

## **The Wineries of the Seneca Lake Wine Trail In Upstate New York's Finger Lakes Region**

Seneca Lake Wine Trail, located along the shores of Seneca Lake in Upstate New York's Finger Lakes Region, is one of the largest wine appellations in the eastern United States. Its 32 member wineries produce a diverse selection of world-class award-winning wines from hardy native grapes and premium hybrids as well as Riesling, Gewürztraminer, Chardonnay, Cabernet Franc and Pinot Noir. In addition to wine, Seneca Lake Wine Trail members also include a meadery, distillery, hard cider producer and three breweries. While there are several qualifications for membership, one of the most important attributes is that a majority of the wine sold in a member's tasting room has been created using grapes harvested within the appellation, assuring visitors that when they are visiting our member wineries, they are sampling and purchasing genuine Seneca Lake wine.

Members of the Seneca Lake Wine Trail are:

### **Anthony Road Wine Company**

1020 Anthony Road,  
Penn Yan, NY 14527

[www.anthonroadwine.com](http://www.anthonroadwine.com)

315.536.2182

800.559.2182

Located in Yates County on the west side of Seneca Lake, Anthony Road Wine Company was established in 1973 when owners Ann and John Martini planted their first grape vine and later developed a winery in 1990. Using only grapes grown in the Finger Lakes region, Anthony Road Wine Company produces award-winning wines from dry to dessert.

The uniquely designed, award-winning tasting room and professionally landscaped gardens provide a relaxed atmosphere to savor Anthony Road Wine Companies distinct wines including the premium limited edition wine series and Martini-Reinhardt Selection Series.

Recent Medals: 2012 New York State Fair Wine Competition, Gold, 2010 Cabernet Franc/Lemberger. 2012 Riesling du Monde, Gold, 2009 Riesling Martini-Reinhardt Selection. 2012 Finger Lakes International Wine Competition, Gold, 2011 Riesling

**Atwater Estate Vineyards**

5055 State Route 414  
Hector, NY 14841

[www.atwatervineyards.com](http://www.atwatervineyards.com)

607.546.VINE (8463)  
800. 331.7323

Atwater Estate Vineyards and Winery is owned by Ted Marks and located on a glacier-carved hillside on the southeastern shore of Seneca Lake. Atwater's wine portfolio includes quality viniferas, innovative blends, sparkling and dessert wines.

Atwater vineyards contain 16 different high quality grape varieties that are grown in controlled quantities to insure consistent production of clean and innovative wines, vintage after vintage. As a small boutique winery, Atwater's production level is limited to around 8,500 cases annually.

Friendly and knowledgeable staff welcomes visitors year-round to taste the wines and take in the breath-taking panorama of the vineyards overlooking Seneca Lake.

Recent Medals: 2011 New York Wine & Food Classic, Best Sweet Riesling, 2009 Sweet Riesling, Best Hybrid White Blend, Stone Bridge White. 2011 Tasters Guild International Wine Competition, Gold, 2009 Pinot Gris

**Belhurst Winery**

4069 State Route 14 South  
Geneva, NY 14456

[www.belhurst.com](http://www.belhurst.com)

315. 781.0201

Belhurst Winery, a boutique winery, is owned by the Reeder family and is located on the estate of Belhurst, listed on the National Register of Historic Properties.

Belhurst properties include three hotels: Belhurst Castle, built in 1885, voted "one of the Most Romantic Places" in New York State; White Springs Manor, built around 1900; and The Vinifera Inn which opened in 2004. Belhurst's restaurant, Edgar's, has won the Award of Excellence in the Wine Spectator Restaurant Awards Program for 13 consecutive years for its extensive wine list featuring over 250 wines from around the world and the Finger Lakes Region. Stonecutter's Pub and Isabella Salon-Spa are also located on the property.

Since 2004, Belhurst Winery has garnered over 200 medals for its wines including Riesling, Merlot, Blush, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Cabernet Franc.

**Castel Grisch Winery**  
3380 County Route 28  
Watkins Glen, NY 14891  
[www.castelgrisch.com](http://www.castelgrisch.com)  
607.535.9614

The original Swiss owners of Castel Grisch Winery chose the vineyard's location owing to its panoramic outlook, reminiscent of Switzerland. Today, the Malina family and staff carry on the founder's European traditions with a commitment to produce fine wines and tastefully distinct cuisine.

