



Here we go...into my 7th year! Thank you! To kick off the year, in January we went barrel tasting 2009 Pinot Noir at Ken Wright Cellars in Carlton — what a great day! The wines were all showing amazing depth and energy for so early on; another great vintage! Ken has new labels for each of his single vineyard bottles; they uniquely depict the laborers and intensive work that takes place in the vineyard... with a sense of humor!

I am offering you futures! I am purchasing 2009 Ken Wright, Shea Vineyard, Abbott Claim, Canary Hill, Carter Vineyard & Freedom Hill, Guadalupe & McCrone for \$240 per 6 pack, IF you order and prepay before February 10th. These wines will be available in December of 2010.

(Only sold in packs of 6 from each single vineyard) Great buy!

Best Regards, Debbie

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STORE HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY: 11AM - 6PM
SATURDAY: 10AM - 6PM

TASTING HOURS:
4 TIL' 7PM

FRIDAYS THIS MONTH:
FEB. 5TH, 12TH, 19TH, 26TH
EVERY FRIDAY THIS MONTH

CLOSED FEB. 15TH
PRESIDENTS DAY OBSERVED
& ERIKA'S BIRTHDAY!

COMPLIMENTARY WINE

TASTINGS EVERY
SATURDAY 12-4PM!
PLEASE JOIN US!

Debbie's
Recommended Wines

FYI: the 2008 vintage of Oregon Pinot Noir is outstanding and I highly recommend that you stock up on these gems while you can!

2008 Bergstrom Willamette Valley Pinot

Noir: \$25

Wow! You don't want to miss this super value! Shea Vineyards and Bergstrom vineyard fruit - a rare wine indeed at this price. Brimming with rich fruit and a taste of the terroir [tehr-WAH/r] from these two highly regarded sites. Very limited.

2008 Evening Land Pinot Noir WV, OR: \$25

One of Wine & Spirits Top 100 Wineries of 2009. Burgundy superstar Dominique Lafon is the consulting winemaker for all of Evening

Land's Oregon wines, and her influence comes through on this excellent 2008. Eschewing cultivated yeasts for natural fermentations and utilizing 20% whole cluster fruit from vineyards in Southern Oregon (50%), the Eola-Amity Hills (30%) and the Dundee Hills (20%), the wine is decidedly Burgundian in style, with great fruit and wonderful underlying acidity and smoky volcanic minerality. An impressive wine for the price.

For your Valentine! Choco Vine from Holland: only \$10

ChocoVine is a fine French Cabernet subtly combined with rich dark chocolate from Holland, paired together to create a decadent, silky smooth drink. It can be served chilled on the rocks or as a main ingredient to an array of sinful cocktails. Smooth, rich and oh, so good! Rich in antioxidants and gluten free.

WINE TASTING SCHEDULE

Please mark your calendar! We provide Cascade Baking Company Rustic French baguettes at our Friday tastings!

SATURDAY, JAN. 30TH 12-4

Six Wines from the Feb. C & C Wines.

FRIDAY, FEB 5TH

Oregon Pinot Noir 2008 Great Vlaues!
Including the two featured wines!

SATURDAY, FEB 6ND

The other wines from the February Cheap & Cheerful Six-pack!

FRIDAY, FEB 12TH 4-7 PRICE: TBD

Prosecco (Italian bubbly) & Valpocella...Amarone...yes, Italian! Bring your bride!

SATURDAY, FEB. 13TH 12-4 FREE!

Sweetheart wines Riesling, Chardonnay, zinfandel, Merlot and a ChocoVine!
Chocolate Cake and more!

FRIDAY, FEB. 19TH 4-7 PRICE: TBD

Chile the new hot spot wine region!

SATURDAY, FEB. 20TH 12-4 FREE!

German Rieslings

FRIDAY, FEB. 26TH 4-7 PRICE TBD

Spanish Wines-Tempranillo & Grenache

SATURDAY, FEB. 27TH 12-4 FREE!

Six of the March Cheap & Cheerful Wines.

* WINE TAGS FOR YOUR WINE CELLAR

* ITALIAN & SPANISH OLIVE OILS (STOP BY FOR A TASTE!)

