/21 was 9"

5/4/2021 First sign of flowers opening (by house)
 5/15/2021 Full bloom on most trees - very heavy!
 9/25/2021 Color has begun
 10/9/2021 1 hour EVOO educational tour & tasting - GA group of 15
 11/25/2021 Main harvest completed - 603lbs yielding 13 gal 603 13
 Processed another 175lbs. = 3-1/2 gal from gleanings 175 3.5
 12/31/2021 A number of large troughs gave us 10.5" of rain by year-end!

Points North - 13 gal.
 Frantoio, Coratina, Maurino, Leccino, Pendolino, Taggiasca

Silver-LA Int'l
Silver-SJV00C
Silver-Cal State Fair
Bronze - CCOOC

2022

OFF

3/10/2022 Micro buds started.
 3/14/2022 No substantial rain (just light/sprinkles) since December. Jan-Mar a dud.
 4/3/2022 Finally got good soaker trough come through providing 1-1/2" of rain.
 4/9/2022 All pruning done. ***Interestingly, the trees pruned earlier (end of year) do not have the amount of buds compared to the spring pruned trees. They also are regressed. So spring pruning has been proven to be the best!
 4/23/2022 Another late spring trough brought 1/3". SEASON TOTAL = 11.55"
 Blooms getting read to start bursting with flowers - trees such as the top Taggiasca are showing sizable blooms & potential
 4/25/2022
 4/28/2022 Start of the blooms opening (by house & top). Windy days followed opening
 7/1/2022 Dry hot summer
 8/19/2022 A few upper trees have color
 8/31/2022 Start of a week of 110 degree weather!
 9/9/2022 Ended of extremely hot days with remnants of Kay - received a splash of rain
 Blushes of color more apparent. Two months to harvest countdown. 1st Rough harvest estimate : 800 lbs.
 9/14/2022
 After a normal week (nice days and cool nights), we are expecting our first rain system starting today and ending Tuesday. Rain amount only .20" received
 9/18/2022
 11/4/2022 Harvest weekend!
 Brought 650 lbs. to the Mill- only rec'd 6 gallons. Olives did not have enough 'meat' to produce the anticipated 13-15 gallons. Many reported the same issues or had no olives at all. 650 6
 11/6/2022
 11/7/2022 Received rain for a few days after harvest = 1.40"
 12/11/2022 A series of storms in the last week put us around 7.5" so far for the season.
 12/24/2022 Spread 3 cups fertilizer to each tree 15-15-15 before the next set of storms
 12/26/2022 Rain/showers for the next week into the new year.
 12/31/2022 Last week of December storms brought us up to 10.50" inches so far!

Points North - 6 gal.
 Frantoio, Leccino, Taggiasca, Coratina, Pendolino, Maurino

Silver - Cal State Fair
Gold - NYIOOC !!!!

2023

ON

1/4/2023 Storm from Wednesday to Saturday brought another 2.60"

An extremely powerful storm hit the Central Coast causing major flash flooding. Salinas end-to-end just overnight and up to the bottom of 13th street bridge. 5-1/4" received in 24 hours. Warnings issued for more into Tuesday, still expecting inches of rain.

1/9/2023

1/10/2023 Another 1/2" received overnight and Tuesday.

1/20/2023 Just couple of passing fronts. Season total so far 21.625"

2/18/2023 No substantial rain for about a month now.

2/24/2023 Finally rain. A Canadian cold front brought another 2.75" of rain - then snow!!!
A few inches of snow still on ground in the morning and another cold front expected on Monday. Season totals now over 24.5"

2/24/2023

3/1/2023 Micro buds visible
Atmospheric River storms over the last few weeks. Season totals now at an amazing 30.375"!

3/15/2023

3/28/2023 2 more storms brought 2.68" more. Naci full. Whale Rock overflowed first time in 18 years and Lopez in 25 years! Season total for us as stunning 33"