



The 11th Annual Pinot Noir Showdown

Professional wine tasters consider the following:
Clarity/Appearance, Color, Aroma/Bouquet, Acidity,
Sweetness, Body/Texture, Taste/Flavor, Bitterness,
Astringency, Finish, and Overall Quality.

All that really matters is what you like.

Make notes that make sense to you.

Using your notes as a guide, decide which wines are your favorites.

Go to the “voting booth” and exchange your wine lover’s voting card for 5 chips (red for women and blue for men).

Cast your vote for your favorite wines with the chips provided. You may vote for as many as 5 wines or as few as one. Indicate your passion for each wine by the number of chips you drop in the “ballot box.”

AQUA

Rodney Strong 2009 *Reserve* Pinot Noir Russian River Valley \$40.00

BLUE

Brophy Clark 2010 Pinot Noir, Sta. Rita Hills \$34.00

BLUE GREEN

Director's 2010 Pinot Noir, Sonoma Coast \$21.00

BRONZE

Schug 2010 Pinot Noir, Sonoma Coast \$24.00

BURGUNDY

Black Pine 2010 Pinot Noir, California \$26.00

CORAL

Anam Cara Cellars 2010 *Nicholas Estate* Pinot Noir, Chehalem Mountains \$32.00

CRIMSON

Portalupi Wines 2010 Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$30.00

DENIM

En Garde 2009 *Reserve* Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$58.00

DUSTY ROSE

Enkidu 2010 *Tina Marie* Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$45.00

GOLD

Mahoney Vineyards 2010 Pinot Noir, Carneros \$24.00

GREEN

Ketcham Estate 2010 Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$38.00

GUNMETALPacific Coast Vineyards 2010 *Babcock Vyds* Pinot Noir, Santa Rita Hills \$50.00**KHAKI**Bouchaine 2011 *Estate Vineyard* Pinot Meunier, Napa Valley – Carneros \$40.00**LIGHT YELLOW**Carol Shelton Wines 2011 *Larson Vineyard* Pinot Noir, Sonoma-Caneros \$38.00**LILAC**

David Bruce Winery 2010 Pinot Noir, Anderson Valley \$42.00

PERIWINKLEJ2 Winery 2010 *Doctors Vineyard* Pinot Noir, Santa Lucia Highlands \$39.00**PUMPKIN**Guglielmo 2010 *Private Reserve* Pinot Noir, Monterey \$35.00**RED ORANGE**Kenneth Volk 2010 *Steiner Creek Vyds* Pinot Noir, San Luis Obispo Cty \$60.00**SALMON**TR Elliott 2009 *Queste* Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$44.00**TEAL**Ventana 2010 *Ventana Vineyard* Pinot Noir, Arroyo Seco \$32.00**WHITE**Chloe Creek Vineyards 2010 *Leras Family Vineyard* Pinot Noir, Russian River Valley \$40.00