

RULES AND REGULATION

ELIGIBILITY: 1 Open to all members of the Alabama Wineries and Grape Growers Association in good standing.

Exceptions:

1. Commercial winemakers.
 2. Wine judges
2. Entry fee is \$10.00 dollars first entry and \$5.00 dollars for each Additional entry.
 3. Each bottle must be labeled with the following information:
Your name; category; wine ingredient (grape); vintage and percentage if a blend. Also indicate grown in Alabama if that applies.
 4. Send one bottle per entry.
Sparkling wine must be in Champagne bottles with proper wire closure.
 5. Entry deadline is April 15, 2010 for wine to arrive.
Wine can be delivered to any Alabama winery that is a member of Alabama wine & Grape Growers Association.
Please be advised that it is illegal to ship wine via the U.S. Postal Service if they are aware that you are shipping wine.
However, for those of you who like to mail wine entry, it can be Mailed to Bryant Vineyard, 1454 Griffith Bend Road, Talladega, Alabama 35160.
 6. Wine entry forms with fees can be mailed to;

AWGA, PMB 106, 3584 Highway 31 South, Pelham, Alabama
35124-2034

Category 1- Red American, Dry: Native or American hybrid Concord, Steuben, Cynthiana, Muscadine, ect. (or Blends)

Category 2-Red American, Sweet: Native or American Hybrid Concord, Steuben, Cynthiana, Muscadine, ect. (or Blends)

Category 3- White American, Dry: Native or American Hybrid Niagra, Duchess, Carlos, Magnolia, ect. (or Blends)

Category 4- White American, Sweet: Native or American Hybrid Niagra, Duchess, Carlos, Magnolia, ect. (Or Blends)

Category 5 – Red Hybrid, Dry: French Hybrids Chancellor, Chambourcin, Foch, ect. (or Blends)

Category 6 – Red Hybrid, Sweet: French Hybrids Chancellor, Chambourcin, Foch, ect. (or Blends).

Category 7 – White Hybrid, Dry: French Hybrids Cayuga, Seyval, Vidal, ect. (or Blends)

Category 8 – White Hybrid, Sweet: French Hybrids Cayuga, Seyval, Vidal, ect. (or Blends)

Category 9 – Red Vinifera, Dry: Cabernet, Sauvignon, Merlot, Zinfandel, ect. (or Blends).

Category 10 – Red Vinifera, Sweet: Cabernet, Sauvignon, Merlot, Zinfandel, ect. (or Blends).

Category 11 – White Vinifera, Dry: Chardonnay, Riesling, Sauvignon Blanc, ect. (or Blends).

Category 12 – White Vinifera, Sweet: Chardonnay, Riesling, Sauvignon Blanc, ect. (or Blends).

Category 13 – Grape Rose / Blush: Color must be appropriate sweet or dry.

Category 14 – Fruit Rose / Blush: Color must be appropriate sweet or dry. Blends should go into the dominate (over 50 %) class.

Category 15 – Non Grape – Fruit: Apples, Peaches, Pears, ect. Sweetness can vary.

Category 16 – Non Grape – Berries: Blackberry, Strawberry, ect. Sweetness can vary.

Category 17 – Sparkling: These wines should have a good quality as lasting effervescence. Yeasty bouquets are not necessarily a negative characteristic. Sweet can vary. They can be made from any grape or non-grape products. (Examples: Chardonnay, Apples, Vidal, ect.).

Category 18 – Fortified Wines: These wines must have 14 % alcohol per volume. (Examples: Port, Sherries, Brandys, ect.).