Wind Down in Wine Country Challenge

From the northwest corner to the bootheel, 126 wineries dot the Show-Me State’s landscape. Set amongst breathtaking views, Missouri wine country is overflowing with history and award-winning vino. There are palate-pleasing wines, serene sights and exciting events for everyone to enjoy at Missouri wineries. Visit the nation’s first American Viticultural Area in Augusta or indulge your inner history buff in historic Hermann. Sip, savor and wind down in Missouri wine country.

*The Wind Down in Wine Country Challenge is sponsored by Missouri Wines.* Missouri Wines works to promote and support Missouri’s wine and grape industry through marketing, public relations and research. To learn more about the Show-Me State wine industry, visit [https://missouriwine.org/](https://missouriwine.org/).

While you are exploring wine country, make the most of your visits with the Missouri Winery Visitors Program (MVP). This free program allows members to earn rewards for collecting tickets during their visits to participating wineries. To learn more and sign up, visit [https://missouriwinemvp.com/winemvp/](https://missouriwinemvp.com/winemvp/)

**Wind Down in Wine Country Challenge** ... Visit at least 25 of Missouri’s award-winning wineries, and snap your photograph in the winery tasting room. Remember: Missouri Explorers must be registered in the program, and they are responsible for checking hours and availability of sites. Upload your verification photographs using the online submission form at [https://missouri2021.org/missouri-explorers/](https://missouri2021.org/missouri-explorers/) to receive your merit badge button.

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