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HOLIDAY WINE FESTIVAL INVITE

November 17, 18, 19
Noon-5:00pm



Latah Creek

WINE CELLARS

November 2017
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Latah WineBucks

SHOP DURING DECEMBER
FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS AND GET
LATAHWINEBUCKS TO SPEND ON
YOURSELF AFTER THE NEW YEAR



For every \$50 you spend during the month of December, you'll receive a \$25 LatahWineBuck to spend during January 1-17, 2018. So, treat a friend and treat yourself at the same time. Buy wine and get LatahWineBucks back to buy more!

During the redemption period, January 1-17, 2018, you will be able to redeem \$25 worth of LatahWineBucks for every \$50 you spend on wine, for savings of up to 50% off your favorite wines!

Pictured to the left are some of my favorite things currently at the winery. Earn LatahWineBucks from purchasing any one of them, as well as hundreds of other fabulous things.

- The entire Nora Fleming ceramic line is fabulous! I love being able to change out the figurine depending on the season or my mood. We have more than a dozen different items. Stop by to see them all!
- I LOVE these rhinestone shirts! I have 3 of them in my closet because I just can't decide which one I want more.
- These earrings are perfect for any wine-loving woman. Add the matching necklaces for the perfect stocking stuffer.
- My mom is fantastic at picking out all of the items we carry at the winery, but she is particularly great at selecting holiday decor! Come see what's new!

Cheers, Natalie

Wine Spotlight

2015 CARMENERE



**Wahluke Slope AVA
Fries Vineyard**

**To be released
Holiday Wine
Festival Weekend**

“Never heard of it; what is it?” you might ask. It is often called “the lost grape of Bordeaux” and was part of the original Bordeaux blend. Unfortunately, when almost all of Europe’s vines were destroyed in the 1880s phylloxera disease attack, C a r m e n è r e was unable to be replanted.

Fortunately, vines had already been spread to several parts of the world, allowing the grape to not become extinct. Bottom line – this grape is not widely grown, which is why you may never have heard of it before. Which is also, why when our grape grower asked us if we’d like to take some grapes off his hands for the 2015 vintage, we leaped at the opportunity! So, savor this wine, as it may be our one and only Carmeneré.

WINEMAKER’S NOTES: This dark, ink-colored wine opens up with aromas of freshly cracked peppercorns and dried plums. Red berry and black pepper flavors with a hint of smoke flood your mouth, while barrel, dried herbs, and spice nuances linger.

FOOD PAIRING: Enjoy this wine with all chicken, beef, and pork recipes, such as Ellena’s Hungarian Chicken and Rice recipe.



ELLENA’S APPLE BUTTER

Ingredients

1 tbsp butter
3 lbs apples (about 5-6 large), peeled, cored, and medium diced
1/2 cup Latah Creek Riesling
1 tbsp lemon juice

1/4 cup apple cider
1/4 cup (packed) brown sugar
1/2 tsp cinnamon
1/4 tsp nutmeg
1/4 tsp allspice
1/8 tsp salt



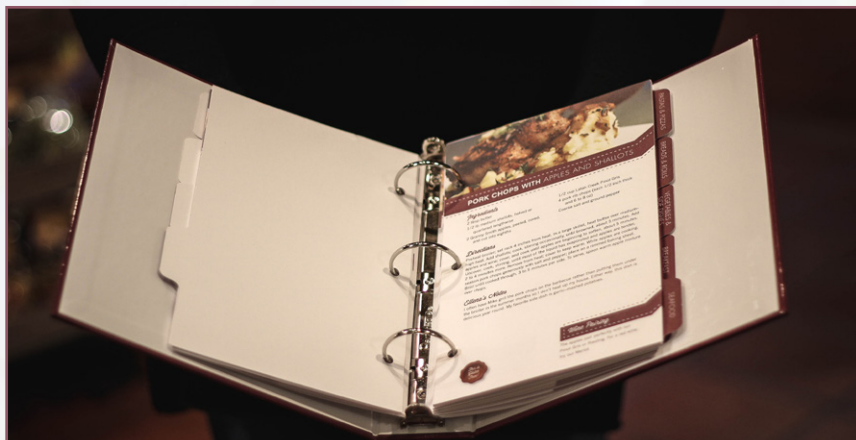
Directions

In a medium pot, heat the butter on medium until melted. Add the apples, wine, and lemon juice. Cook, stirring occasionally, 10 to 12 minutes, or until the apples begin to break down. Cover and reduce heat to low. Cook, stirring occasionally, for one hour. Add the apple cider to a blender first, then the cooked apples. Blend on high until smooth (about 30 seconds). Return the apple purée to the same pot on medium heat. Add the last 5 ingredients and stir well. Cook for 3-5 minutes, stirring and scraping the bottom of the pot to prevent scorching. Place in jars and refrigerate.

