

HOME WINEMAKERS COMPETITION

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM



CONTEST RULES:

- Any customer of Ten Thousand Vines is eligible to enter.
- All wines being entered must be made at home without the use of commercial winery equipment.
- A limit of three wines may be entered per customer.
- There is an entry fee of \$5 per customer.
- Entry Deadline is Friday September 9, 2016 at 6 PM.
- Bottles must be sealed and must be at least 375 ml in size.
- Wine and entry form can be dropped off at the winery during normal store hours.
- Winners will be announced at an Awards Reception and via email and posted on our website.
- Participants and their guests are invited to the Awards Reception on September 22 at 7 PM at the winery.
- Medals will be awarded in the categories of Best Red, White, Fruit and Label Design.
- All participants agree to allow Ten Thousand Vines to use their name, hometown, and any photos of the event for publicity purposes.

Required Information

NAME:

WINE BEING ENTERED:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

HOMETOWN:

Optional Information (Vintage, Country of Origin...):

Description	Score	Comments
CLARITY (2 Points)		
Brilliant, star bright, crystal bright	= 2.0	
Clear, clean	= 1.5	
Translucent, slightly dull	= 1.0	
Cloudy, hazy, sediment, turbid	= 0.5	
COLOR (2 Points)		
Typical for type and age	= 2.0	
Nearly correct, attractive	= 1.5	
Slightly off, too dark, too light	= 1.0	
Off, maderized, brown, no color	= 0.5	
BOUQUET (4 Points)		
Varietal, complex, flowery	= 4.0	
Fruity, pronounced, developed	= 3.0	
Clean, pleasant, scented, delicate	= 2.0	
Simple, underdeveloped, elusive	= 1.0	
Defective, off	= 0.0	
TOTAL ACIDITY (1 Point)		
Balanced, appropriate	= 1.0	
Slightly low, slightly high	= 0.5	
Flabby, insipid, tart, vinegary	= 0.0	
SWEETNESS (1 Point)		
Appropriate, balanced, normal	= 1.0	
Slightly sweet, slightly lacking	= 0.5	
Syrupy, very lacking	= 0.0	
BODY/TEXTURE (2 Points)		
Appropriate, velvety, silky	= 2.0	
Smooth, even, pleasant	= 1.5	
Thin, heavy, uneven, awkward	= 1.0	
Rough, course, clumsy	= 0.5	
FLAVOR/TASTE (2 Points)		
Varietal, complex, mature	= 2.0	
Fruity, layered, robust, rich	= 1.5	
Agreeable, clean, simple	= 1.0	
Off, chemical, lacking	= 0.5	
BITTERNESS (1 Point)		
Normal, balanced, appropriate	= 1.0	
Slightly bitter	= 0.5	
Off, bitter, harsh	= 0.0	
FINISH (1 Point)		
Long lasting, appropriate for age	= 1.0	
Tapering, nearly correct	= 0.5	
Short, harsh, off	= 0.0	
QUALITY (4 Points)		
Noble, elegant, grand, distinguished	= 4.0	
Charming, stylish, fine, graceful	= 3.0	
Skillfully made, finesse, sound	= 2.0	
No exceptional features	= 1.0	
TOTAL SCORE		