* MALETTI BALSAMIC VINEGAR & LUSTAU SHERRY WINE VINEGAR*

DRIPLLESS POUR SPOUTS * GIFT BASKETS * GIFT BAGS

*SHIPPING BOXES * VINTURI WINE AERATOR

*JOEL PALMER WHITE TRUFFLE OIL *O'DOLLA COFFEE ROASTERS

* DECORTIVE PEWTER BOTTLE STOPPERS

* WILLAMETTE VALLEY CHEESE ROGUE VALLEY CREAMERY

*CASINA ROSSO BLACK TRUFFLE, FENNEL AND PORCINI SEASALTS

VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT *EASY WINE OPENERES

*VACUVIN WINE SAVER AND EXTRA CORKS * RITROVO SALT OR TRUF-

FLE XOCOLATE SHIPPING AVAILABLE * GIFT CERTIFICATES!

February 2010 Red Cheap & Cheerful 6-pack: \$ 56.75. (9.45 per bottle) WOW!

In this month's hand-picked Cheap and Cheerful Six packs are incredible wine values from France, Spain & Italy. The price reflects 10% off if you buy the following six wines — your reward for trusting me. These wines are easy, ready and waiting for you to pick-up! Mix the white and red up if you wish!

Don't forget to recycle your 6 pack boxes and get .50 off your next 6-pack!

2008 Di Majo Norante IGT Sangiovese Terre Degli Osci Molise, Italy: \$10

The 2008 Sangiovese Terre degli Osci is an incredibly delicious, full-bodied wine with gorgeous clarity and definition. Made in a bold, fruit-driven style, the wine offers terrific depth and a long, polished finish. This harmonious red is a knockout! Anticipated maturity: 2009-2012. **(90 - Robert Parker)**

2007 El Burro Kickass Garnacha Spain: \$10

The 2005 El Burro "Kickass" Garnacha was fermented in tank and barrel aged 4 months in American oak. Tasting like a village Cotes du Rhone, this purple colored wine has aromas of kirsch and garrigue, ripe cherry and jammy red currant flavors, and enough structure to last for 3-5 years. It's an excellent value. Cute label too!

2005 Realeza Tempranillo Spain: \$10

Color Ruby with light violet touches, clean and bright. Aroma: Broad and fruity, aroma with soft vanilla tones from its upbringing in new American oak. Notes of cherry and blackberries. Taste: Balanced, velvety, with body and a long aftertaste.

2007 Monchiero Barbera d'Alba France: \$13

Dark red. Smoky aromas of game, leather, tobacco and earth. Silky-sweet and rich, with strong extract and somewhat rustic flavors of red berries, leather and earth. Nice texture, mouth filling and lush on the end. Super value!

2006 Buisson-Redon Bordeaux, France: \$9

Merlot & Cabernet Franc, Château bottled. Soft wine, fruity with some maturity and rounded mouth-filling style. Well-made wine offering exceptional value for money. And not only do we think it is good - it is also a regular medal winner!

2008 Podere Ruggeri Corsini Matot Italy: \$11.

Made from 60% Dolcetto the rest Barbera & Nebbiolo this is a sure winner! Richly fruity, with silky tannins. It Has a bit of earth and will be an excellent wine to drink with your favorite pizza pie! should be drunk over the next 1-2 years. They say this wine was produced for Oregon and Germany...Oregon does consume a vast amount of Italian wines I think that is because we have great Italian wine importers in this state!

February 2010 White Cheap & Cheerful 6-pack: \$60.

- 2008 Independent Producers Hedes Cellars Chardonnay, WA: \$10 Tasty!
 - 2008 Chateau De La Cantrie Muscadet Serve et Maine France: \$9 Lively !
 - 2008 Pine Ridge ForeFront Sauvignon Blanc, CA: \$14 Quenching!
 - 2008 Siltstone Guadalupe Vineyard Pinot Gris, OR: \$14.50 Yummy!
 - 2008 Picada 15 White Blend (50% Chard, 45% Sauv Blanc & 5% Pinot Noir) Argentina: \$10 Refreshing! Pinot?
 - 2008 Corvidae Wise Guy Sauvignon Blanc, Yakima Valley WA: \$9. Pleasing!
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