Castle Grisch's wine portfolio includes white, red and blush wines as well as limited production wines such as Chardonnay Reserve, Riesling, Traminette, Baco Noir, Chancellor, Vidal Blanc Ice Wine.

Castel Grisch features a German/Swiss gourmet restaurant with additional terrace dining overlooking the vineyards and Seneca Lake.

**Catharine Valley Winery**  
4201 State Route 414  
Burdett, NY 14818  
[www.catharinevalley.com](http://www.catharinevalley.com)  
607.456.5300

Opened in 2003 Catharine Valley Winery produces a range of products, including Riesling, unoaked Chardonnay, Port and hard cider. The tasting room, a renovated horse barn, was renovated by co-owner Don Killcoyne and possesses a unique, rustic charm. The winery's name was borrowed from a locally known French and Mohawk woman named Catharine (pronounced Cathareen) Montour, also known as Queen Catharine, who lived in the area with her Seneca chief husband in the 1700s and was known for her grace and cordiality. Names of Catharine Valley's wines, like the winery itself, are taken from local lore and virtually all bottles depict a story from the local Schuyler County archives.

**Caywood Vineyards**  
9666 State Route 414  
Caywood, NY 14841  
[www.caywoodvineyards.com](http://www.caywoodvineyards.com)  
607.582.7230

Caywood Vineyards, located next to the Finger Lakes National Forest on Seneca Lake, produces estate-bottled wines including Dessert White, Late Harvest Vidal Blanc, Vidal Blanc Ice Wine and Caywood Dry Riesling.

An exquisitely restored 1800's barn with a redwood and oak bar handcrafted from recycled wine tanks and a 3-story fireplace made from native stone serves as the Caywood Vineyard's tasting room and packing house.

### **Chateau LaFayette Reneau Winery And Inn**

5081 State Route 414

Hector, NY 14841

[www.clrwine.com](http://www.clrwine.com)

607.546.2062

800.469.9463

Chateau LaFayette Reneau Winery has been awarded “Winery of the Year” by Tasters Guild International and has also recently received two Governor’s Cups Awards. With 140 acres of premium vineyards, Chateau Lafayette international award-winning wines include, Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinot Noir, Merlot, Chardonnay and Reislings.

The winery is one of the most photographed in New York State. The restored Craftsman style ten-room farmhouse features a wrap-around deck, and was originally built as the home of fruit farmer George Cortin in the year 1911. The restored and updated guest rooms offer breathtaking views of the Reneau vineyards and Seneca Lake creating the perfect combination of simple luxury and preserved antiquity.

### **Earle Estates Winery & Meadery**

2770 State Route 14

Penn Yan, NY 14527

[www.meadery.com](http://www.meadery.com)

315.536.6755

Family owned and operated Earle Estates Winery and Meadery, is one of the few meaderies in the country to produce Honey Wine (or Mead). Since 1993, Earle Estates has produced more than 20 different Meads, fruit wines and grape wines. Consistently recognized at national and international wine competitions, Earle Estates wines have received Gold, Silver and Bronze medals as well as several Fruit and Mead championships and best of class awards.

During the summer season, visitors can view a honeybee observation hive, taste fresh honey and learn about the culture of bees as well as Mead making. A spacious tasting room with pillared porches, numerous windows and beautiful pine and oak woodwork adjoins Earle Estates Winery to its sister winery, Torrey Ridge. The gift shop features a large selection of wine-related gift items as well as hand painted glassware, pottery, gourmet sauces, shirts and hats.

**Fox Run Vineyards**

670 State Route 14  
Penn Yan, NY 14527  
www.foxrunvineyards.com  
315.536.4616  
800.636.9786

Fox Run Vineyards is located on Torrey Ridge overlooking one of the deepest parts of Seneca Lake. Family owned and operated by Scott & Ruth Osborn, and Kathy and Albert Zafonte, Fox Run Vineyards produces a remarkable range of fine wines.

