

AMATEUR WINE COMPETITION

DIVISION 1 WHITE WINES - GRAPE

- Class 101 Chardonnay - Dry
- Class 102 Sauvignon Blanc - Dry
- Class 103 Other White - Specify - Dry
- Class 104 Other White - Specify - Sweet

DIVISION 2 - RED WINES - GRAPE

- Class 201 Barbera - Dry
- Class 202 Cabernet Sauvignon - Dry
- Class 203 Merlot - Dry
- Class 204 Petite Sirah - Dry
- Class 205 Sangiovese - Dry
- Class 206 Syrah - Dry
- Class 207 Zinfandel - Dry
- Class 208 Red Blends - Specify - Dry
- Class 209 Misc. Red - Dry

DIVISION 3 - OTHER WINES

- Class 301 - Any Blush Wine - Specify
- Class 302 - Sparkling - Specify
- Class 303 - Fruit/Exotic - Specify
- Class 304 - Dessert - Specify
- Class 305 - Misc. Red - Sweet

DIVISION 4 - LABEL COMPETITION

- Class 401 - Hand Drawn
- Class 402 - Computer Drawn

Two Labels per entry, one suitably framed on an 8"x10" mat board, one affixed to a bottle.

"Dry" wines contain less than 0.3% residual sugar.
 "Sweet" wines contain 0.3% or more, but less than 3% residual sugar. "Dessert" wines contain 3% or more residual sugar and 14% or more alcohol.

Classes and awards may be created or combined as deemed appropriate by management.



CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF GOOD TIMES

SAN JOAQUIN FAIR AMATEUR WINE COMPETITION



Open to Residents of
 CALIFORNIA

ENTRIES, FEES & BOTTLES DUE
 Saturday, May 15, 2010 at 5:00 p.m.

JUDGING
 Friday, June 4, 2010

ENTRY FEE - \$6.00 per entry

SPECIAL AWARDS

- BEST OF SHOW - WHITE - ROSETTE
- BEST OF SHOW - RED - ROSETTE
- BEST OF SHOW - OTHER - ROSETTE
- BEST OF SHOW - LABEL - ROSETTE

AWARDS PER CLASS

- AMERICAN SYSTEMS OF JUDGING
- 1ST PLACE 2ND PLACE 3RD PLACE
- ROSETTE

DANISH SYSTEM OF JUDGING

- GOLD
- SILVER
- BRONZE



Competition coordinated by
 Lodi Amateur Vintners Association
 209-368-6735

ENTRY FORM

I agree to abide by all the rules in this application and in the San Joaquin Fair Exhibitor's Guidebook.

Signature _____ Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

City, St., Zip _____

No. of Wine and/or label entries _____

Wine Variety: _____

Division #: _____ Class #: _____

Vintage Year: _____ Entry Fee: _____

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Make Checks Payable to: San Joaquin Fair.

sanjoaquinfair.com
 (209)466-5041
 email: fun@sanjoaquinfair.com

**AMATEUR WINE COMPETITION
BOTTLE TAG**
Attach one to each bottle

NAME: _____
Division: _____ Class No. _____
Class Name _____ Vintage Year _____

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RULES & INFORMATION

1. *This amateur wine competition is open to persons 21 years or older.*
2. Entries are limited to wines produced by amateur winemakers who are residents of California. An amateur is a person who does not work in a professional wine producing capacity (a commercial winery), or who is not an owner of a commercial winery.
3. To qualify as a varietal, wines must have a minimum of 75% of listed variety.

TO ENTER

1. Complete Entry Form and send or deliver one (1) bottle per entry, (750 ml or equivalent) of each amateur wine entry.
2. Entry fees are \$6.00 per entry. Checks only, please do not send cash. Make checks payable to the San Joaquin Fair. Send your entry fee with your shipment.
3. We must receive all amateur wine entries and fees beginning Monday, May 3, and no later than Saturday, May 22, 5:00 p.m. Please deliver or ship your entries to: Lodi Amateur Vintners Association, 9712 E. Jahant Rd., Acampo, CA 95220
4. All entries will be destroyed at the conclusion of the Fair.
5. Except for label entries, only Fair bottle tags are permitted on bottles. For each entry complete one bottle tag, cut out the tag and attach with a rubber band.
6. Pack your bottles carefully in a sturdy box. Line the inside of your carton with a plastic trash bag. Partition and pack each bottle with adequate packaging material. Do not over-pack! Write clearly: "Fragile, Glass. This Side Up" on the package. The package should weigh less than 25 pounds.
7. We cannot acknowledge receipt of entries - arrange for a return receipt with your shipping company if you wish to confirm delivery. Packages with postage due or C.O.D. charges will be returned to sender.
8. Results will be available on the web at www.lodiamateurvintners.org after June 16.
9. Results will be mailed to all entrants with score sheets and ribbons.