



Santiam Wine & Bistro
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Merry Christmas- I hope you all feel the excitement of the season, whether your joy is the great outdoors, faith, family, friends, great food or amazing wine...make each and every moment count and add up to happiness for you and your loved ones.

We are going to deck the halls around here!
Join us for some great wine tastings and amazing specials

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
From the Grand Cru at Santiam Wine Company

Please read our calendar below for our tasting schedule and store closures

Purchase our Cheap & Cheerful Six packs

We stepped it up a notch for December!

December 2018 Wine Tasting Calendar:

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1ST WINE TASTING 11-4

December Cheap & Cheerful Lunch special Deluxe Cheese burgers

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH 4-8 PM PRICE TBD

WHITE WEDNESDAY LET'S START THIS MONTH OFF RIGHT!

BUBBLY ROSE TASTING TO BEGIN THE DECK THE HALLS

STEAMER CLAMS, LINGUINI, PARSLEY, GARLIC & WINE SAUCE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7TH 4-8 PM PRICE TBD

SOUTHERN RHONE 2016 CHATEAUNUEF DU PAPE EXTRAORDINARY
VINTAGE DINNER SPECIAL CIOPPINO

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8TH NOON-4 CHEAP & CHEERFUL FREE

TASTING 6 WINES FROM THE DECEMBER CHEAP & CHEERFUL

SATURDAY LUNCH SPECIAL: DELUXE CHEESE BURGERS & HOMEMADE
TRUFFLE FRENCH FRIES

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12TH 4-8 PM PRICE: TBD

TASTING SAUVIGNON BLANC FROM AROUND THE GLOBE DINNER
SPECIAL OYSTER STEW

GET YOUR WINE SHIPPING DONE SOON!! WE SHIP!

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14TH FROM 4-8 P.M.

Tasting Zinfandel and blends dinner: BBQ Pork Ribs

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15TH OPEN 10-6 PM TASTING

LEFTOVERS LUNCH SPECIAL DELUXE CHEESE BURGERS & HOMEMADE
TRUFFLE FRIES 11-4

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19TH 4-8 PM PRICE: TBD

CHARDONNAY FROM AROUND THE GLOBE & CRAB CAKES

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21ST 4-8 PM PRICE: TBD

PINOT NOIR FROM AROUND THE GLOBE. DINNER SPECIAL COQ
AU VIN WITH CHICKEN THIGHS.

CALENDAR CONTINUED...

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22TH 10-6 P.M.

FREE TASTING SIX LUNCH SPECIAL FROM 11-4 PM: DELUXE
CHEESE BURGERS & HOMEMADE TRUFFLE FRENCH FRIES...GOOD
SOUP DAY!

BIG SHOPPING DAY!

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23RD RETAIL OPEN! CRAB CHOWDER
& MINISTRONE SOUP AVAILABLE**

**FREE GIFT BAGS, TISSUE & BOWS WITH EACH WINE PUR-
CHASE TODAY!**

MONDAY, CHRISTMAS EVE OPEN 11- 3 PM

RETAIL SHOPPING & SOUP AVAILABLE!

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH CLOSED

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26TH CLOSED

THURSDAY OPEN 11-8 PM OPEN

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE: TBD

**CHAMPAGNE TASTING & CABERNET SAUVIGNON TASTING
YOUR CHOICE! PRIME RIB THIS IS OUR NEW YEARS EVE
CELEBRATION! JOIN US!**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29TH 11- TO 4 P.M. FREE TASTING
LEFTOVERS!**

LUNCH SPECIAL PRIME RIB DIPS & FRENCH FRIES

MONDAY. DECEMBER 31ST CLOSED

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1ST CLOSED

**HAPPY NEW YEAR! WE ARE BACK ON WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY 2ND WITH WINE TASTING**

December Red Nose 2018 Cheap & Cheerful Red six-pack AKA C&C 6-pack: \$75.60

In this month's hand-picked and well rounded, Cheap & Cheerful Six-Packs. You will find incredible wine values from around the globe. The price reflects **10%** off if you buy the following six wines Red or White — your reward for trusting me. These wines are ready and waiting for you to pick-up! Mix the white and red up if you wish! **(These wines can be purchased individually or by the case!) The Wine Club without rules! But, it does RULE! Something for everyone! We have a red bow to tie on your December Cheap & Cheerful! GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT!**