Fox Run Vineyards now has 55 acres planted with Chardonnay, Gewürztraminer, Riesling, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Gamay Beaujolais, Lemberger, Cabernet Sauvignon and Pinot Noir. Fox Run's portfolio includes Chardonnay, Reserve Chardonnay, Semi-Dry Riesling, Dry Riesling to Merlot, Pinot Noir and Cabernet Sauvignon -- plus two proprietaries: Arctic Fox, a blend of whites and Ruby Vixen, a semi-dry blush. New releases include a Meritage blended from Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and a ruby-style Port.

A converted Civil War Era dairy barn is Fox Run's Tasting Room and gourmet Café. The Fox Run Café and Market features local cheeses, charcuterie, small amounts of produce and fresh baked bread, along with a wide variety of New York State products ranging from pickles to salad dressings, pasta to hot sauce, and much more. The Café pairs wine flights with cheese boards for al fresco dining on the deck overlooking Seneca Lake, while the Market will be a convenient stop for locals and visitors alike looking for artisan New York products.

**Fruit Yard Winery**

5060 State Route 14  
Dundee, NY 14837  
www.fruityardwinery.com  
607.243.8866

Located in a distinctive, cherry-red structure that once housed a fruit stand, and opened in 2009, Fruit Yard Winery specializes in wines made from grapes and other fruit. Their entire lineup is produced from crops grown in New York state, with a majority of the fruit harvested from the Finger Lakes Region. Fruit Yard Winery produces and sells over 20 different fruit and grape wines.. Along with traditional wines such as Chardonnay, Pinot Grigio, Riesling, Traminette, Cabernet Franc, and Merlot, etc. the Fruit Yard also produces several sweet fruit wines - Peach, Cranberry, Cherry, Strawberry, Plum, Blueberry, Apple, with more to come.

Recent Medals: 2011 New York Wine & Food Classic; 2010 Peach Gold; 2011 Indy International, 2010 Pinot Grigio, Double Gold; 2011 Finger Lakes International, 2007 Cabernet Franc, Double Gold

**Fulkerson Winery**

5576 State Route 14

Dundee, NY 14837

[www.fulkersonwinery.com](http://www.fulkersonwinery.com)

607.243.7883

Fulkerson Winery was founded in 1989 by Sayre and Nancy Fulkerson on farmland established in 1805 by Caleb Fulkerson, making Sayre the 6th generation to run the family farm. Under the stewardship of Sayre, Fulkerson wines have received hundreds of national and international medals for its vinifera, hybrid and native varieties, which include Riesling, Cabernet Franc, Lemberger, Noiret, Dornfelder, Ravat 51, Himrod, Traminette, Vincent & Ice Wines.

A new Fulkerson Winery tasting room, expanded juice plant and gift shop was built in 2005 in time to celebrate the farms 200th anniversary, allowing for an enhanced visitor experience. In 2008, the winery celebrates its 20th Anniversary.

**Glenora Wine Cellars**

5435 State Route 14

Dundee, NY 14837

[www.glenora.com](http://www.glenora.com)

800.243.5513

Glenora Wine Cellars, opened in 1977, is the oldest winery on Seneca Lake and is owned by Gene Pierce and Scott Welliver. Located on the west side of Seneca Lake, Glenora Wine Cellars produces 45,000 cases annually and has received critical acclaim for its wines.

Glenora has won numerous international and national medals for its extensive collection of wines including Dry Red Varietals, Dry Red Blends, Meritage Blends, Semi-sweet Red Blend, Sweet Red Blends, Dry White Varietals, Semi-dry White Varietals, Sweet White Varietals, Semi-dry White Blends, Semi-sweet Blush Blend, Fruit & Grape Wine Blends, Ports, Dry Sparkling Wines and Semi-sweet sparkling Wine.

Glenora's 30-room Inn and Veraisons Restaurant offers guests from around the world some of the finest accommodations and gourmet cuisine featuring local produce in the Finger Lakes.

### **Hazlitt 1852 Vineyards**

5712 State Route 414

PO Box 207

Hector, NY 14841

[www.hazlitt1852.com](http://www.hazlitt1852.com)

888.750.0494

Located on the eastern shore of Seneca Lake Hazlitt 1852 Vineyards was established in 1984 by the late Jerry Hazlitt and his wife Elaine Hazlitt who continues as president of the company.

