

Meet the Winemakers

Inside our small wineries, you're bound to meet the winemaker. They can tell you about their singular wines and vineyards-- how the Tempranillo varieties grow best in silty-loam soil, how Viognier thrives in river-wash, or how Syrah ripens best on the upland benches. They may tell you about the biodynamic and regenerative farming techniques that enrich their vineyards. You might even hear the story of how they found their way to the Applegate Valley.

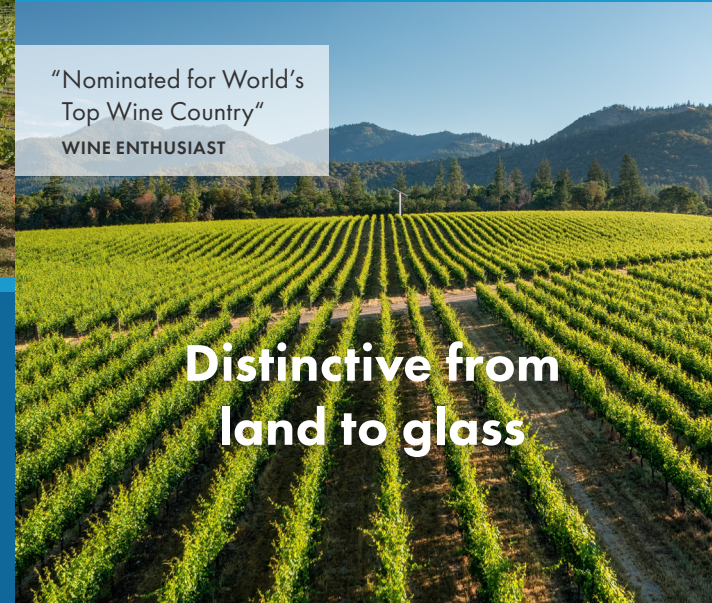
In the end, a tour of Applegate Wine Country will deepen your understanding of wine's relationship to the soil, or as the French put it 'terroir.'



APPLEGATE VALLEY
OREGON WINE COUNTRY

FREE MAP INCLUDED

"Nominated for World's
Top Wine Country"
WINE ENTHUSIAST



**Distinctive from
land to glass**

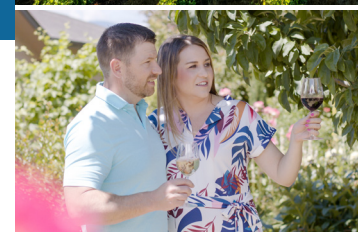
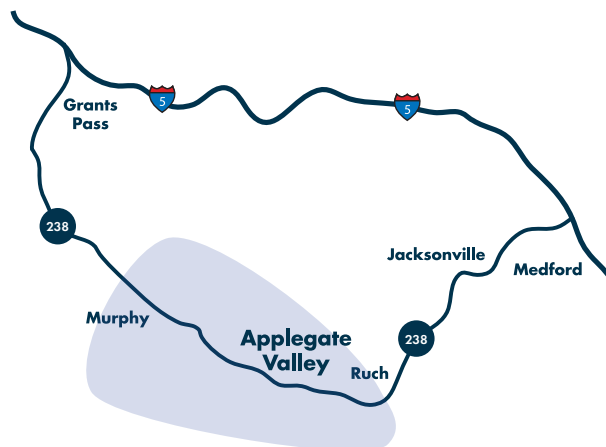
Unconked WINE BARREL TOURS

Every May and November, Applegate wineries host delectable eats and wine tastings at this self-paced wine tour event. Tickets include a commemorative Wine Trail wine glass.



"Many good, even
extraordinary, wines
are now created in an
America that most of
us never see."

WINE SPECTATOR



An AVA all of its own.
Rivers, lakes, vistas, organic farms, lavender
and 18 outstanding wineries.



Wine Country, the way it should be.

Applegate Valley Wine Country has been attracting notice. It wasn't always that way. The wine writers and critics used to pass over it in favor of larger and better-known places.

Wine lovers now praise our remote location and small producers as our greatest assets. In the Applegate, you can enjoy tete-a-tetes with winegrowers, humble tasting room fees, and wines that reflect the land—rather than the latest market trend.

Local winery manager Craig Camp puts it best: "In the Applegate Valley, we make wines that have something to say."

View our travel itineraries @ applegatevalley.wine

A Thriving AVA

Recognized as premier wine country since the mid-1800s when Renaissance man Peter Britt nurtured the first winegrapes in nearby Jacksonville, the Applegate's viticultural spirit has overcome many obstacles: Prohibition, skeptics, its far-flung location, and all of the heartaches of farming. Thanks to the enduring efforts of the early pioneers and the vision of our current winemakers, the Applegate Valley wine country is what it is today: a thriving AVA with over 18 wineries for your enjoyment.