2017 Delas Cote du Ventoux Southern France \$11

Delas has done a good job with their Ventoux over the years, and the 2017 Ventoux is perhaps their best yet. It offers hints of concrete dust or crushed stone layered over subtle cherry aromas. The unoaked 80-20 blend of Grenache and Syrah is medium-bodied, with a velvety feel and dried spices and Bing cherries on the silky finish. At the suggested retail of \$11, it's a screaming bargain. **90 Points Wine Advocate**

2016 Cline Ancient Vine Zinfandel Contra Costa County \$16

Lively and supple, with floral raspberry and fresh pepper aromas and sleekly appealing cherry and licorice flavors that glide lightly along the finish. Drink now through 2022. **91 Points Wine Spectator Top 100: 2018, Rank: 40**

2016 Pendulum Cabernet Sauvignon WA \$16 While it lasts!

Sleek and well-defined, with expressive black cherry and savory spice flavors that finish with polished tannins. Drink now through 2023. **90 Points Wine Spectator Top 100: 2018, Rank: 82**

2016 Bieler Family "Born to Run Cabernet Sauvignon Saint Helena WA. Fruit \$12

When he was 22 Charles Bieler dropped out of school, painted a 1965 Cadillac Deville pink, and drove it straight into a wine industry he knew nothing about. For two years he lived out of his Caddy, touring the country and selling his father's rosé out of the trunk. Over 20 years later and he still runs on that same passion and hustle. The result is a rich, soft California cabernet sauvignon blended with dark brooding and structured cabernet sauvignon from Washington State. A gorgeous blend that's all its own and more complex than its parts. So get in. Put the top down. And never look back.

2016 Z. Alexander Brown Cabernet Sauvignon \$15

Z. Alexander Brown Cabernet Sauvignon unfolds with rich aromas of black cherry, mocha and sweet toasted oak notes. Bold tannins frame a powerful mid-palate layered with mouth-filling flavors of black cherry and milk chocolate. Smooth and balanced, an elegant finesse defines the long and lingering finish.

2015 Benziger Cabernet Sauvignon Sonoma County \$14

Sonoma County, CA- This Sonoma County Cabernet Sauvignon has aromas of dark fruit and rich earth. In the mouth the wine is smooth and balanced with a full body and lasting finish. Enjoy this Cabernet with grilled meats, hearty stew or eggplant ragout.

December 2018 Snow White Cheap & Cheerful Cost \$64.80

2017 Domaine Labbé Aymes Vin de Savoie France \$13 Green apples!

2017 Domaine Duffour Cotes De Gascogne France \$10 Pure pleasure!

2017 Christopher Michael Pinot Gris, Oregon \$11 Wow!

2017 Pike Road Pinot Gris Oregon \$12 Nice!

2017 Leese Fitch Chardonnay CA \$11 Buttery!

A to Z Wine Work Pink Bubbles Oregon \$15 Festive!



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December 2018

Santiam Wine & Bistro Hours

Tuesday 11-7 PM

Wednesday 11-8 PM

Thursday 11-8 PM

Friday 11-8 PM

Saturday Retail 10 AM –6 PM

Saturday Lunch 11-4 PM

Dinner Specials:

Wednesday & Friday 4-8 PM

Wine tasting:

Wednesday-White Wines 4-8 PM

SPECIALTY ITEMS AVAILABLE AT SANTIAM WINE & BISTRO

CHOCOLATE TRUFFLES BY SHAUNA HODGES, DRIED MEATS OUT OF PORTLAND-CREMINELLI WILD BOAR, * SPECIALTY CHEESES FROM AROUND THE GLOBE * CORONA BEANS

- * CASINA ROSSO BLACK TRUFFLE SEASALT, VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT, LUSTAU SOLERA VINAGRE COOKING SHERRY**
- *LEMON INFUSED OLIVE OIL *VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT**
- * ITALIAN, SPANISH OLIVE OIL, RIEDLE GLASSWARE**
- MALETTI BALSAMIC VINEGAR**

SHERRY WINE VINEGAR * MARSALA* GIFT BASKETS * SHIPPING BOXES * SHIPPING AVAILABLE * GIFT CERTIFICATES! * YOU CAN ALSO PURCHASE OUR MARINATED NUTS, OLIVES, CAPER BERRIES OR FRESHLY SLICED GOURMET CHEESES, DEMI FRENCH BAGUETTES —

PRICES POSTED AT THE STORE.

TO GO ORDERS AVAILABLE!