



# ***Columbia Gorge Wine Touring***

*“A world of wine in 40 miles”*



❧ **COLUMBIA GORGE WINEGROWERS** ❧

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*PO Box 665, Hood River, OR 97031*



*Touring Guide is available as an iPhone App: Search “Gorge Wine”*

# Discover the “world of wine in 40 miles” for yourself



Nestled within and just beyond the stunning beauty of the Columbia Gorge National Scenic Area sits a wine region like no other. We call it **“A world of wine in 40 miles”**. While sipping a glass of Gorge wine amidst the visual splendor is pleasure enough, the key to truly understanding Gorge wine comes from learning a little about the land.

Located just 60 miles east of Portland/Vancouver, our wine region is defined by the Columbia River Gorge, a narrow passage that marks the dramatic transition from eastern desert to cool maritime climate as the Columbia River cuts through the Cascade Mountain Range on its way to the Pacific Ocean. The region encompasses the corridor flanking the river in



both Washington and Oregon and includes the Columbia Gorge and the southwestern part of the Columbia Valley American Viticultural Areas (AVAs). Within the compact area of the Columbia Gorge lays an extraordinary combination of climate, soil and geology creating distinctly different “micro-climates” perfect for growing premium grapes of almost every variety from Albarino to Zinfandel.

This is a land of strong contrasts and rapid change passing through the Columbia Gorge from west to east, the rainfall diminishes at almost an inch per mile while sunshine increases dramatically. The western vineyards have a cool, marine-influenced climate where it rains 40 inches a year – ideal for cool-weather loving varieties like Pinot Noir, Gewurztraminer, Chardonnay, Pinot Gris and Riesling. Eastern vineyards have a continental high desert climate with just 10 inches of annual rainfall but plentiful sunshine to ripen hot-weather Bordeaux, Rhone and Italian varieties like Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah, Zinfandel and Barbera.

But it’s not just differences in heat that make individual vineyards special. Grapes reflect the soil in which they are rooted; they express distinctive character on special sites. In the Columbia Gorge, soils can vary just as dramatically as the rain and sunshine. This geologic wonderland began with massive mud and lava flows from ancient volcanoes millions of years older than today’s majestic Mt. Hood and Mt. Adams.



During the last Ice Age, the Missoula Floods—the largest flows of water in Earth’s history—roared through the Gorge eroding vertical canyon walls up

to thousands of feet high and depositing thick layers of silt and sand. This cataclysmic history resulted in a multitude of different soils deposited in close proximity to one another. When visiting a vineyard, notice the ground—is it red from old volcanic mudstone or gray showing fragments of basalt rock? Perhaps you may be standing on soil deposited from the ancient floods and carried to the Gorge from present day Montana.

**Climate, temperature, soil, aspect, altitude**—each component acts on the grapes grown in an individual vineyard to form what the French term “terroir”—the idea that the wine in the bottle expresses the distinct place it was grown. In your wine travels, ask your host “*What makes these grapes special in this particular location?*” While you taste our extraordinary wines, savor the expression of fruit grown in America’s most exciting wine region.



—Alan Busacca, Ph.D. Vinitas Vineyard Consultants

## COLUMBIA GORGE WINE REGION



- Columbia Gorge Wine Region
- Columbia Gorge AVA
- Columbia Valley AVA

### EASY DRIVE TIMES FROM HOOD RIVER ①

- 2. Portland, OR..... 60 mins
- 3. Seattle, WA..... 3h 45 mins
- 4. Vancouver, WA..... 65 mins
- 5. Salem, OR..... 2h 9mins
- 6. Yakima, WA..... 2h 15mins
- 7. Underwood, WA..... 11 mins
- 8. White Salmon, WA..... 13 mins
- 9. Mosier, OR..... 11 mins
- 10. Lyle, WA..... 23 mins
- 11. The Dalles, OR..... 29 mins
- 12. Wishram, WA..... 40 mins



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# WINERIES OF THE COLUMBIA GORGE

