

VALLEY OF THE MOON



VINTAGE FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 26TH - 28TH, 2024

PRESENTED BY: THE FOLEY COMPANIES

~ Calendar of Events ~

VINTAGE MOVIE NIGHT

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH | SEBASTIANI THEATRE | 5:50PM

Vintage Movie Night, featuring Jack London's *The Call of the Wild*, is more than just a feast for the senses—it's a journey through time and culture. Join us as we delve into the history of Sonoma Valley. Learn about the visionaries who shaped the region's viticultural landscape from August Sebastiani's pioneering spirit to the building of the Sebastiani Theatre, to the storied legacy of the Jack London Yacht Club.

Presented by the Sonoma Valley Vintners and Growers Foundation, Jack London Yacht Club and Sebastiani Theater Foundation

Tickets: \$100

SONOMA VALLEY HARVEST DINNER

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH | GUNDLACH BUNDSCHU WINERY | 5:30PM

An exclusive evening at one of Sonoma Valley's most historic properties, Gundlach Bundschu Winery. This unforgettable event brings together the veritable winemaking and winegrowing legends of the Sonoma Valley, up-and-coming stars, and an incredible selection of library and rare vintage wines. Your evening will begin with tastings from Sonoma Valley's most famous vineyards accompanied by delectable, paired bites. As the night unfolds, you will be hosted by one of Sonoma Valley's wine industry leaders for a paired 3-course dinner by Park Avenue Catering's, Chef Ari Weiswasser. Each selection of rare library and current-release wines will be exceptionally paired to delight the senses and offer an experience you'll never forget.

Tickets: \$275 SVVGA members / \$350 non SVVGA members

5K FUN RUN

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA VALLEY PLAZA | 8:00AM

Kicking off the Daytime Festival, the 5K FUN RUN will take you through some of the most scenic areas of downtown Sonoma Valley.

Join your family, friends, and neighbors for a fun and active morning, enjoying the fall colors and fresh air of harvest season.

All ages and levels are welcome!

Fee: \$40 Early Access by July 31st; \$45 starting August 1st.

THE BLESSING OF THE GRAPES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA VALLEY PLAZA | 9:30AM

Each year the festival is commemorated by the annual Blessing of the Grapes. The Blessing expresses an appreciation of the bountiful, fertile valley we live in and the abundant harvest of the grapes it provides.

This event is free and open to the public

HISTORIC SONOMA VALLEY GRAPE STOMP

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA VALLEY PLAZA | 10AM - 4PM

Toss off your shoes, roll up your pants and get ready for Sonoma Valley's Historic Grape Stomp. Participate in this time-honored tradition and friendly competition. Don't miss the celebrity stomp at 10:00 AM!

Tickets: \$125/team of two

FIREFIGHTER WATER FIGHTS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA VALLEY PLAZA | 11AM

Teams of firefighters from various Sonoma County stations will face off, with a goal to push an empty beer barrel into the opposing team's end zone using only the spray power of a fire hose. Come watch the actions on West Spain Street!

This event is free and open to the public

ARTISAN FESTIVAL, LIVE MUSIC, FOOD AND WINE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA VALLEY PLAZA | 10AM - 4PM

Throughout the day visitors can enjoy local wine and beer by the glass and a variety of food vendors, while listening to live music on the Historic Sonoma Plaza. Sip Sonoma Valley wines or enjoy Sonoma Springs craft beer as you stroll the Artisans Festival and savor the day during the most anticipated season of the year. The Artisan Festival brings together local artists, and creators of all kinds.

Live music takes place 11:30 AM- 4:00 PM

This free festival is open to the public.

SONOMA VALLEY GRAND TASTING

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | SONOMA BARRACKS | 6PM

Join Sonoma Valley's Vintners & Growers for an extravagant evening of wine tasting under the stars in the historic Sonoma Barracks. The Grand Tasting is your opportunity to experience Sonoma Valley's incredible diversity of wines and growing regions. This walk-around regional tasting will feature an impressive collection of Sonoma Valley's most interesting and impeccably selected wines from more than 50 wineries. Engage with winemakers and winegrowers, while you taste current vintages from each of Sonoma Valley's 6 appellations and enjoy locally prepared cuisine from some of the Valley's most notable chefs and artisans.

Tickets: \$125 for SVVGA Members/ \$150 non SVVGA members

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