

# *Schedule of Activities*

## **BENT CREEK WINERY**

5455 Greenville Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Sauvignon Blanc, 2006 Livermore Valley Zinfandel
- Special Tasting:** Taste complete line of all current Bent Creek vintages for a \$5 tasting fee, refundable with purchase of wine
- Music:** Meritage with Dave Marquardt - Sunday and Monday
- Food:** Cabana Dave's - delicious BBQ and salad options
- Arts and Crafts:** A variety of local arts and crafts and specialty items
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 5% on 3 bottle purchase, 10% on 6 bottle purchase, 15% on case  
Other case specials available.

## **BIG WHITE HOUSE & JOHN EVAN CELLARS**

6800 Greenville Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Roussanne, 2006 Syrah, 2006 Cabernet, Peche Mignon, Peach Sparkling Wine
- Special Tasting:** \$5 per person fee will gain access to inside the winery, where our Aroma Bar awaits you. You will be able to taste extensive barrel samples plus a collection of our premium wines.
- Music:** The Gabe Duffin Band - local artists returning for another day (Sunday only) of music and fun.
- Winery Activity:** (Monday Only) Aroma Bar - at our Aroma Bar for Sensory Evaluation, you will learn how to recognize the aromas found in wine. Our fun and educational Aroma Bar will get you started on evaluating common characteristics in wine. By comparing the bouquet of the wine with specific aroma samples, you will discover how easy it is to train your nose and how simple it can be to identify wines and their aromas allowing you to gain new dimensions in your enjoyment of wine.
- Author and book signing: featured on Monday is Jennie Schacht, author of Farmers' Market Desserts. She will be on hand to sign her book and discuss her philosophy. Includes more than 50 recipes for tarts, crisps, cupcakes, puddings. Jennie is also the author of The Wine Lover's Dessert Cookbook: Recipes and Pairings for the Perfect Glass of Wine. This gorgeous, photo-filled book has page after page of recipes for fabulous desserts combined with all the information anyone will need on choosing a compatible dessert wine. We will be tasting two dessert wines, Afternoon Delight, a fortified Lane Harvest Roussanne and a ten year old Tawny Port.
- Adopt a rescue cog: Meet the dogs available from the Tri-Valley Animal Resue shelter ready for adoption
- Food:** Grilled sausages will be available for purchase.
- Arts and Crafts:** Original works by Laura Marion and Diana Marion will be displayed and available for purchase
- Wine Discounts:** Case discounts of 15%. Free delivery on one or more cases in Tri-Valley to avoid lugging wine on the bus. Also offering discounts on our Peach Sparkling Wine (\$159/case) and a "four for fifty" special on a four pack of 2006 Syrah for \$50. We have a bargain bin of odds and ends that are nearly sold out for \$100/case, mix or match, limited quantity.

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## **BODEGAS AGUIRRE WINERY**

8580 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Petite Sirah, Cabernet Sauvignon
- Special Tasting:** Additional Wines Poured: Reserve wines, White and Red Port (\$10 fee)
- Music:** TBD
- Winery Activity:** Oak Woodworks, Fashion Jewelry
- Arts and Crafts:** Featuring a variety of vendors
- Food:** Mexico DT: casual Mexican grill
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% three or more bottles; 20% case discount
- Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 10% three or more bottles; 20% case discount

## **CEDAR MOUNTAIN WINERY**

7000 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Reserve Scarlet Syrah, 2006 Cedar Grove Sauvignon Blanc
- Special Tasting:** "Mini Port Flight," \$5 fee includes 2000 Late Bottled Vintage Port, Tortuga Royale Chocolate Port, and 2009 Viognier Port
- Music:** Internet Jukebox! (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Fruit Elixirs
- Food:** Cattlemen's serving Tri-Tip Sandwiches, sodas and side dish for a fee. Tulula "Blaked Bliss" dessert items
- Arts and Crafts:** Barley Woodworking, Lynn Hosson (fine artist), local Livermore honey
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 2006 Sauvignon Blanc case special \$50/case Sunday-Monday only.
- Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 10% off all Port for the month of September. Come to tasting room for sampling of "Earth and Vine Provisions" that compliment our wines

