



WINE COUNTRY FESTIVAL



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DAY 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Departures from hometown to San Francisco- Arrival Staff- Transfer from airport to hotel- Accommodations at Silverado Resort	"The Grape Stomp" Cabernet Chaos and Dinner in the Grove at Silverado with Entertainment
DAY 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Breakfast at Leisure (Included)- Group Activity:<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Interactive Cooking School at Andretti Winery· Lunch Included- Accommodations at Silverado Resort.	Dinner at Niebaum~Coppola Estate Winery with Entertainment.
DAY 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Breakfast at Leisure (Included)- Day at Leisure to Explore on your own.- Lunch on Own- Accommodations at Silverado Resort.	Dinner at The Culinary Institute of America Greystone with Entertainment.
DAY 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Breakfast at Leisure (Included)- Departure Staff- Transfer from the Silverado Resort to San Francisco International Airport.	



DAY 1—ARRIVAL INFORMATION

WELCOME TO FLORID!

Guests arrive at the San Francisco International Airport. They will be greeted by uniformed Castle Travel Group Management Staff in the transit area and directed to the baggage conveyor-belts. When the group's luggage is labeled, the airport porters will take all bags off the belt and the guests will just have to identify their pieces before we escort them to the coaches. Meanwhile the luggage is taken to the truck and transferred separately to the hotel. Staff will accompany each coach on the transfer to the hotel.

CHECK-IN STAFFING SERVICES

Once guests arrive, they will be escorted to the Hospitality Desk for check-in. Guests are pre-registered and will not have to fill-in any registration forms, they just say their names and we hand out the room tickets with the key. The hotel, however, will take credit card imprints for guarantee of payment of incidentals.

HOTEL INFORMATION



Evoking an elegance and sophistication of days past, Silverado Resort invites guests to step back in time and be pampered with luxury accommodations. Whether traveling on business or pleasure, the resort is known for an atmosphere of gracious hospitality that inspires visitors to return again and again to this 1,200-acre destination retreat.

As guests arrive, Silverado's white-pillared mansion stands eloquently. Built in the mid-1800's, the mansion was designed by then-owner General John Miller and his wife, incorporating the Italian and French architecture that they had admired during their travels abroad. Today, the mansion continues to play an integral role in the resort's operations, housing the lobby, two restaurants, a cocktail lounge and several meeting rooms.

Each room features conveniences such as a coffee maker, refreshment bar, daily weekday newspaper, hair dryer, air conditioning, iron, ironing board, robes, radio/alarm with CD player, umbrellas and televisions with premium movie channels. Room service, valet laundry service, a full business center and a professional concierge staff are at your service for making dinner, recreation, and spa and tour arrangements.

In addition to luxury accommodations, guests can take advantage of sumptuous meals prepared by an award-winning chef, two 18-hole golf courses, 17 tennis courts and a spectacular new spa and fitness center.

WELCOME PROGRAM "THE GRAPE STOMP"

Cabernet Chaos & Welcome Buffet Dinner will be held in The Grove, surrounded by stately oak, pine and redwood trees.



Cabernet Chaos - Teams compete against one another, frantically stomping real wine grapes as fast as they can. Each team must guide their magical elixir down a copper trough into a carafe riding on a cart. The cart glides along an 8' teeter-totter and rolls back and forth based on the balancing talents (or lack there of) of the team members. If the team can balance well, their carafe stops moving, thus making it easier to collect the flowing juice. With four people on the teeter-totter (two on either side), they'll need to work together to keep it balanced. Bonus juice is added through an ingenious system that rewards the team with better equilibrium. The team with the most juice at the end of the round is the winner.

Inclusions: Grape Stomp, Reception and Dinner with unlimited wine, and Entertainment.

Accommodations at Silverado Resort.

DAY 2—GROUP ACTIVITY / DINNER

After a leisurely breakfast, you will board the waiting motorcoach for transfer to the Andretti Winery for cooking school and lunch.

INTERACTIVE COOKING SCHOOL AT THE ANDRETTI WINERY



Established in 1996, the 53-acre Andretti winery is committed to the same high standard of excellence that is evident in its founders.

