



Cogdal Vineyards Little Man Club Notes

2022 Volume IV (December)



Seasons greetings! It is always a pleasure to talk to everyone and reminisce on your visits. Hope you have a happy, relaxed festive season and we look forward to seeing you next year.

The wines from harvest have completed fermenting and are outside, just starting cold stabilization. Wines need to spend 2-4 days at a temperature below 24 degrees to prevent tartaric acid from forming after the wine has been bottled. Although the wines have many stages left, the initial samplings from the barrels are very promising. Many wines will be able to be tasted at our release party, but some will need further aging.

During 2022 we erected a new stage for our music and expanded our outdoor sunshade area. We also added 2 outdoor fire pits. This year we will construct an additional covered area that is protected from the rain.

For the past 2 years we have been serving our tastings as a flight. This allowed tastings to be enjoyed outdoors. An overwhelming number of you have preferred this option. However, we do miss the interaction with those wanting to know more. This year our goal is to be more available to answer questions and help make your visit more enjoyable.

It's the off season, we have limited hours, and you need wine. Just for you we will continue our FREE shipping promotion. The online ordering system at cogdalvineyards.com is updated with free shipping.

The Wednesday Evening Summer Music Series will be back and expanded this year. The start date is June 14 and will continue through August 30. We plan to bring back crowd favorites plus musicians who are new to the winery. On Wednesday music days we will be open until 8pm, with music starting at 6pm. We also will have a food truck on Wednesdays to pair with your wine and music. Food trucks will typically arrive around 5pm. Our planning is in process and we hope to have the complete music and food schedule by March.

Other major events are: 9th Anniversary Party - Sunday, July 16; Wine Release Party - Saturday, April 29; Yoga/Groove Dance - see website; Specialty Craft Classes - see website. We have also hosted some great private events for 20-40 people. Let us know if you are interested in using the winery for your next event.

We take pride and satisfaction in providing a welcoming and relaxed environment for you to enjoy your precious time off in our winery. We always look forward to good times with friends and creating new relationships.

Thanks! Deb and Jack

Hours: Noon to 5pm

December: Open 12/16, 12/17, 12/18; 12/24 (noon to 3); 12/30 (noon to 4)

January: Closed; Re-open for Ice Breaker Friday, 2/3

February, March, and April: Open Friday, Saturday, Sunday (closed 4/9)

Open Daily Starting May 4

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