## **CHARLES R VINEYARDS**

8195 Crane Ridge Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting of our Livermore Valley 2007 Syrah and 2008 Pinot Grigio
- Special Tasting:** Special Tasting: Meet the winemaker and enjoy our special tasting of reds - \$5 refundable with purchase. Complimentary to our Miner's Wine Club; 50% Discount to Charles R Wine Club.
- Music:** "Hurricane" - Don't miss your chance to enjoy one of the best bands in the Valley (Sunday only).
- Winery Activity:** Count the Corks - Closest countwins a Charles R T-Shirt (Monday only).
- Arts and Crafts:** A multicultural art exhibit featuring the Valley's outstanding artists and craftmakers. Exhibiting Artists include: Carol and Janette Espinoza, Camille's Gifts: Custom designed jewelry, stained glass garden ornaments, French milled soap. Stephen & Bev Barkkarie: Distinguished watercolor & and custom Jewelry artists. Carol Eicher: Award winning acrylic artist. Lorna Hickman: Inspiring watercolor artist. Lenore Kreit: Valley favorite award winning artist. Michael Robles: Dynamic watercolor artist. Don Waldear: Extraordinary pen & ink, and watercolor artist. Jill Whitner: Colorado fine jewelry artist. Renee Cowan: Sophisticated wine glass jewelry (Gem Hunter Designs) Gigi Boss: Custom designed candles and fanciful cork animals
- Food:** Blue Sage - The Bay Area favorite offers award winning gourmet selections to compliment our wine.
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - One-dollar off on glass of wine and 10% discount on bottles of wine, except sale and reserve wines.

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## **CHOUINARD VINEYARDS**

33853 Palomares Road, Castro Valley

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: celebrating the opening of our New Tasting Room:  
Fruit Wine: Granny Smith Apple.  
White Wine: For our white selection we are featuring a gold medal Chouinard Sparkling Brut, a Livermore Chardonnay, a dry but fruity Viognier, a crisp new Chenin Blanc and a gold medal White Riesling.  
Red Wine: This year's reds include our new release red table wine, a double gold Alicante Bouschet, a new release Zinfandel, a sample of cool and warm climate Cabernet Sauvignon, Livermore Petite Sirah and a new release Malbec (two gold medals).
- Special Tasting:** (The \$10.00 charge for your sweet tooth will be donated to DSAL-Urban Garden Party Fundraiser). Desert Wines and Chocolate include: Gold Medal Orange Muscat (sweet) and Gold Medal and Best of Class Viognier Ice Wine (sweetest). Tasters can also sample a Gold Medal Old Vine Zinfandel Port from 111 year old vines and our Best of Show Petite Sirah Port paired with Seattle Dark Chocolate.
- Music:** Classic Rock and Folk Guitarist and Singer, Roger Kardinal, will be entertaining his many fans on Sunday. Roger will be also be performing music from his new CD. Dawn Coburn will be playing and singing on Monday.
- Winery Activity:** Education: Good stuff to check out —Home winemaking and beer making equipment from Brewmasters in San Leandro; sketches from the Winemaker showing the winemaking process; and a handy food and wine pairing guide for our visitors.
- Arts and Crafts:** Sachiko Campe and her fellow potters will be displaying their unique styles and techniques. Chris Wallace-Ainsworth, a talented spinner, weaver and fabric artist will show you her beautiful creations.
- Food:** Chicken and Marinated Pork Tostados, Tacos or Nachos, Guacamole and Salsa with Chips. Monica Quintana, New Mexico Chef extraordinaire, prepares just what you need— the works or a little nibble of her delicious cuisine.
- Food:** Our Winemaker is also a Knapper—Not the sleeping kind—He makes arrowheads for a hobby. His “points” will be on display. Continuing the rock theme there will also be a display of “Rock Bonsai” better know as Japanese Suiseki, an Asian art form in which rocks are displayed on hand-carved stands reflecting nature's beauty in miniature.
- Wine Discounts:** For the price conscious, our new red blend is featured at \$12.00 and Granny Smith Apple is available at \$11.50.

