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*A Newsletter for Friends of Holy-Field*

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**Holy-Field Vineyard & Winery (est. 1994)**

**Winter 2017/2018**

## LADIES HOLIDAZE OPEN HOUSE

**Thursday, November 2nd, 6-9pm**

It's Fa La La La La for the Ladies! Shop, Taste and Be Merry! Before the crush of the holiday season we are staying open late and inviting some special vendors to share their goodies with you. The tasting room will be decked out in holiday finery and we'll have wine tasting and samples of mulled wine, sangria, jellies and lots of other delicious Wind & Willow food products. Start your holiday shopping early with some wine in your glass and visit these vendors (some vendors are still being confirmed):

**Xtensuous Accessories** - Fashionista heaven! This mobile boutique is loaded with belts, scarves, handbags and jewelry. Everything you need to make the simplest of wardrobes really stand out in a crowd. Terrific styling by Laura and you'll be hooked. Ready to look like a holiday hostess? Accessorize with the best and visit this gem of a vendor!

**Rodeo Drive Boutique** - Candace and friends will get you glammed up with the latest trends for the holidays! This boutique has all you need for making a fashion statement. Shop for friends and for you! While you shop, you can also make an appointment for a new holiday hairstyle or massage! This salon is the coolest!

**B & B Designs** - Traci Feezell's B&B Design specializes in designer t-shirts for girls and women who want to show their support for the Basehor Bobcats. Whether your sport is football, basketball, or wrestling, there's something for everyone! Have a new idea for spirit wear? Let B&B Design consult with you on a custom order as well. Meet the head cheerleader and let her outfit you in some blingy "cat style!" Great gifts for moms, aunts, cousins, grandmas. Cheer with style!

**Balanced Out Massage** - Massage is an excellent value as it has the power to improve your health and your outlook on life. Invest in yourself and those you love! The perfect gift for yourself or anyone on your list!

**Vintage Rocks** - One of a kind jewelry made with cork! Lots of unique designs that will have all your friends talking! Specialty designs can also be custom ordered. Just ask! (Located in the tasting room)

**Dee Dee's Boutique, Jewelry and Vintage Decor**  
- Check out vintage pieces recycled to create one of a kind necklaces, bracelets, earrings and more! Home furnishings are ever changing and range from all natural furniture to painted

pieces and other knick-knacks you can't resist! And crazy cute fashions for all. Just cute stuff!

**Gaudy Girlz** - Meet Amy & her one-of-a-kind, custom-made hats. No more "hat hair" worries - just add one of Amy's special "toppers!"

**CST Sweets** - Handcrafted goodness! Rich Toffee. Fresh Biscotti. Made to order in small batches. Locally made sweets from Basehor, Kansas. Perfect for Corporate gifts!

**Pink Charming Boutique** - Seriously fun shopping! Don't miss their hilarious and tongue in cheek t-shirts. Along with fresh styles! All the latest trends perfect for gifting!



All vendors will be set up in the Vineyard Room/Banquet Hall.  
RSVP: 913-724-9463

Ladies Holiday is a free event, but **we are asking each attendee to please bring canned food items to donate to our local food pantry run by the Basehor Linwood Assistance Service (BLAS).**

All vendors are donating a gift item for a chance silent auction. This is a silent auction where the guests buy tickets and place their ticket in the bowl next to the item they want. Instead of bidding on the item you are getting a chance to win it. **All proceeds from the chance silent auction will benefit the Basehor Fairmount Township Fire Station.**

The tasting room will be open for samples and holiday shopping. Wine sold by the bottle separately to enjoy while you visit the holiday boutique. Like our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/holyfieldwinery](http://www.facebook.com/holyfieldwinery) and watch for updates on this fun event.



