

CHATTER CREEK

Special barrel tasting June 19th, 11:00 to 4:30

Have you ever been tempted to pour two wines together just to see what might happen? Have you ever wanted to see how wine blends are assembled? What is the thought process a winemaker goes through when planning the next great wine? What does a winemaker do during the spring if he doesn't play golf? This is your chance to find out.

Spring is when new red wines really begin to show the full potential of the vintage. It is also when the winemaker begins to plan the assemblage of the up-coming blends. Gordy Rawson, winemaker for Chatter Creek, has begun blending the 2003 wines and is very excited about what he sees so far.

The quality of the 2003 Syrah and Cabernet Franc, both destined for this fall's bottling, looks likely to surpass quality of the 2002 vintage. The 2002 Cabernet Sauvignon is ready to bottle, and it is a wine so well balanced that it's hard to pick apart the five components that comprise the blend. Compare it to the 2003 Cabernet Sauvignon - awake after its winter slumber and nearly ready for blending.

June 19th is your chance to try your hand at the art of blending wine. Enjoy this rare opportunity to see all the components of all the wines, in barrel, before they are blended, as well as the opportunity to impress your friends and family with your extensive knowledge of wine.

This is your chance to come play!

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Malbec, Petit Verdot,
Syrah, Grenache, Viognier, Barbara, Pinot Gris.

Come by and have a first look at our new look.
Check out all the different reds, vinted last fall, straight from the barrel.
Enjoy current wines and new releases, all available for tasting and sale.
And if you feel like it, try your hand at blending!

From the north. Take I-5 to the NE 50th St. exit, turn left on to 50th St., go across the freeway, turn left on to 7th Ave and go to 55th St. Turn left and park.

From the south and SR520. Take I-5 to the NE 50th St exit. This will put you on 7th Ave. Stay on 7th Ave across 50th to 55th St. Turn left and park.

The white house with green trim is our home. The winery entrance is around in back of the house.