The family has been growing grapes and orchard fruits for a living since 1852. The winery and vineyards are now managed by sixth generation family members Doug Hazlitt and Leigh (Hazlitt) Triner. The first vintage was in 1984 and the winery produces just over 240,000 cases annually. Hazlitt's has embraced the demand for award-winning Finger Lakes Riesling, Cabernet Franc, Pinot Gris, and Gewurztraminer. The operation is also the Home of the Red Cat, a popular sweet Catawba blend with a light-hearted reputation for bringing fun to any gathering, and the best-selling New York wine in the state. Innovative and progressive vineyard management, state of the art production facilities, and a forward thinking staff remain key elements in fostering the growing national interest in Hazlitt wines.

One of the Top 25 Tasting Rooms in the United States according to the May 2008 issue of the Wine Enthusiast Magazine, the Hazlitt tasting room, including the famous horseshoe bar, provides a relaxing visit for those who enjoy their wine with stories, jokes, and smiles. This casual approach affords visitors an opportunity to spend a little more time learning about wine in an informal atmosphere without intimidation. With its picnic tables, sparkling ponds and rolling horse pastures, the winery property also invites people to enjoy the region's quiet charm.

### **Hickory Hollow and Highland Wine Cellars**

5289 State Route 14

Dundee, NY 14837

[www.hickoryhollowwine.com](http://www.hickoryhollowwine.com)

607.243.9114

Located on the western side of Seneca Lake, the winery was founded in 2003 by Bruce and Suzanne Kendall, and winemaker Peter Oughterson and his wife Cindy.

Their wines are produced using only superb fruit and include fine vinifera wines Chardonnay, Cuvée Blanc (Highland Cellars), Gewürztraminer-(Highland Cellars), Riesling-(Highland Cellars), Semi-Dry Riesling-(Hickory Hollow), Cayuga White-(Highland Cellars), sweet white wine and red wines including the always popular Liquid Wisdom.

**J.R. Dill Winery**  
4922 State Route 414  
Burdett, NY 14818  
www.jrdillwinery.com  
607.546.5757

J.R. Dill got his start 10 years ago making wine as a hobby in his parent's basement. Things progressed from there and in 2009 founded J.R. Dill Winery. J.R. Dill's great grandfather, H.J. Dill worked in the vineyards here over 100 years ago. Looking to continue the tradition, J.R. Dill takes his passion for wine and the Finger Lakes and puts it into every aspect of the winery. J.R. Dill personally invites you to visit for a tasting, and more likely than not J.R. will be there to greet you.

One of the winery's prominent features is its unique "Seneca Lake glass" tasting bar, featuring thousands of pieces of worn glass retrieved from the shores of Seneca Lake over many decades by Jeffrey and his family.

The Speedy Grape food truck parked permanently aside the winery in mid-2012, giving visitors to the region yet another reason to visit this popular winery.

Recent Medals: Bronze, 2009 Cabernet Franc; Silver, 2010 Dry Riesling

**Kings Garden Vineyards**  
9085 State Route 414  
Lodi, NY 14860  
www.kingsgardenvineyards.com  
607.582.7444

The vineyard is located in the Finger Lakes "banana belt" region, just a quarter mile from the eastern shore of Seneca Lake on a 28-acre parcel. At 700 feet elevation, it gently slopes with Conesus loam soils. Importantly, the vineyard faces water and is open to accept the prevailing winds across Seneca Lake, which maintains a microclimate of regulating temperatures due to its deep waters that seldom freeze.

The original planting started in 1998, which comprised of 8 acres that were hand grafted from California scion and rootstock material developed by the owner. Special attention was given to clone types that would produce great old style wines and small berry cluster for better air flow to lessen the probability of mildews and fungus in the colder wet climate of New York which impacts wine quality.

Owners Mike and Corinne, have a passion for wine and viticulture, growing only vinifera fruit on their 16-acre vineyard since 1998. The vineyard, located at Lodi Point in Lodi, NY, has been producing luscious and elegant fruit for ten years. Currently offering varieties: Chardonnay, fermented in oak barrel and stainless steel, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Syrah, Cabernet Franc, Pinot Noir and Bordeaux-style blends.