## 2017 Holy-Field Vineyard & Winery International Wine Awards

### Florida International Wine Competition

Racy Red - Double Gold  
Amitié - Double Gold  
Vignoles - Silver  
Valvin Muscat - Silver  
Late Harvest Vignoles - Silver  
Seyval - Bronze  
Tailgate White - Bronze

### International Eastern Wine Competition

Amitié - Best of Class Double Gold  
Tailgate White - Silver  
Late Harvest Vignoles - Silver  
Chambourcin - Silver  
Corky's Barrel - Bronze  
Tailgate Red - Bronze

### Jefferson Cup National Wine Competition

Vignoles - Jefferson Cup  
Raspberry - Double Gold  
Tailgate White - Gold  
Chambourcin - Silver  
Yogi Berry Blackberry - Silver  
Corky's Barrel - Silver  
Valvin Muscat - Silver

### Finger Lakes International Wine Competition

Yogi Berry Blackberry - Best of Show Fruit Wine  
Late Harvest Vignoles - Gold  
Chambourcin - Silver  
Corky's Barrel - Silver  
Tailgate Red - Silver  
Raspberry - Silver

### Pacific Rim International Wine Competition

Valvin Muscat - Best of Class/Double Gold  
Late Harvest Vignoles - Silver  
Amitié - Silver

### Indy International Wine Competition

Late Harvest Vignoles - Double Gold  
Chambourcin - Gold  
Cynthiana - Silver  
Seyval - Silver  
Tailgate Red - Silver  
Vignoles - Bronze  
Corky's Barrel - Bronze

### Mid-American Wine Competition

Amitié - Gold Sweepstakes Nominee  
Late Harvest Vignoles - Gold Sweepstakes Nominee  
Chambourcin - Silver  
Seyval - Silver  
Vignoles - Silver  
Tailgate White - Silver  
Over the Rainbow Raspberry - Silver  
Cynthiana - Bronze  
Tailgate Red - Bronze  
Melody - Bronze  
Yogi-Berry Blackberry - Bronze



# MURDER MYSTERY DINNERS 2017 - 2018

## 2017 SHOWS:

**Friday & Saturday, October 27 & 28**

(Halloween fun)

**Sunday October 29, 4 pm, Matinee**

FULL HOUSE OF DEATH

**Friday & Saturday December 1 & 2**

(Kickoff to Holiday Fun)

**Sunday, December 3rd- 4pm matinee**

THE YULETIDE HOMICIDE

After Harvest Season our popular mystery dinners will resume in October and December. Plan ahead as these dates are already filling up! Upstage Productions is a professional acting company, they will continue to lead us in hilarity and an all around good time! Gather your book clubs, your neighborhood friends, family, car clubs or your honey... we promise you'll laugh all the way home!



## 2018 SHOWS:

**Friday & Saturday, February 9 & February 10**

(Valentine's Day)

WHO WACKED WILLIE WONKA?

**Friday & Saturday, April 6 & 7**

(Spring Break)

THE HAMILTON HOMICIDE

**Friday & Saturday, May 11 & 12**

(Mother's Day Weekend)

WHO WANTS TO MURDER A MILLIONAIRE?

**Friday & Saturday, October 26 & 27**

(Halloween Fun)

**Sunday October 28, 4 pm, Matinee**

DOCTOR WHO-DUNNIT

**Friday & Saturday, November 30-December 1**

(Kickoff to Holiday Fun)

**Sunday, December 2nd- 4pm matinee**

IT'S A WONDERFUL DEATH

\* \$50 per person

**Credit Card Reservations Required at time of booking & includes:**

- Mystery Performance and catered buffet dinner
- All shows begin at 7pm at Holy-Field Vineyard & Winery, Vineyard Room/Banquet Hall
- Wine sold separately. Wine sold by the bottle only. Only Holy-Field Wine allowed, please do not bring other alcohol.
- **Adults (21 & over) only**
- Arrive early for wine tasting & mingling with the actors.
- **Reservations required.**  
**Call 913-724-9463 for reservations.**

PLEASE NOTE: All credit cards will be run at the time reservation is made. If you are paying by cash or check, your reservation is not confirmed until payment is made. Tickets are not refundable, but you may transfer tickets. Tickets are in the form of a confirmation letter sent to the home address of the payee. If you book for several seats and pay for all of them, only one confirmation letter will be sent to the payee/reservation holder. Cancellations are not accepted within two weeks of the mystery dinner. No refunds will be made for late cancellations.

