

# 2009 Apple Hill® Calendar of Events

## “Apple Hill® – All the Time”

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Please call the ranch listed after each event for more complete information.

Member phone numbers and addresses on pages 24-25

### - May Events -

#### MAY 10 MOTHERS' DAY

#26 Lava Cap Winery 1-4  
Bring your favorite ladies to enjoy a relaxing afternoon of music, wine & roses. 621-0175

#### MAY 23 & 24 OPEN HOUSE

#6 Madroña Vineyards 11-5  
This is our thank you to our loyal customers. Come join us for a fun day of wine tasting, music, and food. 644-5948

### - June Events -

#### JUNE 7 CHILI COOKOFF

#10 Rainbow Orchards 11-3  
Regional Chili Cookoff to benefit Pollock Pines/ Camino Rotary. \$10 per person chili sampling. 644-1594

#### JUNE 17 SOUNDSBITES – SACRAMENTO PHILHARMONIC

#6 Madroña Vineyards 6:00  
The sounds of Philharmonic Chamber Players along with delightful foods by Heyday Café, as well as the newly Released Black Label wine series. \$65 per person. Reservations required. 644-5948

#### JUNE 27 & 28 BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL

#45 Bolster's Hilltop Ranch Sat 9-5, Sun 9-4  
U-pick blueberries, Arts, Crafts, food vendors. 644-2230

### - July Events -

#### JULY 11 RIDIN' FOR HOSPICE

#10 Rainbow Orchards 1-4  
Motorcycle Poker Run to benefit Snowline Hospice. 644-1594

#### AUG 19 NEBBIOLO RELEASE PARTY

#6 Madroña Vineyards 11-5  
Fun day celebrating the release our of Nebbiolo. Pasta Putenesca, cheese tasting. The totally Italian event is open to the public. 644-5948

### - August Events -

No known August events

### - September Events -

#### SEPT 5, 6 & 7 LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Opening Days of most Apple Hill® Ranches

#### SEPT 5 SIXTH ANNIVERSARY PARTY

#25 Wofford Acres Vineyards 12-4  
New wine releases & finger foods. \$5.00 per person. 626-6858

#### SEPT 5 & 6 SMOKING WITH APPLEWOOD

#17 Grandpa's Cellar 11-4  
Tips on smoking with applewood. Charge for the food but not the smells. 644-2153

#### SEPT 5, 6 & 7 OPENING DAYS FESTIVAL

#5 Kids Inc – Live Music. 622-0184

#### SEPT 12 ART IN THE ORCHARD

#10 Rainbow Orchards 10-4  
Local Art Show & live music. Benefits Ag in the Classroom & El Dorado Arts Council. Free. Charge for local food, wine & beer. 644-1594

#### SEPT 13 GRANDPARENTS' DAY

#17 Grandpa's Cellar 10-5  
Complimentary glass of Barsotti apple juice & bakery treat. 644- 2153

#### SEPT 19 TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

#10 Rainbow Orchards 11-3  
Kids' carnival & live entertainment, Teddy Bear Parade, petting zoo. Benefits El Dorado Family Connections. Charge for game tickets & food. 644-1594

#### SEPT 19 MODEL 'AS IN APPLE HILL

#37 Apple Pantry 11-1  
Come see some beautiful Ford Model A autos. 295-1001

#### SEPT 19 & 20 "CHUGGERS" OLD-TIME

STEAM ENGINES  
#1 High Hill Ranch 8-5  
Come see old ranch and industrial engines in operation. Free 644-1973

#### SEPT 19 & 20 KIDS' DAYS

#5 Kids Inc.  
Kids' cooking school, live music, scarecrow-making contest. 622-0184

#### SEPT 19 & 20 APPLE BERRY CRISP TASTING

#14 Denver Dan's  
Free sampling of the many varieties of crisps. 644-6881

#### SEPT 20 APPLEHEAD CARVING CLASS

#19 El Dorado Orchards  
Hands-on folk art apple carving. Free handout. 644-2153

#### SEPT 20 STORY TELLING BY LOCAL

CHILDREN'S AUTHOR  
#17 Grandpa's Cellar 11-4  
Joan Barsotti will read excerpts of her books based on family members. 644-2153

