

SONG HILL WINERY



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Wine Club Newsletter

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Hello all! As the winter is fizzling out, and the slow spring is coming, the vineyard is biding its time waiting for warm days and sun to wake it up. In the meantime we'll finish up our pruning so the vineyards are ready to go as soon as the weather cooperates.



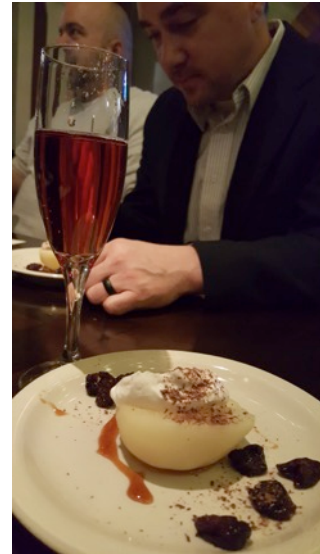
Our wine club releases this month are our very first Rieslings. We don't usually make Riesling since our focus is Cabernet Franc, Chardonnay and Pinot Noir; however, in 2016 our wonderful growers at White Pine Vineyard had a fantastic crop of Riesling and we were blessed to be able to purchase some. As usual, the work of Matt Hanlon and Serena Michels was evident in both the quality of the fruit and in the wine. Sometimes, as winemakers, our work and process can help accentuate the good qualities of a particular vintage. In this instance, we needed to do little more than guide the fruit through fermentation and a short aging in tank. We think you'll find the full expression of this wine in both the dry and semi-dry styles. Enjoy!

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Upcoming Events. In January, we had a wonderful wine dinner at Roam Café. Roam's chef, Peter Fuino prepared an amazing and vegan-friendly dinner that appealed to herbivores and omnivores alike. We have some other events coming down the pike for you to look forward to:

April 14, 4:30p-6:30p: Come by Wags Dog Club (700 Mile Crossing Blvd, Rochester) and bring your puppy for their Puppy Play and Pour event where you can sample and buy our wines as well as other craft local beverages and play with puppies! Fun for all!

April 22, 11:00a-3:00p: Come to the Soleil Wellness barn (2011 Bennett Rd, Victor) for a trunk show with Organica Jane essential oils, clothing designer Tracey and Company and jewelry designer Talulah's Fancy. We will be sampling and selling!



Save the Date: We are hoping to do at least two festivals this year and the first one is scheduled for **Saturday, June 16 from 2pm to 6pm.** Mark your calendars and come enjoy live music, appetizers, wine, and vineyard tours. We can't wait to see you.