## MURDER MYSTERY DINNERS

## SANTA'S WORKSHOP!

Holiday guide to the coolest gifts this side of the North Pole. For wine lovers, a bottle of a favorite Holy-Field Wine is best enjoyed with an array of wine accessories. So why settle for ordinary wine-related gifts? We have an outstanding collection of gifts for every wine lover in your life—unique wine glasses, custom gift baskets, bottle openers, and accessories to make their vino all the more memorable. Our tasting room is loaded... where else can you sample wine & shop at the same time? Hmm... sounds like the perfect shopping excursion, and you can tell your friends you got it at HO HO HO HOLY-FIELD!



**Wine-Filled Chocolates** - Custom made chocolates filled with Holy-Field wine. Bet you can't eat just one! We have it on good authority that Santa loves these chocolates. Don't disappoint Santa...these are a Holy-Field exclusive. You absolutely won't find a

wine-filled chocolate or wine truffle like this anywhere else!

**Wine Mulling Spices** - A perfect blend of cinnamon, cloves and whole allspice berries with tangy bits of orange peel. When you simmer the blend with our Tailgate Red wine, it fills your kitchen with a rich, spicy aroma that's warm and welcoming as the drink itself.

**"Christmas Spirit" Wine Glasses** - Everyone deserves an adorable, hand-painted glasses filled with holiday cheer! We have a large variety of handpainted wine glasses that make a fun way to share the spirit of the season.

**Baskets, Bags and all the trimmings** - We specialize in gift baskets of any size or price. Let us do the work & you'll get the applause! Show your good taste and let us help you create holiday baskets for friends, family or business. Choose from a large assortment of decorative Bottle Bags and holiday inspired bottle accessories that will insure your wine is dressed for all the holiday merriment!

## HOLY-FIELD VINEYARD & WINERY 2017-2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### 2017

- Oct. 7** (Sat) & 8 (Sun) - Kaw Valley Farm Tour
- Oct. 14** (Sat) 12-4pm - Oktoberfest & Annual release of the Wine filled Chocolates
- Oct. 27** (Fri), 28 (Sat) 7pm, & 29 (Sun) 4pm - Full House of Death - Murder Mystery Dinners
- Nov. 2** (Thurs) 6-9pm - Ladies Holiday/Ladies Night Open House
- Nov. 5** (Sun) 2-5pm - Dueling Pianos
- Nov. 9** (Thurs) 6-9pm - Cork Crafting Party
- November 24-26** (Fri-Sun) Sidewalk Sale/Banquet Hall
- Dec. 1** (Fri) 7pm, 2 (Sat) 7pm, & 3 (Sun) 4pm - The Yuletide Homicide - Murder Mystery Dinners
- Dec. 9** (Sat) - Cookies for Cancer Fundraiser
- Dec. 31** (Sunday) - 2-5pm Customer Appreciation Day Music

\*Note: events and dates are subject to change.

### 2018

- Jan. 28** (Sun) 2-5pm Kansas Day Celebration Music
- Feb. 9** (Fri) & 10 (Sat) 7pm - Who Whacked Willie Wonka? - Murder Mystery Dinners
- Feb. 11** (Sun) 1-5pm Valentines Day /Mardi Gras Party Music
- Feb. 25** (Sun) 2-5pm Dueling Pianos
- March 25** (Sun) 2-5pm Dueling Pianos
- April 6** (Fri) & 7 (Sat) 7pm - The Hamilton Homicide - Murder Mystery Dinners
- April 29** (Sun) 2-5pm Dueling Pianos
- May 11** (Fri) & 12 (Sat) 7pm - Who Wants to Murder a Millionaire? - Murder Mystery Dinners
- May 20** (Sun) 1-5pm - Mayfest Music (kickoff to the summertime music series)
- May 24** (Thurs) 6-9pm - Ladies Night for Safe Harbor Dogs
- May 25** through August 3 (Fridays only) 6:30-9:30pm - Summertime Music Series

