

2009 Markhams Hawke's Bay Young Viticulturist  
of the Year Competition  
2009 Hawkes Bay Silver Secateurs Competition  
and  
Hawke's Bay Winegrowers Winter Workshop

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July  
Mission Estate Winery  
Church Road, Taradale

9.00am Silver Secateurs Competition  
11.00am Workshop: Surviving Tough Times  
12.00pm HortySports  
12.30pm Lunch and Silver Secateurs Prize Giving  
6.00pm Dinner at Vidal Wines, Hastings  
featuring wine options and Markhams Hawke's Bay Young Viticulturist  
of the Year speeches. Tickets \$60.

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Markhams Young Viticulturist

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## 2009 Markhams Hawke's Bay Young Viticulturist of the Year Competition

Winners of the top three places in the regional competition are awarded cash prizes and Spiegelau glassware. The first place getter becomes eligible to represent the region in the national Markhams Young Viticulturist of the Year Competition held in Hawke's Bay as part of the 2009 Romeo Bragato conference. They also have the chance to represent viticulture at the Young Horiticulturist of the Year competition with \$40,000 worth of prizes to be won.

Entrants will work through a series of eight challenging practical and theoretical questions as well as competing in the popular HortySports at mid-day. In the evening they make their speeches at the dinner at Vidal restaurant and all are welcome to attend the dinner.

Tickets to the dinner cost \$60 and can be purchased from Hawke's Bay Winegrowers. Call us on 876 3418 or email your ticket request to [info@winehawkesbay.co.nz](mailto:info@winehawkesbay.co.nz)

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## 2009 Hawke's Bay Silver Secateurs Competition



Competitors are invited for the 2009 Hawke's Bay Silver Secateurs pruning competition. There are three categories to enter: Tying, Pruning and the Team Event (pruning, stripping, trimming and tying) and a great range of cash and product prizes to be won.

The winner of each event will go on to compete in the National Silver Secateurs Competition in August.

Competitors can register to enter on the day. The entry fee is \$10 per person for the individual events and \$30 per team for the team event. Registrations will be taken from 8.30am to in time for the competition to start at 9.00am.

Contact Tony Purdie on 027 2311 392 with any enquiries.

## Hawke's Bay Winegrowers Winter Workshop

### "Productivity in Vineyards - Surviving these stressful times"

The winter workshop is a must for all growers and wineries facing the tough times ahead.

Vineyard Profitability  
Practical Steps to Reduce your Financial Bottom Line  
Season Finance  
Contracts and Legal Issues  
Panel Discussion and Question and Answer Session

Annette Carey, MAF  
John van der Linden  
Dan Druzianic, Markhams  
Brett Carpenter  
Chaired by Mal McLennan

To register email [info@winehawkesbay.co.nz](mailto:info@winehawkesbay.co.nz) or call the Hawke's Bay Winegrowers office on 876 3418.