## **CONCANNON VINEYARD**

4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Pinot Grigio, Viognier, Righteously Rosé
- Special Tasting:** Reserve tasting for additional \$5
- Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday). Chevron Wolf Radio playing your favorite country james between band sets.
- Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.
- Vendors:** ValleyCare Health System host caricaturists
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Various discounts based on quantity.

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## **CROOKED VINE AND STONY RIDGE**

4948 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Crooked Vine 2007 Viognier and 2005 Syrah; Stony Ridge 2005 Trifecta (blend) and 2005 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon
- Music:** Music on the patio by The Smokin' J's (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Join winemaker Jaime Dowell for a behind-the-scenes tour of the winery and find out how wine is made (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Featuring a variety of vendors: MacRae Lynn Designs/handmade greeting cards and paper crafts. Nancy - The Bracelet Bar (jewelry)
- Food:** Gourmet wood fired pizzas by Firevine Pizzas. Delicious Desserts by Let's Cupcake
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Special discounts on selected wines

## **CUDA RIDGE WINES**

5385 East Avenue, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2009 Livermore Valley Sauvignon Blanc, 2008 Livermore Valley Merlot, 2008 Livermore Valley Cabernet Franc
- Special Tasting:** Additional Flight (\$5 tasting fee): 2009 Livermore Valley Semillon, 2008 Livermore Valley Malbec; 2008 Livermore Valley Cabernet Sauvignon
- Music:** Sunday: The Catfish Boys (12:30-4) - in three piece configuration playing roots oriented rock and country; Monday: Roger Kardinal (12:30-4) - legendary Livermore vocalist and guitarist who plays 60's and 70's folk music
- Winery Activity:** Blending with the winemaker. Try blending Bordeaux style varietals. (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Sue Marek Designs will bring a special collection of handmade fused glass art including wine stoppers and cheese plates, serving bowls and jewelry.
- Food:** Bart's Blazin' Q - The menu to choose from: Hot Link Sandwich (\$7); Pulled Pork Sliders (\$5); Rib Sampler (\$7); Meat Sampler (\$10); Ceasar Salad (\$5)
- Wine Discounts:** 3-Pack Special - 10% discount (20% for wine club members) for purchase of any 3 wines or more. Case discount - 15% discount (25% for wine club members) on case purchase. These offers are only good during the Harvest Wine Celebration.

## **DARCIE KENT VINEYARDS**

4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: 2009 Sauvignon Blanc, Crown Block Merlot
- Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday)
- Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.

## **DEER RIDGE VINEYARDS**

1828 Wetmore Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2007 Chardonnay, 2006 Shiraz
- Special Tasting:** 2004 Cabernet Sauvignon (Double Gold), 2009 Chardonnay Private Reserve, 2007 Moonstruck® in air conditioned barrel room for a nominal fee
- Music:** Live music Sunday only
- Winery Activity:** Master gardener consultant, Lavender Garden pick-your-own (Monday only). Cool off in barrel room.
- Arts and Crafts:** Numerous artists offering original jewelry, pottery and art
- Food:** Old fashion picnic BBQ, picnic grounds, \$5
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10%-25% discount on wine

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## **EAGLE RIDGE VINEYARD**

10017 Tesla Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Pinot Grigio, 2006 Zinfandel
- Special Tasting:** Vertical tasting of Petite Sirahs - 2005, 2006, 2007, \$5/per person
- Winery Activity:** "Know Your Grapes" contest and drawing
- Arts and Crafts:** JJ's Designs (linens and glassware), "Bag It Up," designer inspired purses
- Food:** Cabana Dave's
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% on all purchases (may not be combined with any other discount)
- Sept. **Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - "Know Your Grapes" contest and drawing

## **ECKERT ESTATE WINERY**

2400 Arroyo Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Viognier, Ensemble (red table wine), Harvest Cuvee
- Special Tasting:** 3+ additional wines will be available to taste for \$3 (No charge for Club Members)
- Music:** QuikFix from noon to 5 (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Bottle Your Own – Harvest Cuvee. We'll supply the wine, bottles, corks and labels – You supply the FUN! \$7 per bottle!! No limit (Sunday and Monday)
- Arts and Crafts:** AVON by Lisa, SPA products, Porcelain Dolls, Wine Accessories
- Food:** The Traveling Pizza, Noyo Reserve Mustards, Arroyo Windmill Olive Oil, and freshly made truffles
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Deep discounts on select wines

