

# Exciting Events in Wine Country

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## Wineries in Napa and Sonoma now offer new tours, tastings, pairings



Visiting San Francisco and Northern California this summer, take advantage of the new tours and tastings at some of the most coveted wine estates. Available by appointment only. Far Niente, Nickel & Nickel, and Dolce, ... located in Oakville region of Napa Valley, offer an incredible feast for all senses.



Tour the exquisitely landscaped grounds enhanced with water features and flowering with azaleas, tulips, red poppies, and pansies around the historic building of Far Niente established in 1885. Led by your winery guide, marvel at the wine library holdings and see the art nouveau Dolce cellar gate before settling in an intimate tasting room to sip bright acidic Cave Collection chardonnay and fruit-forward estate bottled cabernet sauvignon paired with various cheeses.



Continue your tasting tour with wine and cheese pairing at Nickel & Nickel – a rare winery dedicated exclusively to producing 100% varietal, single-vineyard wines. Your host will explain the subtle differences between cabernet sauvignon wines coming from individual vineyards in Calistoga, Rutherford, Oakville, and Yountville.

Far Niente:

1350 Acacia Drive, Oakville, 707.944.2861, [farniente.com](http://farniente.com)

Dolce:

1350 Acacia Drive, Oakville, 707.944.8868, [dolcewine.com](http://dolcewine.com)

Nickel & Nickel:

8164 St Helena Hwy, Oakville, 707.967.9600, [nickelandnickel.com](http://nickelandnickel.com)