



## WINE TROLLEY FIELD TRIP PACKET

June 29 – July 3, 2009

*National Marine Educators Association Conference 2009  
Asilomar Conference Grounds, Pacific Grove, CA*

Dear NMEA Participant,

Thank you for signing up for the Wine Trolley field trip on Friday, July 3! Enclosed you will find information regarding where to meet and what to bring. Please review all information before attending the field trip. Transportation will be provided to and from Asilomar Conference Grounds. Please meet in front of Phoebe Hearst Social Hall at 10:45 a.m. on Friday, July 3. If you have any questions, please contact the NMEA staff at [nmea@mbayaq.org](mailto:nmea@mbayaq.org) with the name of your field trip in the subject line. Thank you for your participation!

Sincerely,

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## WINE TROLLEY FIELD TRIP INFORMATION

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The Wine Trolley offers an all-inclusive wine tasting tour. This five-hour scenic excursion will take you to complementary tastings at five venues. The bus will drive through Steinbeck's Pastures of Heaven, over Laureles Grade and into the valley to a handful of tasting rooms at Carmel Valley Village. You'll visit Bernardus Vineyards, Heller Estate Organic Vineyards, Parsonage Vineyards, Chateau Sinnet, and Joullian Vineyards. The Wine Trolley provides gourmet sandwiches and bottle water. Participants must be over 21 years of age.

**Departure:** 10:45 a.m.  
Phoebe Hearst Social Hall, Asilomar Conference Grounds  
Please be on time! We need to leave at 11:00 a.m. promptly as the Trolley will be picking up other participants at different locations.

**Return:** 4:00 p.m.

**Food:** The Wine Trolley provides gourmet sandwiches and bottle water.

**Clothing:** The weather in July in Monterey is variable, with average temperatures in the mid 60s and fog likely. Conditions change quickly on the coast, being bright and sunny one minute then chilly and foggy the next. We suggest the following to fully enjoy the trip: warm layers, a jacket, sunglasses, closed-toed shoes and sunscreen.