A stone piazza and bubbling fountain front the Tuscan-style tasting room where the latest releases are poured at a handcrafted wood tasting bar. Guests are welcome to wander about the winery grounds, which includes an arbor, lawn and demonstration vineyard.

Duration: 3 Hours Exclusive

Inclusions: Transportation, one-hour cooking class with guests at workstations for hands-on preparation; fully catered 3-course sit-down lunch with wine, includes china, silver, linens and chefs.

DINNER AT NIEBAUM~COPPOLA ESTATE WINERY

The Arbor received its claim-to-fame in 1997 when Francis and Eleanor Coppola chose it as the dinner setting for the Niebaum~Coppola Estate Winery Grand Opening event, "Napoleon." Selected for its location and beauty, the Arbor hosted 400 guests. This gala event celebrated the restoration and reunification of the Niebaum~Coppola Estate Winery.

As a part of the courtyard you will enjoy manicured lawns, dine under parallel rows of grand, old pear trees and hear the sound of the fountains in the reflecting pool. The prominent, stone Chateau, covered with 100 year old Virginia creeper, creates a dramatic backdrop.

Entertainment: "The Godfathers" Tenors & a contemporary dance band.

Inclusions: Transportation, Entertainment, and 3-course dinner with wine.

Accommodations at Silverado Resort.



DAY 3—DAY AT LEISURE / FAREWELL GALA

After a leisurely Breakfast, the day is free to explore on your own. There are numerous things to do and see; the following are just a few suggestions:

NAPA VALLEY MUSEUM

The Napa Valley Museum is dedicated to promoting the cultural and environmental heritage of the Napa Valley. Our special, changing exhibits represent a diverse range of subjects from fine arts to history to natural sciences. We are committed to presenting exhibits that will entertain and educate our local community and visitors from around the world.

NAPA VALLEY WINE TRAIN

From the moment you enter the Wine Train's Station, you begin a threefold adventure...A return to the gracious era of elegant rail travel with distinguished service... A deliciously crafted culinary and complete wine experience...champagne brunch, gourmet lunch or exquisite full-course dinner... offer an enjoyable and relaxing journey through the heart of Napa Valley's picturesque vineyards past world renowned wineries.

HOT AIR BALLOONING

Greet the sunrise and the soft morning mist as you gently dance with the winds and enjoy the majestic beauty above the Napa Valley. During your flight your pilot will narrate the beautiful sites below. After floating above the Earth's surface for approximately one hour, you will gently settle back into the arms of mother earth.

SILVERADO SPA

The Spa at Silverado offers fitness, Spa and salon services surrounded by tranquil garden courtyards and breathtaking scenic views. Our goal is to offer both the novice and seasoned spa-enthusiast a haven of absolute relaxation and healthy rejuvenation - our philosophy is, quite simply, to create joy.

FAREWELL DINNER AT THE CULINARY INSTITUTE OF AMERICA GREYSTONE

The grand historic landmark was once the Christian Brothers Winery, and now offers the perfect setting for entertaining with unique open cooking suites, and a flavorful, ingredient-inspired Wine Country Cuisine

Located within the West Coast Campus of the Culinary Institute of America, and in the heart of the world-famous Napa Valley, *The Wine Spectator Greystone Restaurant* is the choice for innovative food and fine wines.

Inclusions: Transportation, Reception with passed hot & cold hors d'oeuvres; 3-course dinner with wine and champagne; entertainment, black & white dance floor; facility fee.

Accommodations at Silverado Resort



DAY 4—DEPARTURE INFORMATION

We hope that you have thoroughly enjoyed your Wine Country Experience and will take back fond memories of all the sights, sounds and smells!

TRANSFER TO THE AIRPORT

After a leisurely breakfast at the hotel, it's time to begin the journey back to reality. Guests will check-out of the hotel, claim their luggage and board the motor coach for transfer to the airport.

DEPARTURE STAFFING SERVICES

Uniformed Castle Travel Management Staff will be at the hotel to coordinate departures to the airport and assist with luggage handling. Staff will accompany each coach on the transfer to the airport.