Owner and winemaker, Michael Oleksyn, explained the winery's concept, "When these lands were occupied by European Kings, Their troops and subjects grew vegetables for food on a patch of ground that was commonly referred to as The "Kings Garden". Within those gardens they planted vines from European cuttings, with the hope to make wine. For the most part, due to the climate and insect life, those cuttings never matured to fulfill their dreams. Our name "Kings Garden Vineyards" is a tribute to those who treaded and tried before us."

Recent Medals: 2011 NYS Wine & Food Classic, Silver, King's Cab (reserve Cabernet Sauvignon) 2010; Silver, Cabernet Franc; Silver, Barrel Select Merlot. Grand Harvest Awards, Silver, 2008 Chardonnay .



**Lakewood Vineyards**  
4024 State Route 14  
Watkins Glen, NY 14891  
[www.lakewoodvineyards.com](http://www.lakewoodvineyards.com)  
607.535.9252  
877.535.9252

Lakewood Vineyards, on the western side of Seneca Lake, has been farmed by the Stamp family for four generations. Established in 1951, for 36 years it was a commercial grape producer until 1988 when wine production commenced. Using time-honored techniques like small barrel fermentation and aging in combination with state-of-the-art equipment, this family owned and operated vineyard produces a diverse selection of award-winning wines.

Lakewood's product line includes its 2005 Chardonnay that was recently awarded four gold medals as well as Ice Wines, Ports and Mead.

**Lamoreaux Landing Wine Cellars**  
9224 State Route 414  
Lodi, NY 14860  
[www.lamoreauxwine.com](http://www.lamoreauxwine.com)  
607.582.6011

Lamoreaux Landing Wine Cellars, owned by Mark Wagner and located in a distinctive Greek revival building on the eastern shore of Seneca Lake, has consistently been growing and producing award winning vinifera wines since 1990.

The wineries European-style estate-bottled premium wines have won numerous national and international awards. Most recently Lamoreaux Landing won gold medals for its 2006 Dry Riesling and 2006 Semi-Dry Riesling with a Double Gold medal and Best of Class being awarded to the 2006 Riesling Ice in the dessert wine category.

**Leidenfrost Vineyards**  
5677 State Route 414  
Hector, NY 14841  
[www.leidenfrostwine.com](http://www.leidenfrostwine.com)  
607.546.2800

Leidenfrost farm is located on the east side of Seneca Lake, and since 1945 the Leidenfrost family has been growing premium wine grapes. In 1984, present proprietor John Leidenfrost Jr., assumed control and planted premium European Vinifera varieties. Leidenfrost Vineyards was founded in 1990 and was one of the first Finger Lakes wineries to feature a broad spectrum of red wines, including Pinot Noir, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Baco Noir.

A unique timber frame tasting room overlooking Seneca Lake welcomes visitors to sample Leidenfrost Vineyards red wines as well as its Riesling, Gewurztraminer, Cayuga White, Catawba and Niagara wines.

**Miles Wine Cellars**

168 Randall Crossing Road  
Himrod, NY 14842

[www.mileswinecellars.com](http://www.mileswinecellars.com)

607. 243.7742

Miles Wine Cellars, owned by Doug Miles and Suzie Hayes, is located in a 200-year old mansion overlooking Seneca Lake and produces premium quality wines such as Cabernet Franc, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Riesling Semi-dry White Blends and a Sweet Blush.

The Miles Wine Cellars tasting room is located in a Greek Revival home, originally built in 1802 as a Federal style farm house. It was converted to Greek Revival in the 1850's by the Miles Raplee family. When Doug found the house in 1978, it had not been lived in for nearly 50 years. It was painstakingly renovated and is now listed on the National Historical Register. The house was once part of the Underground Railroad and is known to be haunted by more than one ghost.

**Penguin Bay Winery**

6075 State Route 414

Hector, NY 14841

[www.penguinbaywinery.com](http://www.penguinbaywinery.com)

607.546.5115

315.549.8326

Penguin Bay Winery established a unique partnership with the Rosamond Gifford Zoo in Syracuse, NY, when the zoo added a Humboldt Penguin exhibit. A portion of the proceeds of the Penguin Bay wines are donated to the zoo. The winery features a selection of premium varietal wines including Pinot Grigio, Gewürztraminer, Riesling, Pinot Noir and Cabernet Franc, as well as several penguin-inspired blends such as Tuxedo White and Tuxedo Red.