#### SEPT 20 JOHNNY APPLESEED DAY

#20 Apple Ridge Farms  
Kids 12 and under receive a free Johnny Appleseed coloring book and crayons. 644-1761

#### SEPT 23 EVENING IN THE ORCHARD

#10 Rainbow Orchards 5-8  
Harvest dinner & wine tasting in the apple barn to benefit Pollock Pines/Camino Rotary. \$40 per person. 644-1594

#### SEPT 26 KIDS' BAKING DAY

#37 APPLE PANTRY FARM 10-2  
Kids get to make turnovers. 295-1001

#### SEPT 26 APPLE BUTTER DAY

#45 Bolster's Hilltop Ranch 9-5  
Watch the Amish demonstrate the old fashioned art of making apple butter. Handmade Arts & Crafts. 644-2230

#### SEPT 26 & 27 3rd ANNUAL NON-PROFIT WEEKEND

#17 Grandpa's Cellar 10-5  
Non-profits & service groups will be on the green to educate & fundraise. Handmade Arts & Crafts. 644-2153

### - October Events -

#### OCT 3 & 4 OKTOBERFEST KICKOFF

#11 Bavarian Hills 1-5  
Live German music, Harvest Celebration. 642-2714

#### OCT 12 CALIFORNIA STATE EMPLOYEES' DAY

#25 Wofford Acres Vineyards 11-4  
15% discount for CA State employees. 626-6858

#### OCT 17 & 18 PUMPKIN ROLL TASTING

#14 Denver Dan's  
Free sampling of our pumpkin roll. 644-6881

#### OCT 30 NEVADA DAY

#5 Kids Inc.  
Free ala mode (ice cream) for NV residents. 622-0184

#### OCT 30 NEVADA DAY

#17 Grandpa's Cellar 10-5  
Free glass of Barsotti juice and bakery treat for NV residents. 622-2153

#### OCT 30 NEVADA DAY

#25 Wofford Acres Vineyards 11-4  
15% discount for NV residents. 626-6858

#### OCT 30 & 31 TRICK OR TREAT DAYS

#20 Apple Ridge Farms  
Kids 12 and under receive a free "trick or treat." 644-1761

### - November Events -

#### NOV 1 HARVEST RUN

benefits Camino School - details p. 32

#### NOV 7 GUY FAWKES CELEBRATION

#36 Jack Russell Farm Brewery 11-8  
Morris Dancers and live music. Free. 644-4722

#### NOV 14 HOLIDAY PIE TASTING

#37 Apple Pantry Farm 10-2  
Complimentary samples of Vicki's holiday pies. 295-1001

#### NOV 14 & 15 VOLKSMARCH

#19 El Dorado Orchards  
13, 10 & 5 K walks. Sponsored by Placer Pacers Volkspport Club. Registration [www.placerpacers.org](http://www.placerpacers.org) 647-2726

Check with your favorite Apple Hill® Growers

Association Christmas Tree farms for opening dates

#### NOV 21 & 22 APPLE BAVARIAN TORTE TASTING

#14 Denver Dan's  
Free sampling of our apple bavarian torte. 644-6881

#### NOV 27, 28 & 29 TIPS FOR HOLIDAY

DECORATING & WREATH MAKING  
#17 Grandpa's Cellar 11-2  
Local artist/designer will demonstrate holiday wreath construction and decorating. Free handouts. 644-2153

### - December Events -

#### DEC 5 & 6 APPLE BAKERY TASTING

#14 Denver Dan's  
Free sampling of our many baked goods. 644-6881

Please see [www.applehill.com](http://www.applehill.com) for Jan. - April events

Watch for the recipe testing event and Apple Blossom Festival – Third weekend in April 2010 - details at [www.applehill.com](http://www.applehill.com) in March 2010.