

## Sonoma County Winery Association 1992 Grand Tour & Tasting to be held at the Hyatt Regency and will benefit UCSD Medical Center

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SONOMA COUNTY WINERY ASSOCIATION 1992 GRAND TOUR & TASTING TO BENEFIT UCSD MEDICAL CENTER

SAN DIEGO, CA. -- For the first time, on February 4th, more than 60 of Northern California's top wineries from Sonoma County will bring their Sonoma County 1992 Grand Tour & Tasting to San Diego. The event will be held at the Hyatt Regency La Jolla to benefit UCSD MEDICAL CENTER. The San Diego tasting will serve as the opening event for the tour that continues on to 17 other cities in the U.S. and Canada.

The wine tasting will be held from 7 to 9:30 p.m., and will feature an array of select food and wine pairings, a wine auction and live entertainment. The wineries represented will include Buena Vista Winery, Chateau St. Jean, Clos du Bois, De Loach Vineyards, Dry Creek Vineyards, Glen Ellen Winery, Iron Horse Vineyards, Jordan Winery, Korbel Winery, Rodney Strong Vineyards, Sebastiani Vineyards and Simi Winery. Many new releases will be poured along with special selections and older vintages.

"This exciting Sonoma County 1992 Grand Tour & Tasting event is a first for San Diego. We are delighted that they have selected UCSD MEDICAL CENTER as the beneficiary. Response from the wineries to participate in the tasting has been tremendous," said Honorary Chairperson Sally B. Thornton. "The unique tasting represents the diversity of the Sonoma County wineries. There will be large, well-known wineries in addition to those with limited production. This important event not only presents San Diegan's with the exciting opportunity to enjoy delicious food, but to meet the vintners and taste wines as well."

Advance reservations are \$30.00 per person or \$35.00 at the door. Make checks payable to UC REGENTS and mail to: UCSD MEDICAL CENTER, Wine Tasting Event, 225 Dickinson Street 8908, San Diego Ca. 92103-8908. Your canceled check is your receipt and confirms your reservations. For Wine Tasting Information call: UCSD Medical Center at (619) 543-3721.

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