## **ELLISTON VINEYARDS**

*Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: California Champagne, 2006 Pinot Gris, 2005 Pinot Blanc, 2000 Cabernet Franc and other reds
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)
- Arts and Crafts:** Dana's Bridal and Dress Boutique
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 25% discounts on select wines for the remainder of September

## **EL SOL WINERY**

*Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Sparkling Cuvee, Bin 1 Red Blend "Seat of My Pants"
- Special Tasting:** \$5 taste Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon, 2008
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)

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## **FENESTRA WINERY**

83 Vallecitos Rd., Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Sauvignon Blanc, '08 Chardonnay, '09 Riesling, True Red Lot 24, '06 Alvarelhão, '06 Syrah, '04 Port – all medal winners

**Special Tasting:** Taste select library wines for \$5.00

**Music:** Tom Rose Band – “almost acoustic” (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** “Anatomy of a Grape” - dissection & evaluation of different wine grapes (Monday only)

**Arts and Crafts:** Jewelry, stainglass & assorted arts & crafts by local artists

**Food:** Award-winning Kalua pulled-pork and world-famous tri-tip sandwiches by Blue Sage Catering. Breadsticks & cheese spread by Gimanelli's Deli

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - special case prices on Chardonnay & Alvarelhão; reduced prices on select bottles of wine.

**Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Harvest Tasting Sept. 25 & 26 from 12-5pm

## **GARRÉ VINEYARD AND WINERY**

7986 Tesla Rd., Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary tasting - 2007 Livermore Valley Syrah and 2009 Livermore Valley Sauvignon Blanc

**Music:** Sinister Blues (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** Cooking demonstration with Cafe Garre's Executive Chef Ty Turner at 2 p.m. (Monday only)

**Arts and Crafts:** Over ten vendors including Monica's Jewelry, Teezhands, Wild Bill's Honey, Olivina Olive Oil, Cookie Lee Jewelry

**Food:** Cafe Garre - BBQ oysters, jerk chicken skewers, Texas style smoked ribs w/cowboy beans, with Cuban Sangria and beer on tap to name a few of the items available for purchase

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Special Harvest Celebration discounts

## **HIDDEN CREEK WINE AND AUBURNJAMES WINERY**

*Pouring at Concannon Vineyard, 4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore*

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Chardonnay, Viognier and Syrah

**Special Tasting:** Bordeaux Flight - Cabernet Franc, Meritage, Cabernet Sauvignon, \$10 fee

**Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday)

**Winery Activity:** Meet the winemaker

**Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.

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## **LA ROCHELLE WINERY**

5443 Tesla Road, Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: La Rochelle featured wines: 2009 Pinot Gris, 2007 Classic Clones Pinot Noir, 2007 Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir, & a Special Pinot Noir Club Wine. Steven Kent featured wines: 2009 "Lola" Semillon/Sauvignon Blanc, 2008 Harvest Blend "Fratello" (red) - new release! 2007 Steven Kent Cabernet Sauvignon – new release! & a Special Steven Kent Club Wine.

**Special Tasting:** The Steven Kent Winery will feature a special Cabernet and cheese pairing in the air-conditioned Barrel Room for a nominal \$5.00 fee. This tasting will include: 2007 Steven Kent Home Ranch Cabernet Sauvignon, 2007 Steven Kent Ghilmetti Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon and the 2007 Smith Ranch Cabernet Sauvignon. Winemaker Steven Kent Mirassou will be on-hand to talk about the wines. Each wine will be paired with a specially selected artisan cheese.

**Music:** The Bacchus Brothers play Rock n' Roll (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** (available both days): Cabernet & Cheese Pairing in the Barrel Room \$5 (see above.) Meet the winemakers – Steven Kent Mirassou & Tom Stutz.

**Arts and Crafts:** Tres Classique Specialty Foods, Cookie Lee Jewelry, Mokulele Farms Kona Coffee. Free Tattoos! Swirl on the Square. VA Napa – Hand-made wine stave accessories.

