

NW Grapes Order Form 2008

Sources and units

1. This year should unfold pretty much like 2007. We will source most grapes from the Central Coast (Paso Robles and Santa Barbara) and also use Brehm Vineyards and others where we think this makes sense. Our aim is quality grapes at a reasonable price. Red grapes will come as pails of frozen crushed grapes. Whites will usually come as pails of frozen settled juice, but the Summerland Gewurz will come as fresh grapes. See the website (<http://nanaimowinemakers.org>) for more details on the likely sources. There will be e-mail up-dates as the season unfolds.
2. The basic unit for orders is the standard 23L pail containing approximately 20L of settled white juice or red destemmed must (which is equal to about 80 or more lbs of fresh white grapes or about 50 lbs of uncrushed red grapes). If white grapes arrive fresh, pail quantities will be converted to 100 lbs.
3. Delivery of the main load of frozen grapes and juice will probably be a bit later this year than in previous years (perhaps early November rather than late October) because we will have to wait for the Nebbiolo, which harvests very late.

Ordering details

1. You must be a member of the Nanaimo Winemakers or another club associated with BCAWA (BC Amateur Winemakers Association) to order grapes. NW Grapes is a non-profit, members-only operation which handles grapes purchased in advance.
2. Prices (in Canadian dollars) are initial estimates only and subject to change. They include initial processing, freezing, and shipping to Nanaimo. Fresh grapes will also require your labor at a crush.
3. Use this form to place your order. Make out a cheque to NW Grapes dated May 9 for 50% of the total estimated cost of both reds and whites. **DO NOT** send a second cheque now. You will get a bill (due September 1) for the remainder of the estimated cost, when grape sources are confirmed and prices are better known. Grapes are provided at cost. There may be a refund or a final bill when all costs are fully known.
4. Quantities are limited and unpredictable. Priority for filling orders is established by the date your order form and deposit cheque are received by Rod Church.
5. Send this form and your cheque (made out to "NW Grapes") to: **Rod Church, 1411 Marina Way, Nanoose Bay, BC, V9P 9B8** (rod.church@shaw.ca, 468-2092). There is no time limit for orders, but please try to return this form and your cheque to "NW Grapes" by May 1 to ensure we reserve adequate quantities.

NAME: _____

If you did not order from NW Grapes in 2007 or if your information has changed since last year, please also provide the following:

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell (optional): _____

E-mail: _____

BCAWA Club: _____

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Fill in the quantity of pails you want, calculated the estimated cost for each variety, and send a cheque along with this form for half the total estimated total cost. See the notes on the website for more information about these grapes and the likely sources.

Variety	Likely Appellation	Est Price	Pails	Est Cost
Whites				
Chardonnay	Santa Barbara/Monterey 2007	110		
Gewürztraminer	Summerland, BC	135		
Pinot Gris	Santa Barbara	115		
Riesling	Washington 2007 (Brehm)	110		
Sauv Blanc	Central Coast	115		
Viognier	Paso Robles	125		
Reds				
Cab Franc	Paso Robles	85		
Cab Sauv	Paso Robles	90		
Grenache	Mendocino 2007 (Brehm)	95		
Malbec	Paso Robles and Sonoma	95		
Merlot	Paso Robles	80		
Nebbiolo	Central Coast	100		
Petit Verdot	Paso Robles	90		
Petite Sirah	Paso Robles	90		
Pinot Noir	Santa Barbara	135		
Sangiovese	Coastal	95		
Syrah	Sonoma 2007 (Brehm)	100		
Touriga Nacional	Paso Robles	90		
Zinfandel	Paso Robles	95		
Total Estimated Cost				
Deposit (half of estimated cost)				