**August-September** (Sunday's) Harvest Picking Party  
Reservations accepted after July 1st.

- October 13** (Sat) noon-4pm Oktoberfest
- Oct. 26** (Fri), 27 (Sat) 7pm, & 28 (Sun) 4pm - Doctor Who-Dunnit - Murder Mystery Dinners
- Nov. 2** (Thurs) 6-9pm Ladies Holiday Open House
- Nov. 4** (Sun) 2-5pm - Dueling Pianos
- Nov. 8** (Thurs) 6-9pm Cork Crafting Party
- Nov. 30 (Fri), Dec. 1 (Sat) 7pm, & 2 (Sun) 4pm - It's a Wonderful Death - Murder Mystery Dinner
- Dec. 8** (Sat) Cookies for Cancer
- Dec. 31** (Mon) Customer Appreciation Day

**Mark your calendar  
& save the dates!**  
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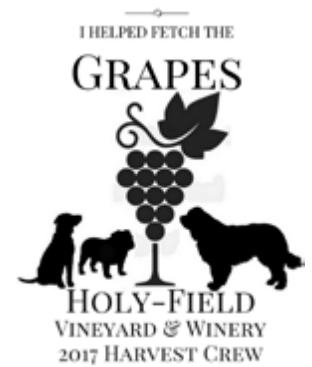
# 2017 HARVEST APPRECIATION

What a whirlwind of vineyard & cellar activity; and we couldn't be happier. Every single grape at Holy-Field is picked with the enthusiasm of our volunteer harvest crews. We couldn't do it without you. Not only do the volunteer grape pickers help with the most important task of winemaking (picking the grapes)... they add so much joy, friendship & smiles to Holy-Field. It is truly our favorite time of year, sharing the vineyard with so many happy people. Every Sunday we are privileged to host families, friends, children and wine enthusiasts in the vineyard. I am convinced that the volunteers add to our thriving vineyard. From all of us at Holy-Field, we send out a huge round of applause for sharing your time and energy with us. The cellar is full of new wine and we can't wait to share it with you.

Behind the scenes, we are fortunate to have the volunteer help of many friends. They keep the tractors going, the tires inflated, the cellar equipment running, the buckets & lugs washed & the kitchen full of delicious meals...oh, and the best Sangria around!

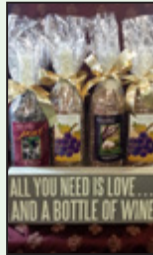
Thank you friends: Patrick Meyer, Mandy Hampton, Kathy Bryant, Holly Tucker, Alex Tucker, Stephanie Spears, Alva Weston, Margaret, Erin Farr, Dawn Wilmes, Merle Schneck, Katie Lamons, Paul Stewart, Jake Potts, Logan Potts, Linda Whisman, Rumpelstiltskin, Alex D., Fred Whisman, Justin, T.J., Jack, Andrew, Jake, Cooper, Gerty and Hambone. And Bacchus, Vinnie and Sinbad, our angel wine dogs

**Thank You, Holy-Field 2017 Harvest Crew!**



## PreOrder Now! Chocolate Dipped Wine Bottles.

This is a custom made chocolate dipped bottle. We are taking orders for these favorite gifts.



Here are the specifics:

1. Select your wine from our wine list
2. Indicate if you want a milk chocolate dip or a dark chocolate dip. (Note: If you select dark, then there will be an artsy drizzle of milk chocolate on top of the dip, and vice versa)
3. Call in your order and prepayment no later than Monday, Nov. 27th. Call 913-724-9463 to place your order.
4. Orders will be available for pick up on Wed., Dec. 13th

Please note that these chocolate dipped bottles are custom made for us by Annedore's Fine Chocolates. For your order to be completed on time, please place your order by the deadline. Thank you. This is a very special gift and your recipient will be oohing and aahing and enjoying. And won't it be great if they decide to share with you?!

**Thanksgiving Pairings** – The Tasting Room is open every day throughout the holiday season and we are thrilled to help visitors with pairings for their holiday table.

**Dueling Pianos – Sunday Nov. 5, 2-5pm**

**After Thanksgiving Sale Friday, Nov. 24 - Sunday, Nov. 26**

A weekend of super buys on some great gifts! The sidewalk sale is set up in the Banquet Hall. Don't miss these goodies! Perfect place to start your holiday shopping for the wine lover on your list.

