

REGIONAL SMOKE TAIN T SENSORY WORKSHOPS

The purpose of these workshops is to assist all interested Victorian wine industry personnel to better understand the sensory attributes of smoke-tainted wines. This workshop will also provide an update on the latest findings of the Wine Victoria Bushfire Technical Response Program and a discussion of future preparedness for smoke events.

AM workshop PM workshop Agenda

09:30 – 10:00AM	2:00 – 2.30PM	Welcome and new knowledge in smoke taint – an update from the Bushfire Technical Response Program
10:00 – 10:20AM	2.30 – 2.50PM	Sensory exercise – familiarisation with smoke taint compounds (5 examples)
10:20 – 10:30AM	2.50 – 3.00PM	Overview of sensory evaluation best practices
10:30 – 10:40AM	3.00 – 3.10PM	Break to pour the next sensory exercise
10:40 – 11:25AM	3.10 – 3.55PM	Sensory exercise – real smoke-tainted samples (7 wines)
11:25 – 11:40AM	3.55 – 4.10PM	Group discussion – being prepared for the next fire event in your region
11:40AM	4.10PM	Workshop concludes

This workshop is made possible by the Wine Victoria Bushfire Technical Response Program, which aims to deliver a suite of technical support activities for Victorian grape and wine producers affected by bushfires.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, these sessions will be offered online, including the tastings. Bookings are essential and will close on **Tuesday, 7 September**, to allow time to courier the samples to your nominated address. To participate in this session you will require up to 14 glasses, hardware and internet access to participate in a Zoom event and a mobile phone or tablet with internet connection to access the online rating software.

Booking is essential. Please register via the link below to the session you wish to attend.

GIPPSLAND AND MORNINGTON PENINSULA

Tuesday, 21 September 2021
9:30-11:40AM

[Register here](#)

YARRA VALLEY

Tuesday, 21 September 2021
2:00-4:10PM

[Register here](#)

RUTHERGLEN

Wednesday, 22 September 2021
9:30-11:40AM

[Register here](#)

MILAWA

Wednesday, 22 September 2021
2:00-4:10PM

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MACEDON

Thursday, 23 September
9:30-11:40AM

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