

Happy New Year from Fireside Winery



Happy New Year to all of our loyal Fireside fans. We wish to thank you for another fun year in 2009. And even though we're surrounded in 8 foot snow drifts and enduring freezing temps we are still staying plenty warm planning for another exciting summer season in 2010. We remain **open year round** (except Tuesdays) and have planned a few reasons for you to come out of the cold to see us. Hope to see you soon!



Dinner for Two

Got plans for your sweet heart on Valentines? If not, make your reservations now for a special dinner hosted by the staff at Fireside Winery on **Saturday, February 13th**. The menu to be served that evening includes:

1st Course: Antipasto platter of dried meats, artisan cheeses and mixed olives

2nd Course: Mixed greens with mandarin oranges, candied almonds and a sweet & sour dressing

3rd Course: Steamed King crab legs, twice baked potato and fresh green beans

4th Course: Chocolate, vanilla and strawberry ice cream scoops topped with almond toffee, fresh raspberries and drizzled in chocolate

The dinner includes a bottle of wine of your choice per couple. The cost per couple is \$100.00; tax is included. Seating is limited and reservations will be accepted until 2.8.10. To place your reservation, please call the winery at 319.662.4222.

This promises to be a dinner you and your sweetie will not forget.

New Releases Coming Soon

A few of you that frequent the winery may have already had a chance to sample some of the new wines soon to be released. If you weren't one of those people, mark your calendar for the **weekend of January 22nd**. Starting that Friday, we will be introducing a new dry red, straight from our vineyard. Its a pure varietal wine named **Frontenac**, after the grape used to make the wine. To follow suit in the red line up, we are introducing a new sweet red wine, **Dolce Iowa St. Croix**. This is another wine made from our own Iowa grown grapes.



In celebration of these new wines, we are offering a 20% discount on the purchase of either of these two new wines (St. Croix or Frontenac), any quantity, Jan 22-24 only.

Other news from winemaker Zach Bott include:

Full size bottles of BLU should hit the shelf this weekend.

Serenade should be back by mid February.

Coming this spring, we will have many new whites to add back to the line up including LaCrosse, Edelweiss and Vignoles.

2010 Event Schedule

We have begun planning for the 2010 summer music. This year, we will be having music on Friday nights starting on Memorial Day weekend and lasting through the last weekend in September. We will also be having live music on Sundays during this time frame. Performers and dates should be on our event page by March 1st.

New for 2010, we are beginning a monthly Girls Night called **My Turn To Wine** (MTTW). These will be held on the 3rd Thursday of the month starting in February. The winery will be open for ladies only from 6-9PM on those evenings. For the first few events, we have some wine 101 information to share during the first hour for those interested and after that, the evening is yours to catch up with your girl friends, play board games or what ever suits your fancy.

If you have other ideas for activities you'd like to see done at the winery, please share them with us. We appreciate your feedback.

Cassie Bott
Fireside Winery

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20%

On the purchase of Iowa Dolce St. Croix or Frontenac wines. Discount does not apply to any other wines. No quantity minimum.

Offer Valid: Jan 22, 2010 through Jan 24, 2010