A Wine for All Seasons

The Applegate has a pleasant year-round Mediterranean climate. With over 70 varieties of grapes, there are wines to pair with every season. A crisp Vermentino after a summertime hike? A spicy Tempranillo to warm your autumnal soul? A floral rosé for the spring? And don't forget winter, when abundant sunshine might make you crave something sparkly for the holidays.

Rustic Refinement

What makes the Applegate the Applegate? Find out by setting off on a country cruise along Highway 238. Weave past veggie farms, grazing cattle, old barns and lazy stretches of river. Delight in roadside wildflowers, antique trucks and occasional handmade signs for fresh eggs, locally-grown corn—even handmade chocolate.

Well-spaced throughout this casual paradise: our tasting rooms. While away an afternoon vineyard-side in the good company of residents, travelers and the winemakers, add to the scene live music, enchanting wines, and locally-procured nibbles and you have a brand of rustic refinement that is distinctly Applegate.



"The swilling tourists are just beginning to arrive."
NEW YORK TIMES

11 AUGUSTINO ESTATE

16995 N. Applegate Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-1881 augustinoestate.com

A historic big red barn with upscale country appointments, award winning wines and a one-of-a-kind "wine mine".

2 CASCADIA VINEYARDS & WINERY

7845 Old Redwood Hwy., Wilderville, OR
805-689-9040 thecascadiacompany.com

Vines are hand-weeded, grapes hand-harvested and bottles of their unfiltered wine are hand-labeled.

13 DEVITT WINERY

11412 Hwy. 238, Jacksonville, OR
541-899-7511 devittwinery.com

Find award-winning wines characterized by small-lot single varietals and blends.

3 DWELL WINES

7281 Williams Hwy., Grants Pass, OR
214-697-0435 dwellwines.com

A riverside, sustainably farmed vineyard encourages lingering over an array of hand-crafted southern-Oregon style wines in its new tasting room.

12 JOHN MICHAEL CHAMPAGNE CELLARS

1425 Humbug Creek Rd., Jacksonville, OR
541-846-0810

Hand-crafted and bottle fermented sparkling wines, several still wines, and an art glass gallery.

16 LONGSWORD VINEYARD

8555 Hwy. 238, Jacksonville, OR
541-899-1746 longswordvineyard.com

Served in a fun, relaxed atmosphere, their small-batch wines are as unique and complex as they are enjoyable and approachable.

10 PLAISANCE RANCH

16955 Water Gap Rd., Williams, OR
541-846-7175 plaisanceranch.com

A working ranch since 1858 run by third-generation wine grape growers and ranchers who offer outstanding estate varietals and organic grass-fed beef as well as fantastic "Wine-Down" events.

15 QUADY NORTH

9800 Hwy. 238, Jacksonville, OR
541-702-2123 quadynorth.com

A great view with a collection of wines described as "Pan-Rhone" and a display of jarred soil types that speak to owner Herb Quady's steadfast belief in Applegate dirt.

14 RED LILY VINEYARDS

11777 Hwy. 238, Jacksonville, OR
541-846-6800 redlilyvineyards.com

True Spanish oenophiles, the owners are dedicated to producing premium terroir-driven Tempranillo in a beautiful river-front setting.

5 ROSELLA'S VINEYARD & WINERY

184 Missouri Flat Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-6372 rosellasvineyard.com

An authentic small family business with warm hospitality partnered with rich red wines. Specializing in small hand-crafted estate grown lots of Cabernet Sauvignon and Zinfandel.

4 SCHMIDT FAMILY VINEYARDS

330 Kubli Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-9985 sfvineyards.com

Small case lots of high-quality, predominantly estate-grown wines are complimented by beautiful garden grounds and wood-fire pizzas.

9 SCHULTZ WINES

755 Slagle Creek Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-414-8448 schultzwines.com

Their sustainably farmed grapes and wild ferments create award-winning, terroir-driven wines.

6 TROON VINEYARD

1475 Kubli Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-9900 troonvineyard.com

Oregon's only Biodynamic and Regenerative Organic Certified winery. Nominated as an American Winery of the Year 2022 by Wine Enthusiast Magazine.

1 TWO RIVERS VINEYARD

2123 Riverbanks Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-472-8873 tworiversvineyard.net

Where rivers merge and the vineyard straddles two different AVAs: the Rogue and the Applegate.

17 VALLEY VIEW WINERY

1000 Upper Applegate Rd., Jacksonville, OR
800-781-9463 valleyviewwinery.com

Founded in 1972 as the Applegate Valley's first winery, producing the iconic Rogue Red blend and the premium quality Anna Maria label.

7 WALPORT FAMILY CELLARS

470 Slagle Creek Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-9463 wfcellars.com

Produces award-winning wines, delicious charcuterie plates and has a cabin-in-the-woods rental that is an ideal home-base for exploring Applegate wine country.