The Penguin Bay tasting room also offers premium sparkling wines from sister wineries Swedish Hill and Goose Watch. Swedish Hill sparkling wines have twice been awarded the Governor's Cup, and both Swedish Hill and Goose Watch have received "Best of Show honors in the sparkling wine category at multiple national and international wine competitions.

**Prejean Winery**

2634 State Route 14  
Penn Yan, NY 14527

[www.prejeanwinery.com](http://www.prejeanwinery.com)

315.536.7524  
800.548.2216

Prejean Wine was founded by James and Elizabeth Prejean in 1978 when they purchased 53 acres of land overlooking Seneca Lake and began growing grapes. In 1985 the winery was built and Prejean winery officially opened in 1986 and to this day is owned and managed by the Prejean family.

The wines of Prejean Winery are produced using premium estate grown grapes from eight varieties grown on-site: Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Riesling, Gewurztraminer, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris.

**Red Newt Cellars**

3675 Tichenor Road  
Hector, NY 14841

[www.rednewt.com](http://www.rednewt.com)

607.546.4100

Red Newt Cellars is located on the east side of Seneca Lake in the hamlet of Hector in the Finger Lakes region of New York. In addition to producing world class wines from east Seneca Lake vineyards, Red Newt Cellars offers innovative Finger Lakes cuisine in the Red Newt Bistro and exquisite catering services with Exclusively Newt. Red Newt Cellars wines are produced from Finger Lakes grapes sourced from our neighboring grape growers with whom we have long term relationships. Vinification occurs here, underneath the Red Newt tasting room.

It is their vision to create broad recognition of the Finger Lakes as a world class wine and culinary region and establish Red Newt Cellars as the leader of the region by creating a synergy of food and wine. It is their mission to develop an unquestionable reputation for our ability to deliver exceptional quality in everything they do and to consistently meet and exceed expectations. Red Newt is committed to producing exceptional wine and innovative regional cuisine presented with exemplary service in an intimate atmosphere that makes every customer feel unique and that results in long lasting relationships. Red Newt is also committed to the betterment of their extended community by providing rewarding work opportunities to their family of employees and enriching their community through involvement in local arts, charities, and community activities.

Red Newt Cellars' portfolio of hand crafted wines encompasses Riesling, Gewürztraminer, Pinot Gris and Sauvignon Blanc as well as robust and fruity selections such as Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah.

### **Rock Stream Vineyards**

162 Fir Tree Point Road  
Rock Stream, NY 14878  
www.rockstreamvineyards.com  
607.243.5395

Rock Stream Vineyards is an estate winery owned and operated by Dr. Mark Karasz. Mark has a PhD in chemistry and spent 3 years in Italy learning wine and Grappa production. After returning from Italy, he founded Rock Stream Vineyards and began growing his own grapes, making and bottling wine, brandy, Grappa and ports while designing and printing his own labels. The tasting room on Route 14 and Fir Tree Point Road has been open since 2005 and is now Seneca Lake's only winery that is also a licensed Grappa and Grape Brandy distillery. The vineyard has 40 acres of vines producing 200 tons of grapes annually to supply several large wineries. Using a small fraction of the production, the winery focuses on producing premium, hand-crafted wines in small batches. The wines undergo a long, cool fermentation in small stainless steel tanks to concentrate flavor and bouquet. The result is a clean, crisp, and balanced taste that truly makes Rock Stream wine "The Wine of Your Life."®

Recent Medals: 2011 New York Wine & Food Classic, Gold, Rock Stream Vineyards Grappa

### **Seneca Shore Wine Cellars**

State Route 14 & Davy Road  
Penn Yan, NY 14527  
[www.SenecaWine.com](http://www.SenecaWine.com)  
315.536.0882  
800.LUV.VINO

Seneca Shore Wine Cellars grows, produces, and sells premium Finger Lakes wines as the Medieval Winery of the Finger Lakes. The inside of our tasting room is fashioned after a castle, with museum quality reproductions of Medieval weapons: 13 swords, 6 helmets, 7 shields, and various other implements.