## Region Overview



WASHINGTON

Columbia Valley AVA



Columbia Gorge AVA

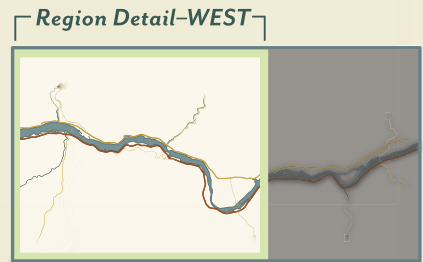
OREGON



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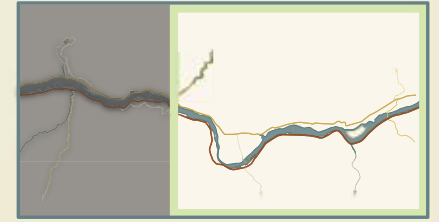
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Region Detail-EAST



## WASHINGTON

Columbia Valley AVA

## OREGON

Columbia Gorge AVA  
AVA BOUNDARY



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# Columbia Gorge Winery Listings

*Detailed listings for the Columbia Gorge Winegrowers' member wineries. Please contact each winery directly for events and group tour information.*

## ✦ ANICHE CELLARS

71 Little Buck Creek Rd, Underwood WA 98651 | [Anichecellars.com](http://Anichecellars.com)  
[info@anichecellars.com](mailto:info@anichecellars.com) | 360-624-6531

May 7th through Dec. 31st, Thurs.-Sun., noon to 6 pm

Featuring unique and traditional wine blends, AniChe Cellars handcrafts artisan wines in this small family winery. Enjoy over twenty varietals in the relaxed vineyard setting with gorgeous river views. All flights feature food pairings to compliment our balanced and food friendly wines. Personal service from the winemaker and her accomplices make this wine tasting experience special. Dogs and kids are welcome!

## ✦ CASCADE CLIFFS VINEYARD & WINERY

8866 Hwy 14 Wishram, WA 98673 | 211 Oak Street, Hood River, OR 97031  
[cascadecriffs.com](http://cascadecriffs.com) | [cascadecriffs@gorge.net](http://cascadecriffs@gorge.net) | 509-767-1100

Daily 10am-6pm

One of the original wineries in the Columbia Gorge, Cascade Cliffs specializes in the Piedmont varietals barbera, dolcetto and nebbiolo. We also grow and produce cabernet sauvignon, merlot, syrah, zinfandel, and the only planting in the NW of Symphony. Multiple tasting rooms and tours of the facility are available to visitors. Waterfront views, towering basalt cliffs with vistas await family gatherings and outings. Rated "Best of the Best in The Pacific NW."

## ✦ CATHEDRAL RIDGE WINERY

4200 Post Canyon Drive, Hood River, OR 97031  
[cathedralridgewinery.com](http://cathedralridgewinery.com) | [crw@cathedralridgewinery.com](mailto:crw@cathedralridgewinery.com) | 800-516-8710

Open All Year, Daily 11am-6pm, Nov 1st - April 1st 11am-5pm  
 Call ahead for special barrel room or winery tours.

Wine Press Northwest's 2007 Oregon Winery of the Year. Wine Tasting Daily. Award winning Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Zinfandel, Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris, Riesling and Merlot. Views of Mt. Hood and Mt. Adams. Exit 62 off I-84. Five minutes from downtown Hood River. Beautiful picnic area. Weddings & Private Events.

## ✦ CERULEAN WINE

304 Oak St., Suite A, Hood River, OR 97031 | [ceruleanwine.com](http://ceruleanwine.com)  
[pat@ceruleanwine.com](mailto:pat@ceruleanwine.com) | 541-490-4905

Wed thru Fri. 3-6pm, Sat.-Sun. 12-5pm, or by appt.

Cerulean Wine is in downtown Hood River. Vineyards are located across the Columbia River in Underwood Washington. Cerulean Wines are handcrafted in a European style. Pure, Natural, Authentic.