**Food:** Uncle Frank's BBQ, Kara's Cupcakes

**Wine Discounts:** Buy any 6 bottles, Mix & Match, and save 25%. Join either the La Rochelle or Steven Kent Wine Club and receive a special discount!

**Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Get a Complimentary Tasting Card with any wine purchase so you can come back and visit us for our "regular" tasting experience sometime in the future!

## **LAS POSITAS VINEYARDS**

682 Pinnacle Place, Livermore

**Wine:** 2007 Livermore Valley Chardonnay and 2007 Casa de Vina Covarrabias Vineyards Petite Sirah

**Special Tasting:** 2007 Casa de Vina Covarrabias Cabernet Sauvignon and 2008 Livermore Valley Chardonnay (\$2.50)

**Music:** Flamenco guitarists, singer and dancers provided by Carlina Lugo's and Carole' Acuna's Brisa de Espana Ballet Flamenco. Guitarists perform continuously throughout the day with singer and dancers performing at the half hour: 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30 and 4:30 p.m. (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** Meet winemaker Ryan Flock, barrel taste the 2009 Cabernet Sauvignon, enjoy complimentary BBQ chorizo while listening to the Spanish Guitar by Jesse Christian Hendricks. (Monday only)

**Arts and Crafts:** Lori Adam Photography. Livermore Commission for the Arts selected her "Yosemite Bridge" for its permanent collection. The work currently hangs at Livermore City Hall.

**Food:** (Sunday only) Atol Restaurante, Danville: Spanish cuisine, serving traditional chicken paella, pinchos of chorizo and Spanish bocadillo

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% discount plus complimentary lunch provided by Atol Restaurante for purchase of 3 or more bottles of Las Positas wine. An additional 10% discount and complimentary lunch for joining the Rancho Las Positas Wine Club.

**Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - We will continue the 10% discount on purchases of 3 or more bottles of our wine for the month of September.

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## **LAVISH LAINES WINERY**

Pouring at Concannon Vineyard, 4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: All - Chardonnay, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot
- Special Tasting:** Wines may be purchased by the bottle
- Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday)
- Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Buy 2 bottles, get a 3rd half off any varietal. Buy a case of wine and receive 40 percent off.

## **LES CHÊNES ESTATE VINEYARDS**

Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: 2007 Estate Syrah, 2008 Viognier
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)
- Arts and Crafts:** Wine racks, wine holders, shirts and hats, and more
- Food:** Fabulous mustards by Les Chênes
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% off bottle, 15% off case

## **LITTLE VALLEY WINERY**

Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: California Almond Champagne, California Raspberry Champagne, Chardonnay, Rabbit's Blush, Livermore Cabernet Sauvignon
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)
- Food:** Wente catering
- Arts and Crafts:** Kona Girl Jewelry
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 10% off wines

## **LONGEVITY WINES**

535 Rickenbacker Circle South, Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: 2009 Livermore Pinot Grigio, 2006 Contra Costa County Syrah
- Special Tasting:** \$5 fee: 2009 Chardonnay, 2009 Syrah Rose, 2009 Viognier, 2008 Mourvedre, 2008 Merlot and 2008 Barbera
- Music:** Solo guitarist Chris Ahlman (Sunday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Arts and Crafts: Phil Long Photo, photo cards and framed prints, others TBD
- Food:** Smoked pulled pork sandwich plate
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Discounts on two wines: 2009 Livermore Pinot Grigio and

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## **McGRAIL VINEYARDS & WINERY**

5600 Greenville Rd., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2007 McGrail Family Chardonnay, 2009 Rose, 2007 McGrail Vineyards Cabernet Shamus Patrick
- Special Tasting:** \$5 for barrel sampling of Petite Sirah, 2007 Reserve Cabernet and 2006 Patriot Cabernet Sauvignon in the tasting room
- Music:** Mud Daddy Band (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** The art of music and wine: meet our winemaker and lead singer of Bacchus Brothers. Bacchus Brothers will be playing (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Arkwright Designs, Primadogga Jewelry, Olivina Olive Oil, Cake Pops
- Food:** BBQ food available for purchase
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 25% off all cases of wine
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Buy 6 bottles and receive a complimentary barrel tasting