Founded in 1997, Seneca Shore has 48 acres of award winning vineyards producing Gold Medal Cabernet Sauvignon & Merlot, and other vinifera varieties such as Riesling, Chardonnay, Pinot Grigio, Gewurztraminer, Cabernet Franc, Pinot Noir, and Lemberger, as well as Port and Fruit Wines.

With more than 40 different wines produced, the visitor is sure to find a wine to fit their style; from Dry to Sweet, Red to White. Seneca Shore Wine Cellars also has a wide range of wine price points to fit every budget: several wines from \$7.99 up to \$28.99. The large deck with rocking chairs overlooking Seneca Lake is a friendly place to visit and stock up the home wine rack.

### **Three Brothers Wineries and Estates**

623 Lerch Road  
Geneva, NY 14456  
www.3brotherswinery.com  
315.585.4432

Three unique wineries and a microbrewery all in one place!

Stony Lonesome Wine Cellars- more traditional of wineries on the complex offering Estate-grown Vinifera wines handcrafted in the European tradition.

Passion Feet Wine Barn- this french boutique tasting room is sure to please with it's chic label designs and extensive gift shop.

Bagg Dare Wine Company- modeled after a 1950's Louisiana road-stop, this winery is for the rabble-rouser in every crowd. Wander down the dirt path and find fun, edgy labels with a 60's flair.

War Horse Brewing Company- a WWII themed aircraft hanger, features microbrews with names like Gunny Mac American Black Lager and they even have an ale made with Riesling!

Come experience Three Brothers Wineries- bold, brazen and brilliant!

Recent Award: Gold in San Francisco Chronicle International Wine Competition, Zero Degree of Riesling 2012

### **Tickle Hill Winery**

3839 Ball Diamond Road,  
Hector, NY 14841  
[www.TickleHillWinery.com](http://www.TickleHillWinery.com)  
607.546.7740

Tickle Hill Winery is a small family owned and operated winery located on the east side of Seneca Lake producing award-winning White Wines (Cayuga White, Niagara, Sophisticat, Susie Q, White Delight); Red Wines (Cabernet Franc, Grape-Full Red, Rose, Sweetie Pie, Tickle Phil, Vincent); Blush Wines (Tickle Me Pink and Tickle My Fancy); Specialty Wines (Dandy Wine, Hector Nectar, Peach Fuzz, Pineappalicious and Razzle Dazzle). Tickle Hill produces a lime wine, named Lime Tyme, which is a unique one of a kind wine similar to a mojito without the mint. It pairs well with spicy foods. Lime Thyme is yet another example of their innovative winemaker's enormous talent for producing cutting edge wines.

Tickle Hill Winery tasting room and gift shop feature Tickle Hill wines, Tickle Hill wine glasses, clothing and custom-made gift baskets.

**Torrey Ridge Winery**

2770 State Route 14

Penn Yan, NY 14527

[www.torreyridgewinery.com](http://www.torreyridgewinery.com)

315.536.1210

Torrey Ridge Winery is located on the western side of Seneca Lake surrounded by Amish and Mennonite farms. Their award-winning wine list includes Dry Red Varietals, Semi-sweet Red Varietals, Dry Red Blends, Semi-sweet Red Blends, Dry White Varietals, Semi-dry White Varietals, Semi-sweet White Varietals, Semi-sweet White Blends, Semi-Sweet Blush Blends, Mead & Fruit Wine Blends and Fruit Wines.

A spacious tasting room with pillared porches, numerous windows and beautiful pine and oak woodwork adjoins Torrey Ridge to its sister winery, Earle Estates Winery. The gift shop features a large selection of wine related gift items as well as hand painted glassware, pottery, gourmet sauces, shirts and hats.

**Ventosa Vineyards**

3440 State Route 96A

Geneva, NY 14456

[www.ventosavineyards.com](http://www.ventosavineyards.com)

315.719.0000

Ventosa Vineyards is located on the Northeast shore of Seneca Lake, resembling a Tuscany vineyard. Ventosa, the Italian word meaning "windy", produces award-winning and estate wines including Tocai Friulano - an Italian grape found only at Ventosa as well as Chardonnay, Vino Bianco, Riesling, Vino Rosso, Saggio and Merlot.