## ✦ COR CELLARS

151 Old Highway 8 Lyle, WA 98635 | [corcellars.com](http://corcellars.com)  
[info@corcellars.com](mailto:info@corcellars.com) | 509-365-2744

Mar-Nov Thurs-Sun 11am-6pm, otherwise by appt.

COR Cellars is the NEXT generation of Washington wine. Our goal is to produce approachable wines of great character and distinction. We specialize in Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Cabernet Franc, Alsatian style Riesling, Gewürztraminer and Pinot Gris. Visit the Old Lyle Highway to taste where old school meets new.

## ✦ DOMAINE POUILLON

170 Lyle Snowden Rd., Lyle, WA 98635 | [domainepouillon.com](http://domainepouillon.com)  
[info@domainepouillon.com](mailto:info@domainepouillon.com) | 509-365-2795

Wednesday-Sunday 11-6pm

Our family-owned and operated winery makes its home in the beautiful Columbia River Gorge near Lyle, Washington. We specialize in the art of blending Rhône varieties of grapes to produce wines with a nuanced finish. What's our secret? Simply picking the grapes when they are at their optimum ripeness and then gently guiding them through the fermentation and blending process. We believe this makes for an approachable, enjoyable, honest bottle of wine. Come to our tasting room and taste for yourself what the critics (and your friends) are raving about.

## ✦ DRY HOLLOW VINEYARDS

3410 Dry Hollow Lane, The Dalles, OR 97058  
[www.dryhollowvineyards.com](http://www.dryhollowvineyards.com) | [bridget@dryhollowvineyards.com](mailto:bridget@dryhollowvineyards.com) | 541-296-2953

Tasting on the Vineyard : Feb-Nov Noon-5pm Sat-Sun

Our tasting room offers one of the most beautiful views in the Gorge. Come see our family vineyards and cherry orchards, just five minutes from I-84. We feature Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Riesling, Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Merlot and Syrah as well as our Cabernet-Merlot blend, Fort Dalles Red.

## ✦ GARNIER VINEYARDS

8467 U.S. Hwy 30 Mosier, OR 97040 | [garniervineyards.com](http://garniervineyards.com) | 541-478-2200

Check website for tasting room schedule.

Directions: Hwy I-84, Exit 69, 2 miles east on Hwy 30.

Located in the heart of the fertile Columbia River Gorge and just east of Mosier, OR., Garnier Vineyards is a family-owned winery built upon a growing tradition of sustainability and stewardship to our unique environment. Visit us and enjoy our wines while taking in our panoramic Gorge views from the tasting room and a deck which overlooks the vineyard. Nestled amongst the scenic 300+ acre estate that also produces cherries, pears and apples, our grapes provide the foundation for exceptional estate-grown wines. Our unique setting, a historic gorge landmark, can also be viewed at [www.mayerdale.com](http://www.mayerdale.com).

## ✦ THE GORGE WHITE HOUSE

2265 Hwy 35, Hood River, OR 97031  
[thegorgewhitehouse.com](http://thegorgewhitehouse.com) | [info@thegorgewhitehouse.com](mailto:info@thegorgewhitehouse.com) | 541-386-2828

April, May & Oct open Fri-Mon 10am-6pm

June - Sept open daily 10am-6pm

Featuring our own award-winning wine and wines from over 30 Columbia Gorge wineries. Wine, microbrews, fruit, flowers, art & more in our historic home on a century old working farm. Fantastic mountain views, landscaped patio gardens, flower fields, orchards & vineyards. Nestled in the lower Hood River Valley just 4 miles south of Hood River.

## ✦ JACOB WILLIAMS WINERY

3 Avery Rd (Off Hwy 14), Wishram, WA 98673  
[jacobwilliamswinery.com](http://jacobwilliamswinery.com) | [info@jacobwilliamswinery.com](mailto:info@jacobwilliamswinery.com) | 541-490-6773

OPENING Spring of 2011, Daily, 10pm-6pm. Visit our NEW tasting room along the banks of the Columbia River with a spectacular view of Mt Hood, just off Hwy 14, east of Cascade Cliffs.