NOTE: Only gift items on sale.

**Kansas Day! Sunday, January 28th, 2-5PM** Celebrate Kansas Statehood Day with music by **The Coal Creek Band** & Birthday Cake. A good old fashioned "Home on the Range" party celebrating 157 years. (This is a free event.) Cake and music in the banquet hall.

**Valentines Day & Mardi Gras Party –  
Let the Good Times Roll!**

**Sunday, February 11, 1-5PM**

Wear your heart on your sleeve, your beads and "laissez le bon temps rouler!" Grab your friends for some afternoon fun! Celebrate with live music by **The Dog House Daddies** (<http://www.doghousedaddies.com>). Authentic Cajun cuisine from the **Cajun Cabin Food Truck** (<http://cajuncabin.org/> or [www.facebook.com/cajuncabin](http://www.facebook.com/cajuncabin)) \$7 per person, children 12 and under free. Wine & Food sold separately. Music will be playing in the Banquet Hall.

**More Dueling Pianos – Save the Dates! Sundays from 2-5pm, Feb. 12, March 25 & April 29**

Celebrate all spring with the best entertainment around! Back by popular demand! Bring your friends for an afternoon of "Dueling Piano's" fun! The Vineyard Room/ Banquet Hall will be filled with the sounds of music from the 1930's all the way up to current rock n' roll favorites! Don't be late! This is a very popular afternoon full of fun. Our dueling piano's will be manned by Dennis Laffoon (Shooting Star fame) and Tony Rustici. This will be an afternoon of "sing-along" fun! So lace up your dancin' shoes and plan on listening, dancing and singing along! Bet you can't sit still! Adults \$7. Children 12 and under are free. Wine sold by the bottle separately.

## Upcoming Events



## FAMILY PORTRAITS IN THE VINES!

Join us on **Friday, October 6th or 20th** for a very special event to raise money for a local amazing organization called **Paws for Freedom**. They train service dogs for children and adults with disabilities. Paws for Freedom is a 501c(3) non-profit organization that trains service dogs for people who use wheelchairs. Located in Leavenworth County.



On these two days, October 6th and 20th we will have two fabulously talented portrait artists at the winery, available for portraits in the vines. Donate \$99 to Paws for Freedom and you'll receive a portrait certificate valued at \$400. Your portrait certificate will cover the \$100 session fee and the remainder will be applied towards your order. The remaining value will cover two 8x10's without any further investment by you, but trust us, you are going to love these portraits and want to decorate your home with them!

About the photographers...are you familiar with Mark Braswell of Strauss Peyton? This is his son, Jonathan and his wife, Kaela. Their studio is SPC Portrait Art and they are based in Overland Park. They've

set up their studio to focus on giving back to the community first, in fact, they have a goal of donating \$250,000 in goods and services every year to organizations such as Paws for Freedom! We are lucky to have them!

Jonathan and Kaela recently visited Holy-Field and did our portraits. What a fun experience. These artists really capture family memories to treasure. Don't miss this opportunity to showcase your family in the setting of the vines!

There are two Fridays available for the Portraits in the Vines, October 6th and 20th. There are 9 slots open for both days. **Call the SPC studio at 913-636-5478 to schedule your time slot and pay your donation for Paws For Freedom. SPC Portrait Art will set you up with information about what to expect and how to prepare for your session. If you have questions for Jonathan and Kaela, you call them direct at their studio at 913-636-5478. Feel free to browse more of their terrific work at [www.SPCPortraitArt.com](http://www.SPCPortraitArt.com)**



## CELLAR NEWS

The cellar rats have been busy, busy, busy in the wine cellar. Look for the release of all your favorites. We are working hard to bring back the sold out wines. The 2017 Vintage looks great. Cheers to a new vintage! The Tasting Room is open every day. (Closed Thanksgiving Day & Christmas Day)

JEFFERSON CUP  
WINE  
INVITATIONAL

www.thejeffersoncup.com

Holy-Field Winery has been invited to participate in the 18th Annual Jefferson Cup Wine Invitational. Chief Judge, Doug Frost, extends the invitation to wineries based upon their excellence and we are proud to be included. Our tasting room proudly displays 8 Jefferson Cup trophies and has earned several more Jefferson Cup Nominations & medals. The Jefferson Cup partners with Angel Flight Central Charity for the Wine Flight Benefit. Cheers to Jefferson, father of American wine, & a wine competition that gives back to charity.