Ventosa's tasting room features a café serving soup, salads, panini, pizzas and wraps, where guests can dine inside or on the terrace overlooking the vineyard and Seneca Lake. Ventosa's banquet room has the capacity to seat 350 guests and can accommodate a family gathering, business meeting, or wedding reception.

### **Wagner Vineyards**

9322 State Route 414

Lodi, NY 14860

[www.wagnervineyards.com](http://www.wagnervineyards.com)

866.924.6378

Wagner Vineyards was founded in 1979 by Bill Wagner in Lodi, NY on the eastern side of Seneca Lake and is recognized as a trendsetter in the east coast wine industry, producing 40,000 cases annually. The distinctive, eight-sided Wagner Vineyard building is a major attraction of the Finger Lakes area with over 80,000 visitors each year.

Wagner wines are estate grown and have been recognized world-wide for their quality. Over 250 acres of vineyards are currently under cultivation; varieties include Chardonnay, Gewürztraminer, Johannisberg Riesling, Pinot Noir, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Seyval Blanc, Melody, Vignoles, Vidal, Cayuga White, DeChaunac, Delaware, and Niagara.

In 1983, the Ginny Lee café opened featuring a menu designed specifically to complement and enhance the medal-winning estate wines of produced which today also includes the micro brewed beers and root beers from Wagner Valley Brewing Co., Wagner's newest venture.

Wagner Valley Brewing Company is a micro brewery producing six standard brands: Grace House Honey Wheat, Dockside Amber Lager, Wagner India Pale Ale, Sled Dog Doppel Bock, Caywood Station Oatmeal Stout, and Sled Dog Trippel Bock Reserve. Seasonal and specialty products include Scotch Ale, Belgian Cherry Wheat, Sugar House Maple Porter, Lodi Hard Lemonade, Summer Sail Hefeweizen, Mill Street Pilsner, Finger Lakes Lager, and a Coffee Porter.

Wagner Valley Brewing has won numerous awards including G.A.B.F., World Beer Cup and Tap New York medals.

### **White Springs Winery**

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Geneva, NY 14456

[www.whitespringswinery.com](http://www.whitespringswinery.com)

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White Springs Winery is located just south of Geneva and was founded in 2003 by owner Carl Fribolin who originally bought White Springs Farms in 1973 to grow seeds for his seed growing and distribution company, Seedway, now owned by Agway, Inc.

In 2003, to address a soil erosion problem caused by the sloping nature of the farmland, Carl planted 13 acres of grapes and White Springs Winery came into being. 13 acres have become 30 acres, producing Riesling, Chardonnay, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Pinot Gris, Pinot Noir, Gewurztraminer and Sauvignon Blanc. White Springs Winery produced its first full crop last harvest.

The winery features a state of the art production facility, a spacious tasting room and gift shop with a covered patio overlooking Seneca Lake.

**Zugibe Vineyards**  
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In June of 2005, on the banks of Seneca Lake, Zugibe Vineyards began as 23 acres of vinifera wine grapes. Since then, they've grown to 40 acres, comprised of 11 different varietals, including Riesling, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinot Noir, Gewurztraminer, Pinot Gris, Chardonnay, Merlot, Lemberger, Sauvignon Blanc and Gruner Veltliner, an Austrian varietal. Their goal, however, has remained constant: to produce innovative, complex, and delicious wines.

The three Zugibe brothers - Frederick III, Brendan and Sean - each brought to this venture different yet complementary knowledge and experience. Frederick is a trained oenologist, Sean a viticulturist, while Brendan's background lies in business. All three, however, along with their parents, Frederick II and Anna, shared a passion for exceptional wine, and a desire to create their own unique blend.

Recent Medals: 2011 New York Wine & Food Classic, Gold, Zugibe Vineyards 2009 Pinot Gris; Gold, Zugibe Vineyards 2009 Riesling. 2011 Finger Lakes International Wine Competition, John Rose Trophy for Best Riesling in the competition, Zugibe Vineyards 2009 Late Harvest Riesling.

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