



2019 Down To Earth Events, Tours and Offers in California Wine Country

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NORTH COAST

[2 for 1 Tastings for Cyclists](#)

April 1—30, 2019

V. Sattui Winery, St. Helena

Eco-friendly, Napa Green, Certified Organic V. Sattui Winery rewards cyclists with 2-for-1 Marketplace Tastings throughout April. Help keep Napa "green" and cycle in for a tasting of award-winning wines sold only at the winery.

[Eco Tour & Tasting Experience](#)

April 1-30, 2019

Honig Vineyard & Winery, Rutherford

Board a six-passenger cart and learn about environmentally friendly practices during a guided tour through Honig's sustainably farmed vineyard, followed by a wine tasting. The winery and vineyards are California Certified Sustainable.

[Gary Farrell Vineyards & Winery "Down to Earth" Inspiration Tasting](#)

April 1—30, 2019

Gary Farrell Vineyards & Winery, Healdsburg

Experience our Inspiration Tasting: Delve deep into the soils, vineyards and stories that create the unique terroir found in our Pinot Noir Wines

[Organic Vineyard, Winery & Garden Tour](#)

April 1—30, 2019

Quivira Vineyards, Healdsburg

Organic Vineyard, Winery & Garden Tour & Tasting paired with Estate Grown produce and charcuterie.

[Grilled Six Sigma Sausage Lunch](#)

April 6, 13 & 20

Six Sigma Ranch & Winery, Lower Lake

Ranch-to-Table Lunch featuring grilled Six Sigma pasture-raised pork sausages, house-made sides, and our estate grown, award-winning wines. Hosted in our wine cave.

[Pinzgauer Vineyard Tours](#)

Saturdays in April

Six Sigma Ranch & Winery, Lower Lake

Explore the ranch in our all-terrain Pinzgauer! Learn about the soils and climates that make Six Sigma Ranch unique.

[Earth Day Tour at Alexander Valley Vineyards](#)

Saturday, April 13

Alexander Valley Vineyards, Healdsburg

Celebrate Earth Month at Alexander Valley Vineyards with a special tour focusing on the decades of sustainability at AVV hosted by owner Harry Wetzel, IV.

[Benziger Earth Day Hike and Wine Tasting](#)

Sunday, April 14

Benziger Family Winery, Glen Ellen

Join us in celebrating Earth Day on a special guide-led walk around our Sonoma Mountain ranch, sharing stories about our property, Biodynamic farming, and the history behind some of our favorite vineyard blocks on our Estate.

[Celebrate Organic Farming at RIDGE during Down to Earth Month](#)

Saturday, April 20

Ridge Vineyards - Lytton Springs, Healdsburg

Join us as we celebrate the benefits of organic farming on Saturday, April 20th with a special flight of wines made entirely from organically grown grapes.

[Down to Earth Day](#)

Saturday, April 20

Rodney Strong Vineyards, Healdsburg

Educational Vineyard Tour with Alli Dericco, Winegrowing Technician, followed by cheese and charcuterie and wine by the glass on our Terrace at our certified sustainable winery and vineyards.

[Earth Day at DeLoach Vineyards](#)

Saturday, April 20

DeLoach Vineyards, Santa Rosa

Join us as we celebrate Earth Day! Enjoy a tour of the Theater of Nature on a guided walking adventure through the practice and impact of the organic and Biodynamic® farming methods utilized in the DeLoach Estate Vineyard.

[Spring Release Party](#)

Saturday, April 20

Dutton-Goldfield Winery, Sebastopol

Visit the winery for the Spring Release Party featuring several wines made with winegrapes from California Certified Sustainable vineyards.

[Stags Leap District Wineries: Vineyard to Vintner](#)

April 26—28, 2019

Stags Leap District Wineries, Napa Valley

Celebrating 30 years as an AVA, the Stags Leap District welcomes guests for its 30th Anniversary Celebration at Vineyard to Vintner, which includes intimate dinners, in-depth seminars on terroir and tastings from coveted library wines to new releases.

[Passport to Dry Creek Valley- 30th Anniversary](#)

April 27—28, 2019

Various wineries on Dry Creek Rd, Healdsburg

Tastings, food and wine pairings, and vineyard tours highlighting how sustainability operates in the vineyards.

[Earth Day Napa](#)

Sunday, April 28

Oxbow Commons, Napa

Come celebrate Earth Day with the Environmental Education Coalition of Napa County! There will be music and entertainment for everyone.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA—NORTH CENTRAL COAST

[Down to Earth at Big White House and John Evan Cellars](#)

April 1—29, 2019

Big White House and John Evan Cellars, Livermore

Toast to Mother Earth and help our local pollinators! Be green and cycle over to taste our upcoming new barrel samples and we will donate your tasting fee to an “Earthy” charity.

[Wind-Powered Wine](#)

April 1—30, 2019

Scheid Vineyards Estate and Carmel Tasting Room, Carmel-by-the-Sea

Celebrating Down to Earth Month with special happenings in both tasting rooms all month long. The winery and vineyards are certified sustainable.

[Walk with the Winemaker](#)

Saturday, April 6

Cooper-Garrod Estate Vineyards, Saratoga

Go from grape to glass in about an hour's walk with Winemaker Bill Cooper and learn why Cooper-Garrod's Sustainable and Organic certifications make a difference.

[Organic Wine Trail to Silver Mountain](#)

April 6—27, 2019

Silver Mountain Vineyards, Los Gatos

Follow the Organic Wine Trail on Saturdays, 12-5, to Silver Mountain above Los Gatos to learn about their organic vineyards and earth-friendly facility while wine tasting with majestic, mountain-top views overlooking Monterey Bay.

