



# Big Bang Club Newsletter

## April 2010

### Mark Your Calendars!

The Next Wine Club Delivery/Pick Up  
**Friday, May 28th, 2010**

#### Cork Cellars Discount Policy

##### 10% Tuesdays

Receive 10% off 3 or more bottles every Tuesday (in store only)

##### 10% off

Always receive 10% off 6 or more bottles (mixed okay)

##### 10% Over Cost

Receive 10% over cost on full case orders (no mixed)

You'll find all our past newsletters  
online at:  
[www.corkcellars.com/wine\\_club.php](http://www.corkcellars.com/wine_club.php)

### UPCOMING MAY EVENTS

Live Music - The Quon's  
Sat., May 15th: 7-9pm. free.

Wine Tasting - Zerba Reserve Tasting  
Thurs., May 20th: 5-8pm. \$6 fee.

Live Music - JZ  
Sat., May 22nd: 7-9pm. free.

*A new look and a new line up...*

We're always looking to improve our  
products and services.  
NEW things soon to come...

Live music on Sunday's this summer  
NEW to-go items - gourmet cheeses  
and meats, microbrews and more  
NEW Happy Hour Tastings

### Reorder past wine club selections VIA EMAIL OR PHONE

Just email [emily@corkcellars.com](mailto:emily@corkcellars.com) or call 549.2675 and let me know your order.  
We'll deliver it with your next club delivery or have it available for you to pick up at the shop.

### Previous Wine Club Selections

#### March 2010

Red: Misiones de Rengo Carmenere (AR) Retail \$10 / 6 or more: \$9 / case price \$96

White: Thurston Wife PGV (WA) Retail \$10 / 6 or more: \$9 / case price \$96

#### February 2010

Red: Leese Fitch Merlot (CA) Retail \$10 / 6 or more: \$9 / case price \$96

White: Huntington Chardonnay (WA) Retail \$10 / 6 or more: \$9 / case price \$96

#### January 2010

Red: La Chaussyne Rouge (FR) Retail \$10 / 6 or more: \$9 / case price \$108

White: Primarius Pinot Gris (OR) **Currently SOLD OUT**

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Cork Cellars Wine Bar & Bottle Shop. 161A Elm St. Downtown Sisters.  
549-2675. [www.corkcellars.com](http://www.corkcellars.com)

## McKinley Springs Bombing Range Red (Washington) - \$16 ON SALE \$10

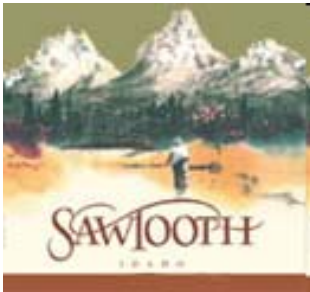
**From the Winery:** This blend of estate Cabernet Sauvignon (78%), Cabernet Franc (10%), Syrah (8%) and Mourvèdre (4%) is our tribute to our troops and the Horse Heaven Hills' colorful history. The area was used as a fighter pilot training ground during World War II.

**Tasting Notes:** A deep garnet wine with raspberry and blueberry jam aromas and hints of violet and cinnamon. Rich black berry, mocha and currant flavors with a silky finish.

**Serve with:** This is a great food wine -- enjoy it with a Texas brisket style BBQ sandwich (hint - try it with Slick's BBQ!) or vegetable stew.



## Sawtooth Viognier (Idaho) - \$10



**From the Winery:** The nice fruit flavors of the Viognier blend well with the rich, intense mouth feel of Roussanne to produce a wine that is a terrific food wine but also very nice by itself. This wine was 50% barrel fermented in older oak cooperage and sur lie aged for 5 months to bring rich creamy flavors to the mouth. 50% was cool fermented in tank to preserve the crisp fruit flavors of Viognier.

**Tasting Notes:** 83% Viognier, 17% Roussanne. Aromas of ripe pear, apple, with hints of honey, mineral and yeast. Crisp acidity proceed rich, flavors and a creamy finish. While this wine has hints of sweet notes, it has less than .1% residual sugar - hence a dry finish!

## First Installment of "Did You Know?"

Welcome to the first "Did You Know" section - something I'd like to share with you about wine, products, sipping, and more.  
Look for more fun and exciting tid-bits about Cork Cellars and wine.

**Wine Tasting is FUN!** Spending a couple days in wine country is the best way to learn more about wines - wine country is not far in any direction from Central Oregon - west about 2.5 hours to the Willamette Valley, northeast about 4.5 hours to Walla Walla Valley, or about south 4 hours to the Applegate Valley. Whichever direction you choose, good wine is waiting! For suggestions on places to stay, wineries to visit, and places to eat, don't hesitate to stop in and ask! All of us at Cork Cellars are happy to talk about our favorite places! Can't visit Wine Country? **Cork Cellars always has great wines on the wine list to try - taste 4 wines for just \$6!** The awesome thing about our tasting is 1. you pick which ever 4 look good to you, 2. our list changes about every week, so there is always a new wine to discover, 3. wine tasting is a great way to evolve your wine knowledge and discover new wines at all different price ranges, and 4. love a wine and then you can get a glass to savor!

Wine tasting can be fun over a weekend trip - or just as fun at Cork Cellars without having to travel! Right here in Sisters, we bring great wines from all over the Northwest to you. In just a short drive, you can be tasting unique brands that we personally have selected for you to enjoy. We look forward to serving you! As always, enjoy! Emily, Mark, and Nora Pelletier

### Tasting Notes

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