

Cima Collina's Tasting Room Moves to Carmel Valley Village



The staff of the Cima Collina Winery is shown as they prepare to move the winery's tasting room to a new location at 19 E. Carmel Valley Road in Carmel Valley Village. Cima Collina is moving from downtown Carmel-by-the-Sea and plans to be open at the new site by early June or before. Here Cima Collina will be pouring its award-winning wines in an historic building that dates back to the 1890s. Built by William Hatton, the great uncle of Tom Nason of Cima Collina's nearby Hilltop Ranch Estate, the edifice has, at one time or another, served as the Del Monte Milk Barn, a stage coach stop and, most recently, the site of the Village Fish House.

Vineyard Estate is Nearby

Cima Collina's new tasting room will be perfect for outdoor picnicking and events. The three-acre Hilltop Ranch estate vineyard is less than one mile to the east of the new tasting room and produces organically farmed Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris varietals. Cima Collina Winery began in 2004 and is owned by Richard Lumpkin. Winemaker and Operations Officer Annette Hoff Danzer sources fruit exclusively from Monterey County

vineyards. Annette and her crew produce hand-crafted, artisan wines that reflect a sense of origin. The winery annually produces 3,500 cases of vineyard-designated Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Pinot Blanc, and Cabernet blends. The Cima Collina Tasting Room will be open daily from 12:00-6:00. For more information go to www.cimacollina.com.

Shown above (from left): Winemaker Annette Hoff Danzer, Cara Nason, Tasting Room Manager Jane Beery, Jeff Andrews, Barbara Barr, Jennifer Langford, Owner Dick Lumpkin, Claudio Meza, Tom Nason, and Apolonio Camacho. 🍷