## **MITCHELL KATZ WINERY**

1188 Vineyard Avenue, Pleasanton

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon
- Special Tasting:** Barrel samples of 2009 Sangiovese free to club members or \$5 charge. Futures available.
- Music:** Ashling Cole Band (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Pulse rock band (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Janet Paul's wire wrapped stone, Ray Toys, Horses by Mustang Sally Halloween Decor, Slallen wood carving, twisted silver handcrafted silver, wine leather jewelry, sacred sparkle wine charm
- Food:** Artisan Marshmallows "Handcrafted" specialty. Truffle "Gateau" Fine Chocolate. Mitchell Katz's own BBQ with roast tip and pork specialty sandwiches.
- Wine Discounts:** A complimentary glass of wine with every sandwich purchased. Chardonnay \$49 six packs, Petite Sirah \$120 a case.

## **MURRIETA'S WELL WINERY**

*Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Enjoy tasting the finest unforgettable estate blends from Murrieta's Well
- Special Tasting:** Barrel tastings taste future Wente Family Estates (Murrieta's Well, Wente Vineyards & Tamas Estates) vintages (nominal fee)
- Music:** (Sunday) Georgi and the Rough Week; (Monday) The Front Porch Band
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 30% savings to Silver Spur Wine Club members and 20% savings to non-members on: 2007 Los Tesoros Semillon-Chardonnay, 2006 Los Tesoros Merlot, & 2006 Los Tesoros Cabernet Sauvignon

## **NOTTINGHAM CELLARS**

*Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2007 Viognier and 2007 Cabernet Sauvignon, Sparkling Wine
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)
- Special Activity:** Giveaways each hour
- Arts and Crafts:** Pat Cranor - wood tiles; 29th anniversary Harves Wine Celebration artist, Sylvia Thompson
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Discount - Case lots 25% off
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Case lots 25% off

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## **OCCASIO WINERY**

*Pouring at Wente Vineyards Estate Winery, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Pinot Gris
- Music:** Georgi and the Rough Week (Sunday); The Front Porch Band (Monday)
- Special Activity:** Sign up to win a private reserve wine tasting with winemaker John Kinney, for eight people
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Discount - 20% case discount to be redeemed at winery

## **PAGE MILL WINERY**

*Pouring at Concannon Vineyard, 4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2009 Chardonnay, Livermore Valley; 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon, Livermore Valley; 2006 Pinot Noir, Santa Maria Vineyard
- Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday)
- Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.

## **RODRIGUE MOLYNEAUX WINERY**

*Pouring at Concannon Vineyard, 4590 Tesla Rd., Livermore*

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: il Segreto, Pinot Bianco, Primitivo, Cabernet Sauvignon, Sangiovese
- Special Tasting:** Sangiovese, Barbera, Cabernet Sauvignon
- Winery Activity:** (Monday) Barrel cooper demonstration
- Music:** Dan Taylor (Sunday); Duarte (Monday)
- Arts and Crafts:** Bella Vina by Deanna- handcrafted jewelry semi-precious gemstone bracelets and other unique jewelry gift items
- Food:** Barbara Llewellyn Catering, fresh oysters will be shucked and sold.
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - All wines discounted for harvest weekend at Concannon Vineyard
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Full cases and half case discount

## **RUBY HILL WINERY**

400 Vineyard Avenue, Pleasanton

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: 2008 Chardonnay, 2008 Grapeful Red - Livermore Valley
- Special Tasting:** \$5.00 taste from either the Gold Reserve or Sliver flight
- Music:** Tank Half Full (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Barrel tasting with winemaker Chris Graves (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Jewelry by Cookie Lee, Barrel furnishings by Sewn Wild Oaks, Tastefully simple, Purses and more
- Food:** To be determined.
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - A bottle of champagne for \$1.00 with each case purchase of any wine.
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 10% off retail merchandise for the month with proof of ticket purchased

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## **RYHAN ESTATE VINEYARDS AND WINERY**