Ellena's Notes

Natalie and her girls LOVE apple butter! She has a recipe that uses already made applesauce from the store, which you cook for 3 or more hours. She asked for help finding a recipe that uses whole apples, and that is not quite as time-consuming. After a couple of attempts, we found the perfect recipe! Now I’m giving it to you! Tie raffia around the jar and use as a delicious, homemade hostess gift. You can also use pears with this recipe. This is gluten free!

Eat Simple, Eat Well. Ellena



Limited Time Only!

**GET MY 3-VOL. COOKBOOK WITH OVER 250 RECIPES AT A SPECIAL DISCOUNT THROUGH THE END OF THE YEAR!
REGULAR PRICE \$37, ON SALE FOR \$25**

Ellena's Gift Shop Picks

YOU SIP & SHOP, WE'LL SHIP!



Wine-Loving Women's Clutch

Special price!

Regularly \$21.99, on sale for \$16.99

This gift is for all women who love wine and purses! The Wine Clutch comes in many different colors, is insulated for keeping your wine the right temperature, and includes a corkscrew. For an additional cost, you can include a bottle of your choice, and we'll add cellophane and a bow and you have a primo vino gift!

A bit of the Northwest Huckleberry Basket

\$47.99

This truly Northwest basket has been a favorite for years! It includes our Huckleberry d'Latah wine, Huckleberry Pancake & Scone Mix, Huckleberry Syrup, and Huckleberry Jam, all together in a handled tote, with cellophane and a bow. So send your loved ones in faraway states a taste of home now!



12 Days.

12 Daily Deals.

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12 Days of Gifting

Each morning, from December 1st thru December 12th, we will send out an email, post on facebook, and make a post on our website, with a different daily deal, between 25% to 50% off. Enjoy deals like 50% off select wine, 3 for the price of 2 sweet wines, free ground shipping on 6+ bottles, and so much more! ALL deals will be available online, so if you are not in the area or can't make it out to the winery for a deal, please use our online WineShop to place your order.

Perfect Hostess Gift

\$27.99

This tray is perfect as a hostess gift for this upcoming holiday parties. It includes a bottle of our Gold-medal-winning 2016 Pinot Gris, smoked salmon and crackers, together in a wicker tray with cellophane and a bow. This tray is also excellant for appetizers with friends.



3-Bottle Sampler Tray

\$27.99

Taste the best of Latah Creek with 375mL bottles of our gold-medal-winning 2017 Pinot Gris and Huckleberry d'Latah, and our newest red release, 2015 Carmenere. These three 375mL bottles are together in a wicker tray with cellophane and a bow. Send the Gift of Gold this holiday season!



Wine OF THE month

Nov/Dec 2017

2012 ELLENA'S SANGIOVESE

25% off 12 bottles
reg. \$216, sale \$162

20% off 6 bottles
reg. \$108, sale \$86.40

15% off 2 bottles
reg. \$36, sale \$30.60



Sale OF THE month

November 2017

25% OFF

ALL SPICES AND
MULLING SPICE BAG



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FRI, SAT, & SUN | NOV 17, 18, 19 | 12PM-5PM

The Cork District and Spokane Winery Association's
 Holiday Wine Festival

DECEMBER 1-12

Latah Creek's 6th Annual 12 Days of Gifting
 Sign up for daily deal emails at latahcreek.com

DECEMBER 11

Last day to ship to East Half of the Country*

DECEMBER 18

Last day to ship to West Half of the Country*

*Note: These days are subject to weather. We recommend shipping as soon as possible and we'll apply a "Do Not Open Til Xmas" label to your gifts.

Please join us for our Annual

HOLIDAY WINE FESTIVAL

30% OFF

ROSÉ OF MALBEC CASES

15% OFF

ROSÉ OF MALBEC BOTTLES

20% OFF ALL CASES

MIX & MATCH OK

UP TO 25% OFF

2012 SANGIOVESE

WE WILL HAVE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF HOMEMADE STOLLEN BREAD

Sip, Snack, and Shop

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, & SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 17, 18, & 19

NOON-5:00PM

**NEW WINE RELEASE:
 2015 CARMENERE**