We hand-craft limited quantities of ultra-premium award winning Cabernet, Syrah, Merlot, Zinfandel & Cabernet Franc. Be sure to check our website for updates & events.

## ✦ MARCHESI VINEYARDS & WINERY

3955 Belmont Drive, Hood River OR 97031  
[marchesivineyards.com](http://marchesivineyards.com) | [franco@marchesivineyards.com](mailto:franco@marchesivineyards.com) | 541-386-1800

Open to the public: FRI-SUN 11:30am TO 6:30pm

Take a mini trip to Italy by visiting our cozy Tasting Room on the Heights of Hood River. Taste our highly recognized award winning wines, Primitivo, best of Class at the 2011 San Francisco Chronicle wine competition, Sangiovese, Double Gold 2010 SFWC Uvagio, (Silver), Pinot Grigio, Dolcetto, Barbera and more. Here we make Italian Varietals with passion. Benvenuti in Italia.

## ✦ MARYHILL WINERY & AMPHITHEATRE

9774 Hwy 14, Goldendale, WA 98620  
[maryhillwinery.com](http://maryhillwinery.com) | [info@maryhillwinery.com](mailto:info@maryhillwinery.com) | 509-773-1976 or 1-877-627-9445

Open daily 10am-6pm (Early close on Concert Days, see website for info)

Best Destination Winery and Washington Winery of the Year 2009! More than 800 awards in 10 years! Blending great wine with a great experience, visitors can relax on Maryhill's Tuscan-style arbor and take in panoramic views of Mt. Hood and the Columbia River Gorge. Listen to free live music on the arbor every summer weekend while picnicking and playing bocce on the brand new courts. Don't miss the summer concert series in the majestic outdoor amphitheater, featuring nationally-acclaimed artists. Maryhill is also home to an eclectic gift shop, offering an unmatched selection of jewelry, apparel, art, gifts for the home, cooking and wine enthusiasts.

## ✦ MEMALOOSE

34 State St., Lyle, WA 98635  
[winesofthegorge.com](http://winesofthegorge.com) | [mistralranch@gmail.com](mailto:mistralranch@gmail.com) | 360-635-2887

Valentines to Christmas. 11am-6pm, most days.

Wines for food! Produced in "old world" style, Brian McCormick creates wines that conserve the fruit character without excessive oak and alcohol...featuring bright-tasting wines from our five estate vineyards in the Gorge AVA. Our conveniently-located Tasting Room overlooks two Rivers, on Highway 14, by the bridge in Lyle. The view is second only to the wine.

## ✦ MT HOOD WINERY

2882 Van Horn Drive, Hood River, OR 97031  
[mthoodwinery.com](http://mthoodwinery.com) | [Info@mthoodwinery.com](mailto:Info@mthoodwinery.com) | 541-386-8333

Mar-Nov daily 11am-5pm

Exit 64 off I-84, 4 mi S on Hwy 35. Visit Mt. Hood Winery's magnificent new tasting room, located in the heart of Hood River Valley on the family-owned Century farm. Surrounded by 20 acres of estate vineyards and stunning views of Mt. Hood and Mt. Adams. Featuring estate Pinot Gris, Pinot Noir & Riesling; along with Chardonnay, Tempranillo, Malbec and Gewürztraminer from local vineyards. Our facility is also available for weddings and special events. Cheers!



## 🍷 NAKED WINERY

Corner of 2nd & Cascade, Downtown Hood River, OR 97031  
nakedwinery.com | sales@nakedwinery.com | 800-666-9303

Open daily 10am-7pm and late nights on weekends and Mondays

We aim to Tease!, while producing vintage Oregon and Washington wines with exotic brands and provocative back labels that are just a bit risqué. We also serve locally made microbrews and offer live music most Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Mondays.

## 🍷 OUTDOOR WINO

1308 Industrial Loop, Downtown Hood River, OR 97031  
outdoorwino.com | info@outdoorwino.com | 877-666-5426

Open Memorial Day-Labor Day Weekends Only (Friday-Saturday-Sunday) 12-5pm

Take it Outside as you enjoy views of the Columbia River and kick back to relax with easy drinking red, white and rose wines. Picnicking is recommended.