8 WOOLDRIDGE CREEK WINERY AND CRUSHPAD CREAMERY

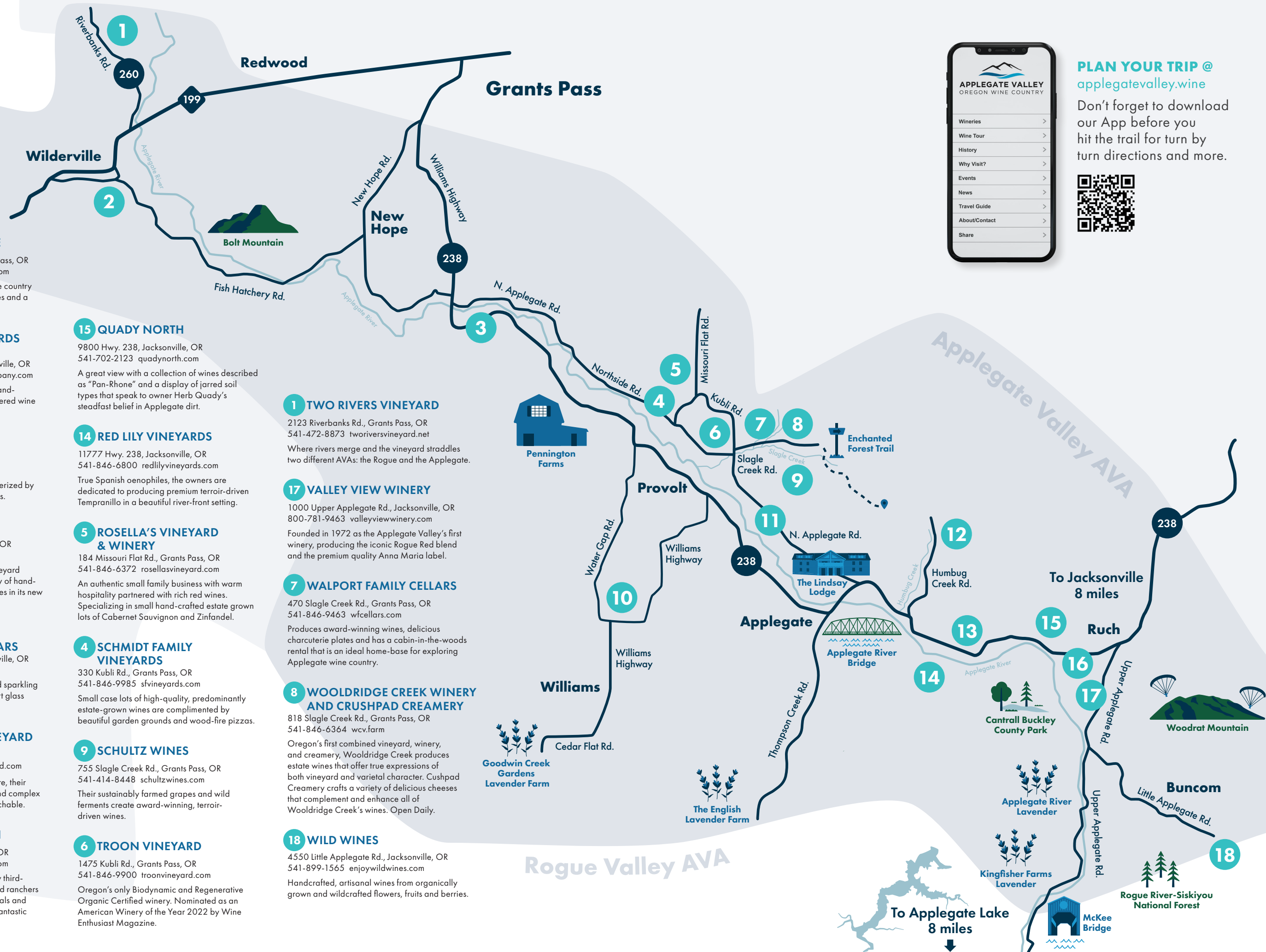
818 Slagle Creek Rd., Grants Pass, OR
541-846-6364 wcv.farm

Oregon's first combined vineyard, winery, and creamery, Wooldridge Creek produces estate wines that offer true expressions of both vineyard and varietal character. Cushpad Creamery crafts a variety of delicious cheeses that complement and enhance all of Wooldridge Creek's wines. Open Daily.

18 WILD WINES

4550 Little Applegate Rd., Jacksonville, OR
541-899-1565 enjoywildwines.com

Handcrafted, artisanal wines from organically grown and wildcrafted flowers, fruits and berries.



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applegatevalley.wine

Don't forget to download our App before you hit the trail for turn by turn directions and more.