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**Sunday, Nov. 5,** Dueling Pianos, 2-5pm

**Thursday, Nov. 9,** Cork Crafting Party

**Friday, Nov. 24-Sunday, Nov. 26** - Sidewalk Sale

**Saturday, Dec. 9,** Shirley's Cookies For Cancer  
(benefits KU Cancer Center) 10am til sold out

**Saturday, Dec. 9,** Visit Santa from 11am - 1pm

**Sunday, Dec. 31,** Customer Appreciation Day,  
2-5pm w/The Coal Creek Band

This institution is an equal opportunity provider

SHIRLEY'S COOKIES  
FOR CANCER

**Christmas Cookie Sale to Benefit KU Cancer Center**  
**Saturday December 9, 10am-5pm**  
**Visit Santa from Noon-2pm**

Shirley's Cookies For Cancer Benefit is named in honor of Shirley Meyer, Michelle's mom. Shirley was our first tasting room hostess and original Holy-Field "cheerleader." Please join us in the fight with a good old fashioned Cookie sale. All proceeds will benefit the KU Cancer Center. Here's a way to purchase a variety of homemade, holiday cookie treats and support an important cause. The holidays are all about giving and we can't think of a better way to reach out and give back than "Cookies for Cancer." By the way, Shirley had a real sweet tooth, and cookies were a favorite!

- **Volunteers needed to bake & donate cookies. If you would like to donate cookies or baked goods please contact us by Saturday, December 3. All cookies should be delivered to the winery on or before Friday, December 8th. Please call 913-724-9463 to volunteer.** Last year we had church groups, mom's clubs, book clubs & whole neighborhoods get together and they baked up a storm!
- Cookies will be offered mix and match and sold for \$10.00 per generous pound (or any donation you can offer).
- Be sure to stock your cookie jar with Santa's favorites.

P.S. Santa likes wine too!

SEASON'S  
GREETINGS

Season's greetings from the very merry team  
at Holy-Field Vineyard & Winery.  
We wish you joy and peace in 2018  
May this good cheer last throughout the year.

From your friends at Holy-Field Vineyard & Winery  
- Les and Michelle

CORK CRAFTING PARTY ~  
SAVE YOUR CORKS!

**Thursday, Nov. 9th ~ 6-9pm**  
**at Holy-Field Winery Banquet Hall**

Corks & fun galore! Bring your ideas, crafting supplies (glue guns, etc) and get crafty with us! This is our 8th annual Cork Crafting Party and each year we meet cork enthusiasts with some brilliant ideas! This is your chance to gather your family (children welcome), friends, book club, bunko group or just an evening out to enjoy some wine & cork crafting. Bring your corks and crafting supplies (glue guns, embellishments, etc.) and we'll see how creative we can get. We will have some ideas and a few crafting supplies to share. Lots of corks to craft with and some light snacks. We are counting on you to bring some new ideas. Holy-Field Wine sold separately. **RSVP to 913-724-9463.** Be prepared for a "cork poppin" good time! Get inspired and check us out on Pinterest at [www.pinterest.com/holyfieldwinery/got-corks/](http://www.pinterest.com/holyfieldwinery/got-corks/)

A TOAST TO YOU!

**Customer Appreciation Day:**  
**Sunday, December 31, 2-5pm**  
**The Coal Creek Band**

Kick off our 24-year birthday party with us and celebrate as we extend a heartfelt thank you for visiting Holy-Field. It's our way of showing you our appreciation for your patronage. Please join us for an afternoon of fun at our annual Customer Appreciation Day! Come for an afternoon of snacks, birthday cake, mulled wine samples (tasting room only), music by *The Coal Creek Band* and a hearty Holy-Field Thank You! Music will be playing in the Vineyard Room/ Banquet Hall. Maybe even a 5 o'clock sing a long of "Auld Lang Syne!"