## 🍷 PHEASANT VALLEY WINERY

3890 Acree Drive, Hood River, OR 97031  
pheasantvalleywinery.com | wine@pheasantvalleywinery.com | 541-387-3040

Daily May-Sept 11am-6pm; Oct-April 11am-5pm; Closed January

Pheasant Valley is Hood River's first Estate Organic Winery. Come arouse your palate with a variety of 15 different wines, a picnic with Majestic Mt. Hood as a backdrop or relax with a glass of wine by our large stone fireplace. The ultimate Columbia Gorge wine experience nestled in the hills of Hood River Valley is the hidden jewel you don't want to miss.

## 🍷 PHELPS CREEK VINEYARDS

1850 Country Club Road, Hood River, OR 97031  
phelpscreekvineyards.com | info@phelpscreekvineyards.com | 541-386-2607

Open Daily 11am-5pm

Grape growing takes center stage in the production of Phelps Creek wines. We believe great wine begins in the vineyard with meticulous farming and miniscule yields ensuring quality over quantity. Our sunlit tasting room is located just a stone's throw from the estate vineyards. Bring a picnic to enjoy on the patio.

## 🍷 THE PINES 1852

202 State Street, Hood River, OR 97031 | thepinesvineyard.com  
thepinesvineyard@yahoo.com | 541-993-8301

Wed & Sun 12-6pm, Thurs-Sat 12-10pm,  
Open Mon 12-6pm Memorial day-Sept.

Live Music every Thurs-Sat 6:30-9:30 p.m. The Pines Vineyard has been producing quality wine grapes for more than a century. Our family's passion for the grape is clear with every bottle of our exquisite, limited production, boutique wine. Experience The Pines at our Tasting Room and Art Gallery.

## 🍷 SUNSHINE MILL & QUENETT WINERY

Two Locations for Quenett wine tasting! \*

\* 901 E 2nd Street, The Dalles, OR 97058  
www.sunshinemill.com | info@sunshinemill.com | 541.298.8900  
Open 7 days 12-6pm, plus live music every Friday night and many other exciting events!

\* 111 Oak Street, Hood River, OR 97031 | quenett.com | info@quenett.com | 541-386-2229  
Open daily Memorial Day-Labor Day, Apr-Nov open Thurs-Mon, Winter open Fri-Sun.

"Coolest place to taste wine" Sunset Magazine, May 2011 - Sunshine Mill  
Quenett winery offers expansive wine tastings typically boasting 10 or more top rated Italian and French varietals. Join us for live music, festivals and food in The Dalles and In Hood River for intimate wine tasting in the heart of downtown!

# Columbia Gorge Winery Listings – continued

## 🍷 SPRINGHOUSE CELLAR

13 Railroad Ave (1st and Cascade - continue past Mt Hood Railroad), Hood River, OR 97031  
springhousecellar.com | whomever@springhousecellar.com | 541-308-0700

Open every day all year 12-6pm, except Jan & Feb we will only be open Fri-Sun 12-6pm.

It turns out this old downtown cannery has amazing acoustics! So come by for a music night, or a dance class, or a thought-provoking lecture. Or better yet, just visit us because the wines are better than ever. Our line-up is an astounding reflection of what the Gorge is capable of; Sauvignon Blanc, Viognier, Chardonnay, dry Gewürztraminer, Merlot, Syrah, Cabernet, and our one-of-a-kind Cherry Ort dessert wine. We also just released our '08 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon and '08 Reserve Syrah. And of course don't forget the newly concocted (and wildly popular) Tuscan Blend. All available in our unique, refillable 1-liter bottles. Drink..rinse..repeat!

## 🍷 SYNCLINE

111 Balch Road, Lyle, WA 98635 | synclinewine.com  
info@synclinewine.com | 509-365-4361

Feb 3rd - Dec 11th Thur - Sun 11am - 6pm; Closed Jan

Founded in 1999 and located in the heart of Lyle wine country, Syncline wines have great depth of character and show a sense of singular identity and connection to the land. James and Poppie Mantone craft highly sought after Rhône varietal wines. Single Vineyard Syrah and Mourvedre are exceptional. Rhône style blends are stunning with grace and personality. White wines are perfumed elegance.

