

# EVENTS

Located less than an hour from Silicon Valley or San Francisco and the only wine country accessible by public transit (BART), historic Livermore Valley is home to more than 50 wineries. They range in size from 500-case boutiques to industry leaders Wente and Concannon, which have each celebrated more than 135 harvests. The Livermore Valley Winegrowers Association (LVWA) presents wine country experiences throughout the year. In addition to the region's signature events listed below, member wineries host a variety of events every month. Visit [LVwine.org](http://LVwine.org) for a full calendar of activities.

## FEBRUARY – NOVEMBER

Every Wednesday, one Livermore Valley winery is open from 5-8pm to help guests wine-down from a hefty work week or just grab a glass of wine before heading out to a fabulous dinner in Livermore Valley. Wine Wednesdays run through mid-November.



## MARCH

Follow the Painted Barrel Trail to visit wineries, meet winemakers and sample wines still in development—right out of the barrel. The hills are green, and vines are just beginning to bud, making it a beautiful time to explore wine country. Start your weekend with a gourmet winery brunch!



## JUNE

Bring Fido along for a day of wine tasting and pet-themed fun. Wineries partner with rescue groups to present dog adoptions, shopping, training demos and activities for man and his best friend.



## JULY

Livermore Valley's premiere food and wine affair spans four delectable days. On Thursday night, winemakers partner with Bay Area chefs to compete for honors in the annual quest for food and wine pairing excellence. Taste the array of pairings and cast your vote for the coveted People's Choice Award! Friday through Sunday, wineries host more intimate events – winemaker dinners, tasting seminars, vineyard tours, and more.



## LABOR DAY WEEKEND

On Sunday of Labor Day Weekend, wineries across the region celebrate the exciting crush season with wine tasting, arts, crafts and music at their tasting rooms. Wine lovers have come from all over the Bay Area and beyond for more than 35 years to enjoy this unique event.



## DECEMBER

Join us for a Livermore Valley Wine Country holiday tradition. Wineries showcase their decorated tasting rooms with special wines, arts, crafts, holiday music and activities. Donated toys are given to the local Toys for Tots program. Admission is free, but tasting fees may apply and vary by winery.

