

**Bogus Basin Ski Club Bike and Wine Tour**  
**Paul Markowitz – Trip Leader**  
**Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup> 12noon – 4pm / Gates close at 5pm**  
**RSVP: Paul at [trips@bogusbasinskiclub.org](mailto:trips@bogusbasinskiclub.org)**

Event Details: Meet at Ste. Chapelle. Bring bike, sun gear, water. A lawn chair, picnic or appetizer to share; stay and visit after the ride from 4 – 5pm.

12 mile round trip on paved roads, some gentle inclines and straight aways. We will be taste-testing through out this beautiful Sunny Slope, Snake River American Viticultural Area (AVA). Its a scenic ride! You will be responsible for tasting fees at each stop. If, you choose to sample; average is \$5 per person and is an optional activity. But, highly recommended!

A SAG wagon will be available, picking up those who like the idea of 4-wheels, when you no longer want to pedal. Or, to carry your purchase of wine!

**Bike and Wine Route: Meet at 12noon!**

**START: Ste. Chapelle** <http://stechapelle.com/> Meet at the parking lot of Ste. Chapelle

In 1975, Ste. Chapelle brought new luster to Idaho winemaking, with a commitment to fine winemaking using grapes planted among the sweeping orchards of southwestern Idaho in the Snake River Valley AVA. It has grown to become the largest winery in Idaho and a hometown favorite!

Address: 19348 Lowell Rd, Caldwell, ID 83607 (208) 453-7840

**Route: (Ride leaving parking lot .5 mi) Right onto Lowell Rd to Chicken Dinner Road > cross Hwy 55 > turn left off of Chicken Dinner Rd into Huston Vineyard. Total: 2.5 mi**

1) **Huston Vineyards** <http://www.hustonvineyards.com/>

A boutique Idaho Vineyard and winery located in the Snake River Valley AVA along the Sunnyslope Wine Trail.

Address: 16473 Chicken Dinner Rd. Caldwell, ID 83607 208-455-7975

**Route: Turn left on Chicken Dinner Rd then onto Homedale Rd > left onto Plum Rd (See Flag on corner of Homedale Rd and Plum Rd > Turn right at sign > Bitner Vineyards on Right. Total: 3.1 mi**

2) **Bitner Vineyards** <http://bitnervineyards.com/>

The vineyards are located in the beautiful Snake River valley of southwestern Idaho and the quality of the grapes is the result of the true “terroir” of the area.

Address: 16645 Plum Road, Caldwell, Idaho 83605 (208) 455-1870

**Route: Plum Rd > turn left onto Hoskins Rd > Koenig on right. (new building & location) Total: 2.4 mi**

3) **Koenig Distillery and Winery**

A new tasting room and building for Koenig! For over four generations, the Sunny Slope area has been synonymous with the highest quality fruit. Long summer days, cool nights and the temperate influence of the Snake River create an ideal climate for growing aromatic fruit and premium wine-grapes.

**Route: Hoskins Rd to Plum Rd > Hat Ranch Winery Total: 1.1 mi**

4) **Hat Ranch Winery** <http://www.hatranchwinery.com/>

For Tim Harless, the making of premium wines is a natural consequence of a life-long love of exploration, experimentation, and artistry. HAT Ranch is excited to preserve their newly established tradition of producing a strong family of great wines. Address: 15343 Plum Rd Caldwell, ID 83607 208-994-6416

**Route: Return Back to Ste. Chapelle: Plum > go south turns into Lowell > Total: 3 mi**