



## 2026 Amateur Wine Results

North Carolina State Fair

Friday, September 25, 2026

| Special Placing                               | Exhibitor Name  |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>100 - Amateur Wine Special Awards</b>      |                 |
| 02 - Best in Show - Muscadine                 |                 |
|                                               | Steve Macon     |
| 04 - Best in Show - Mead                      |                 |
|                                               | Zach Howard     |
| <b>101 - Vinifera/Hybrid</b>                  |                 |
| 03 - Red Single Varietal                      |                 |
| Bronze                                        | James Claiborne |
| <b>102 - Muscadine -Dry/Off Dry &lt;3% RS</b> |                 |
| 03 - Red                                      |                 |
| Silver                                        | Steve Macon     |
| Bronze                                        | Justin Phillips |
| <b>103 - Muscadine - Sweet &gt;3% RS</b>      |                 |
| 01 - White                                    |                 |
| Silver                                        | Steve Macon     |
| 03 - Red                                      |                 |
| Bronze                                        | Lee Moore       |
| <b>104 - Fruit Wine</b>                       |                 |
| 01 - Fruit Wine                               |                 |

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## 104 - Fruit Wine

### 01 - Fruit Wine

|        |                      |
|--------|----------------------|
| Gold   | Lee Moore            |
| Silver | Oleksandr Kramarenko |
| Silver | Brenda Wind          |
| Silver | Steve Macon          |
| Silver | Lee Moore            |
| Bronze | Charles Frick        |
| Bronze | Stephanie Seeber     |
| Bronze | Michael Gurdziel     |
| Bronze | Oleksandr Kramarenko |

## 105 - Non-Traditional Wine

### 01 - Non-Traditional Wine

|        |                |
|--------|----------------|
| Gold   | Tenay Fletcher |
| Bronze | Steve Macon    |

## 106 - Cider

### 01 - Modern

|        |               |
|--------|---------------|
| Silver | Marvin Owings |
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### 02 - High Tannin

|        |               |
|--------|---------------|
| Bronze | Marvin Owings |
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### 05 - Specialty

|        |               |
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| Bronze | Marvin Owings |
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## 107 - Mead

### 01 - Traditional

|             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|
| Double Gold | Zach Howard      |
| Silver      | Matthew Proffitt |
| Bronze      | Lee Moore        |
| Bronze      | Joshua Douglas   |

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## 107 - Mead

### 02 - Melomel

|        |                  |
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| Bronze | Marc Burris      |
| Bronze | Matthew Proffitt |
| Bronze | Zach Howard      |

### 03 - Metheglin

|        |                  |
|--------|------------------|
| Silver | Matthew Proffitt |
| Silver | Joshua Douglas   |

### 04 - Fruit & Spice

|             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|
| Double Gold | Joshua Douglas   |
| Silver      | Zach Howard      |
| Bronze      | Matthew Proffitt |

### 05 - Barrel-Aged

|        |                |
|--------|----------------|
| Silver | Zach Howard    |
| Bronze | William Costen |
| Bronze | Joshua Douglas |