5385 East Ave., Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: To be determined day of the event (most will be complimentary)
- Special Tasting:** \$5 for most on wine flight
- Arts and Crafts:** Artisan Marshmallow, Jelly Photography, B.B. Buckles, Pampered Chef
- Wine Discounts:** Discounts Harvest: 15% off any case (mix and match)
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Malbec, 100% Malbec grape (medal winner)

## **TAMÁS ESTATES**

5489 Tesla Rd., Livermore.

- Wine:** Complimentary tasting: Tamás Estates produces sustainably grown estate wines, crafted for adventurous wine drinkers who are passionate about exploring new wines, places and experiences. The Tamás Estates portfolio offers a world of wines rooted in California, where the Mediterranean climate and gravelly soils of the Central Coast provide ideal winegrowing conditions for a diverse variety of grapes. Take the trip!
- Special Tasting:** Barrel tasting: Taste future Wente Family Estates (Murrieta's Well, Wente Vineyards & Tamás Estates) vintages (nominal fee)
- Music:** (Sunday) Georgi and the Rough Week; (Monday) The Front Porch Band
- Winery Activity:** Pinot Grigio Frappe – So cool you'll come back for more! (nominal fee)
- Food:** Strizzi's Restaurant offering their infamous Rigatoni bolognese; Cold Stone Creamery, Pleasanton, cool off with some refreshing ice cream; Scotty's Catering offering BBQ tri-tip and lemon grilled chicken sandwiches; Plus - Wente Vineyards Catering offering a variety of lunches and snacks for sale  
A no hassle, hands free wine glass holder (various designs & prices available)
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Special discounts on selected wines
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 2008 Sangiovese - 30% savings to wine club members, 20% savings to non-club members

## **THE SINGING WINEMAKER**

5143 Tesla Rd. Livermore

- Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Raspberry Sparkling, Late Harvest Zin
- Special Tasting:** \$5- Sherzando –Symphony grape with a touch of Muscat Canelli, Melody a blend of Cab, Merlot & Petite Sirah, Tawny Port wit Portugese varietals Touriga and Souzao. Tawny Port in a Chocolate cup for \$1.
- Music:** The Singing Winemaker and Friends (Sunday only)
- Winery Activity:** Live music and music trivia with The Singing Winemaker (Monday only)
- Arts and Crafts:** Cara's Gifts from the Heart- hand made jewelry, gifts. Cheryl's Fun & Funky Jewelry, Wine Country Designs fabric wine glass holder/necklace, Chilly Willy neck chillers, Santa Cruz Oil Paintings. Tesla Vintners gifts including Chocolate Tasting Cups, Lolita Glasses, funny party napkins, comical Linens that apply to everyone you know, designer Salt & Pepper shaker sets, Wine country style button down shirts for men. Wine themed shirts for women.
- Food:** Cabana Dave's
- Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Selected wines on sale Buy 1 bottle get the 2nd bottle 50% off.
- Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Buy 1 bottle get 2nd bottle 50% off. Including wines from Miramont Estate Vineyards, Marr Cellars, and The Singing Winemaker.

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## **THE STEVEN KENT WINERY**

5443 Tesla Road, Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: La Rochelle featured wines: 2009 Pinot Gris, 2007 Classic Clones Pinot Noir, 2007 Santa Lucia Highlands Pinot Noir, & a Special Pinot Noir Club Wine. Steven Kent featured wines: 2009 "Lola" Semillon/Sauvignon Blanc, 2008 Harvest Blend "Fratello" (red) - new release! 2007 Steven Kent Cabernet Sauvignon – new release! & a Special Steven Kent Club Wine.

**Special Tasting:** The Steven Kent Winery will feature a special Cabernet and cheese pairing in the air-conditioned Barrel Room for a nominal \$5.00 fee. This tasting will include: 2007 Steven Kent Home Ranch Cabernet Sauvignon, 2007 Steven Kent Ghilmetti Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon and the 2007 Smith Ranch Cabernet Sauvignon. Winemaker Steven Kent Mirassou will be on-hand to talk about the wines. Each wine will be paired with a specially selected artisan cheese.

**Music:** The Bacchus Brothers play Rock n' Roll (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** (available both days): Cabernet & Cheese Pairing in the Barrel Room \$5 (see above.) Meet the winemakers – Steven Kent Mirassou & Tom Stutz.