["Down to Earth" Trail Ride](#)

April 6—28, 2019

Cooper-Garrod Estate Vineyards, Saratoga

Want to see Sustainability in action? Join a "Down to Earth" Trail Ride at Cooper-Garrod.

[Eco-Tour](#)

Sunday, April 14

Cooper-Garrod Estate Vineyards, Saratoga

Join Ramblin' Bill Bosworth to walk our hillside trails and look at the varied flora, fauna, and wildlife with whom our organic vineyards share the ranch.

[Wine Excursion at a Moraga Vineyard](#)

Sunday, April 14

Captain Vineyards, Moraga

Captain Vineyards, the first green winery in Contra Costa County, offering tour, barrel tasting and artisanal cheers pairing with the winemaker.

[Yoga in the Vines](#)

Sunday, April 14

Clos LaChance, San Martin

Beautiful surroundings await you at Clos LaChance, a certified sustainable winery, for a morning yoga class in the vines followed by wine tasting.

[Celebrate Organic Farming at RIDGE during Down to Earth Month](#)

Saturday, April 20

Ridge Vineyards - Monte Bello, Cupertino

Join us as we celebrate the benefits of organic farming on April 20 with a special flight of wines made entirely from organically grown grapes.

[Santa Cruz Mountains Passport Celebration Day](#)

Saturday, April 20

Participating Santa Cruz Mountains Wineries, Santa Cruz Mountains

Passport purchasers and guests are welcomed into more than 40+ participating wineries throughout the Santa Cruz Mountains with many organic and sustainable wines.

[The Science of Wine & Food Pairing](#)

Friday, April 26

Concannon Vineyard, Livermore

Expect the unexpected in these interactive, engaging and educational wine classes with Concannon Vineyard Estate Sommelier, LeeAnn Kaufman. The winery and vineyards are certified sustainable.

[Taste of Mendocino](#)

Saturday, April 27

Fort Mason Center, Gallery 308, San Francisco

Wine tasting with 30+ wineries and artisanal food bites. Mendocino County has a high enrollment of green certifications for sustainable, organic, biodynamic and Fish Friendly farming.

SOUTH CENTRAL COAST—SAN LUIS OBISPO & SANTA BARBARA COUNTIES

[Green Transportation Wine Tasting Offer](#)

April 1—30, 2019

Longoria Winery, Lompoc

2 for 1 Wine Tasting for tasters arriving via Tesla, other electric vehicle, bicycle or on foot.

[11th Annual Wine 4 Paws Weekend](#)

April 5—7, 2019

Various Wineries in San Luis Obispo County, Paso Robles

Want to make a difference for homeless pets? Take part in a weekend of wine tasting & stock up on some of the area's fine wines.

[April Vineyard Hike](#)

Saturday, April 6

Halter Ranch, Paso Robles

Join Halter Ranch's Vineyard Manager, Lucas Pope, on a walking tour of our sustainable vineyard.

[Longoria Winery Spring Open House](#)

Saturday, April 6

Longoria Winery, Lompoc

Join Rick and Diana Longoria as they preview their spring wine releases at our annual Spring Open House. In celebration of Spring, we invite you to get Down to Earth with a succulent plant demonstration.

[Tablas Creek 2019 Blending Seminar](#)

Sunday, April 14

Tablas Creek Vineyard, Paso Robles

Join us for our annual blending seminar! Our viticulture practices emphasize quality through dry-farming and moderate crop levels. We farm organically, have been certified organic since 2003.

[Earth Day Celebration Weekend at Castoro Cellars!](#)

April 27—28, 2019

Castoro Cellars, Templeton

Join us for an Earth Day Celebration Weekend at Castoro Cellars featuring live music, education, local vendors, art, vineyard tours and more!

INLAND VALLEY

[Drink Green: A Toast to Sustainable Winegrowing](#)

Saturday, April 6

Multiple wineries, Friant

Participating wineries will celebrate Madera County's sustainable "green" winegrowing and winemaking practices offering special tastings and education on eco-conscious winery practices.

[Acquiesce Winery Sustainable Vineyard Tour](#)

Saturday, April 13 & 27

Acquiesce Winery, Acampo

Educational Vineyard and Winery tour highlighting Lodi Rules Sustainable Farming Program. Vineyard Manager, Owner and Winemaker lead the tour. Lunch and wine provided.

SIERRA FOOTHILLS

[El Dorado Passport Wine Adventure](#)

April 6—7, 2019

20+ Wineries in the El Dorado Region, Placerville

Access to 20+ participating wineries, many committed to sustainable growing and winemaking practices.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

[Tour and Tastings](#)

April 1—30, 2019

Ponte Winery, Temecula

Embark on our 10-passenger electric bus and tour our 310-acre ranch. Schedule a tour to see how Ponte grows and makes its certified sustainable wines.

[Behind the Scenes Tour](#)

April 1—30, 2019

South Coast Winery, Temecula

Our behind the scenes walking tour will take you from grape to glass! Enjoy a guided tour through our certified sustainable vineyards and winery.

[Blessing of the Vines](#)

Sunday, April 7

South Coast Winery Resort & Spa, Temecula

Includes great wines, a buffet of farm-to-table locally-sourced food, live music and dancing and tours through the certified sustainable vineyards.

[Down To Earth BBQ](#)

Sunday, April 28

Palumbo Family Vineyards and Winery, Temecula

Sip some great wine, bite into tasty BBQ and hear about our involvement in the California Sustainable Winegrowing Program from our winemaker/viticulturist Nicholas Palumbo.