



## ***THE NORTH TEXAS WINEMAKERS GUILD***

**The North Texas Winemakers Guild** is a group of non-commercial winemakers and grape growers who gather together to share our winemaking experiences. The Guild meets on the third Saturday of each month, usually at a members' home, but on special occasions at other locations, such as local wineries or vineyards.

The purpose of the North Texas Winemakers Guild is to:

1. Encourage and support the art of winemaking and wine appreciation in Texas.
2. Serve as a gathering point for people who are interested in improving their winemaking skills through education, contests, sharing of information, and social interaction.

NTWG members have varied winemaking backgrounds. Some of us have just begun making wine, some have been making wine for many years. Some of us grow our own grapes, some of us purchase grapes, others make wines from other fruits, such as pears, peaches, persimmons, strawberries, etc. Following are some of the events and discussions we are planning to have this year:

- Making Guild Wines
- Blind Tastings
- How to Make Fruit Wines
- Vine Pruning and Planting
- Entering Wine Competitions
- Winery Bonding Rules and Regulations
- Acidity and Sulfides
- Customized Bottle Labels
- Commercial Winery Tastings
- Winery Visits
- December Holiday Party

Visitors are welcome at NTWG meetings. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

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