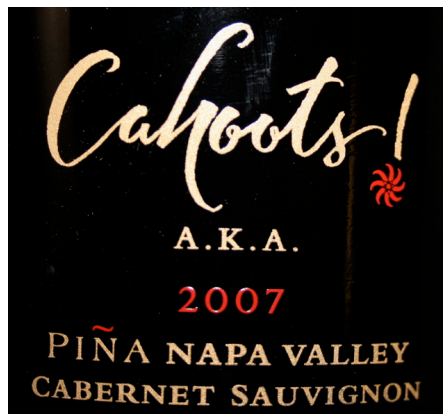


PIÑA NAPA VALLEY

Officials declare: Piña in Cahoots!

Cahoots is the newest wine to our stellar collection. Created by our wine-making team in 2007, this is a secret collaboration of wines that is sure to please anyone. All 260 cases of this amazing wine are being sold out of the winery at \$45 a bottle with a 10% discount on cases purchases and they are moving fast. Share the spirit of Cahoots with your loved ones this holiday season!

"The 2007 Cahoots Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon has a core of ripe Bing cherry, currant and boysenberry fruit. The palate exhibits flavors of dark fruit, chocolate and subtle oak followed by soft tannins on the finish. This balanced wine is very approachable and ready to drink now."
Winemaker~Anna Monticelli



Tasting Room News

Greetings from the tasting room. As the holiday season approaches, we are in a chipper mood and have decided to open up some of our small single vineyard cabernet's. If you have never had a chance to try wines from our Rutherford Firehouse, Oakville Ames, Yountville Wolff or our Stone Corral vineyards, now is the time. As always, please call us at 707.738.9328 for an appointment.



Lastly, we couldn't think of a better way of celebrating the holiday's, than with a Holiday Sale. From now until Dec. 31st 2009, we are offering our 2006 D'Adamo Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon at a 25% discount. This wine is perfect for any occasion and sure to be a holiday hit. For ordering please contact Denise at 707.738.9328 or by email at denise@pinanapavalley.com

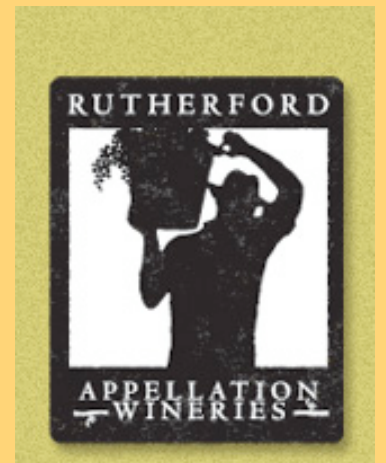
2009 Harvest, It's a Wrap

Harvest 2009 is finished. Overall our yields are up from the very light 2008 vintage. We originally thought we would have an even larger crop but ultimately our yields were still below average. When we began harvest, our earliest ripening vineyards came in about 1-2 weeks later than in the past 2 years. Slowly, the other vineyards caught up and were harvest approximately at the same time as they were in 2007 and 2008. Our first grapes to be harvested in the middle of September were from our Rutherford Firehouse Vineyard, Oakville Ames Vineyards and our Yountville Wolff Vineyard. Early October saw us bring in the D'Adamo Vineyard. By Halloween, our Howell Mountain Buckeye Vineyard Cabernet came in. The quality of 2009 wines looks very promising. They have beautiful aromatics and they taste very balanced. It is still early but we think it will be a great vintage. It's a wrap!



Rutherford Dust Passport Weekend!

Experience the wines of Rutherford like never before.



Passport Weekend allows passport holders exclusivity to special pourings, barrel and tank tastings, paired food and wines, conversations with the winemakers- all of which will make for a memorable time in beautiful Napa Valley. In addition to our current releases, we invite you to be one of the first to try our 2008 Rutherford Firehouse Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon. On Saturday we will be serving Rustic breads with artisan cheeses and on Sunday we're proud to serve Tapas with our award winning wines. We look forward to seeing you this weekend. For more information or to purchase tickets, please visit <http://rutherford-appellation-winereries.com/index.php>