With the philosophy that great wines are made in the vineyard, the Mantone's are dedicated to ever improving the vines they work with. The Syncline estate vineyard is farmed biodynamically, and the same care and attention to detail is expected from each outsourced vineyard block used in Syncline's production. Join us, taste, stroll in the vineyard, pack a picnic, unwind in sunny Lyle, WA.

## 🍷 VIENTO

2265 Hwy 35 (4 mi South of I84 exit 64), Hood River, OR 97031 | vientowines.com  
info@vientowines.com | 541-490-6655

12-5 Thursday-Monday, April 1-October 31

Come visit our cozy tasting room situated on the grounds of The Gorge White House and surrounded by orchards and fields of flowers. A winemaker for over 30 years, Rich Cushman and Viento were "Born in the Gorge", and are producing world class wines that are presented by our fun and knowledgeable staff. Try our Pinot Noir, Barbera, Tempranillo, Grüner Veltliner, Rieslings, authentic 2009 "Ice Wines" and more.

## 🍷 WAVING TREE WINERY

2 Maryhill Hwy, Goldendale, WA 98620 | wavingtreewinery.com  
atkins@gorge.net | 509-773-6552

Apr-May, Fri-Sun 9am-5pm and by appointment; Memorial Day-Labor Day daily 9am-5pm; Sept Fri-Mon 9am-5pm; Oct-Mar by appointment

Waving Tree Winery is a family winery featuring mostly estate wines grown on the bank of the Columbia River just below the Stonehenge Monument. Our Italian varieties include Sangiovese, Nebbiolo, and Barbera. Columbus Landing (Rhône Style Blend), Syrah, Grenache, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Sweet Sangiovese Rosé and Orange Muscat are also available.

## 🍷 WHITE SALMON VINEYARD

391 Newell Road, Underwood, WA 98651 | whitesalmonvineyard.com  
wsv@gorge.net | 509-493-4640

April -October 31st Thurs - Sun 11 - 5:30pm

Visit our vineyard and taste the wines we grow. Classic wines and unique blends: Spicy White and a field blend of Malbec/Syrah. Brehm Vineyards label has wines from Calif. & PacificNW. We sell grapes to home winemakers throughout North America.

## 🍷 WY'EAST VINEYARDS

3189 Hwy 35, Hood River, OR 97031 | wyeastvineyards.com  
info@wyeastvineyards.com | 541-386-1277

Apr-Oct daily 11am-5pm or so; early spring and Nov weekends 11am-5pm

We produce hand crafted wines from estate grown Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris and Chardonnay grapes & also source fruit from top notch vineyards in the region. From the harvest, crush and barrel aging - it all takes place at our facility. As a small, family-run boutique winery, our goal is to produce high quality wines, manage a sustainable business, and contribute to the economic vitality of the Columbia Gorge and still have some fun! Our tasting room's deck and patio is an ideal setting for a glass of wine and a picnic lunch with friends and family while overlooking our waterfall and pond. We are also pet friendly!

## 🍷 ZIEGLER VINEYARDS

31 Memory Lane, Underwood, WA 98651 | www.zieglervineyardsestate.com  
zieglervineyardsestate@gmail.com | 541.399.6044

Open March-November Thursday-Sunday 11-6 (Closed at 5 on Sundays March & April)

The Ziegler family homesteaded Underwood Mountain five generations ago, dedicated to farming and harvesting fruits from the unique rich volcanic loess soil of the Columbia River Gorge. The family legacy of growing grape vines and making wine, passed down from previous generations, resonates in the wine made from Ziegler grown fruit. Come by and enjoy a glass of wine made from the grapes that surround you while taking in the stunning views of the Columbia River Gorge, Hood River and Mt. Hood!

*For more information and current events:*

*www.ColumbiaGorgeWine.com*

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