**Arts and Crafts:** Tres Classique Specialty Foods, Cookie Lee Jewelry, Mokulele Farms Kona Coffee. Free Tattoos! Swirl on the Square. VA Napa – Hand-made wine stave accessories.

**Food:** Uncle Frank's BBQ, Kara's Cupcakes

**Wine Discounts:** Buy any 6 bottles, Mix & Match, and save 25%. Join either the La Rochelle or Steven Kent Wine Club and receive a special discount!

**Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - Get a Complimentary Tasting Card with any wine purchase so you can come back and visit us for our "regular" tasting experience sometime in the future!

## **THOMAS COYNE WINERY**

51 East Vallecitos Rd., Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: 2008 Viognier, 2003 Syrah

**Special Tasting:** \$5 for additional five tastings: Grenache, Mourvedre, Quest, La Petit Quest, Petite Sirah

**Music:** Scott Magill - piano music by Jack Ludico Presents (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** Contra Costa Home Winemakers will discuss and demonstrate home winemaking (Monday only)

**Arts and Crafts:** Michele's Jewelry Box

**Food:** Sigi's Food and Catering

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Several case specials will be offered at discount.

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## WENTE VINEYARDS ESTATE WINERY

5565 Tesla Road, Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Many of the winery's award-winning wines will be available for tasting

**Special Tasting:** Taste 5th Generation Winemaker Karl Wente's handcrafted Nth Degree Cabernet Sauvignon (nominal fee). Barrel Tasting: Taste future vintages from Wente Family Estates - Wente

Vineyards, Tamás Estates & Murrieta's Well (nominal fee)

**Music:** (Sunday) Georgi and the Rough Week; (Monday) The Front Porch Band

**Winery Activity:** (Monday only) Meet 5th Generation Winemaker, Karl Wente. Join Karl for a Harvest Winery Tour 12:30 & 2:30 (limited space available) sign up in the Tasting Room  
Bottle Signing 1:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. inside the Tasting Room

**Food:** Strizzi's Restaurant offering their infamous Rigatoni bolognese; Cold Stone Creamery, Pleasanton, cool off with some refreshing ice cream; Scotty's Catering offering BBQ tri-tip and lemon grilled chicken sandwiches; Plus - Wente Vineyards Catering offering a variety of lunches and snacks for sale. Sample Wente Vineyards gourmet mustards  
A no hassle, hands free wine glass holder (various designs & prices available)

**Fine Art:** Presented by Edmee Keele; Handpainted Ceramics: Presented by Eugenia Zobel

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - Special discounts on selected wines

**Sept. Wine Discounts:** CA Wine Month - 2007 Small Lot Petite Sirah and 2006 Small Lot Livermore Cabernet Sauvignon: 30% savings to wine club members, 20% savings to non-club members

## WHITE CRANE WINERY

5405 Greenville Rd., Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: Winery 21 Cabernet, Sparkling

**Special Tasting:** Barrel tasting of Cabernet Franc, Port and Chardonnay

**Music:** Next Level Band, noon to 4 p.m. (Sunday only)

**Winery Activity:** Barrel tasting and futures sales (Monday only)

**Arts and Crafts:** Jewelry, art and more

**Food:** Variety of food vendors will be on hand

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% discount

## WOOD FAMILY VINEYARDS

7702 Cedar Mountain Drive, Livermore

**Wine:** Complimentary Tasting: 2009 Chardonnay Paro Mas Amigas; 2007 Zinfandel, Hanson Ranch Vineyard; 2005 Merlot, One Oak Vineyard; 2006 Syrah, Madden Ranch

**Special Tasting:** 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon, McGrail Vineyards and 2007 Old Vino Zinfandel, Raboli Vineyard along with Wood Family Vineyards Olive Oil tasting, \$5 fee

**Music:** Patty and Abigail, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.; (Monday): The Mundaze and Megan Slankard, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.

**Arts and Crafts:** My Sister's Jewelry by Terry Funke

**Food:** Chef's Touch Catering featuring their famous oak smoked tri-tip sandwiches, chicken Caesar salad and luscious fruit

**Wine Discounts:** Harvest Weekend - 10% case discount