



## Join The Experts as a Grand Cru “Judge For A Day!”

The 2008 Long Beach Grand Cru is offering wine lovers and connoisseurs a unique opportunity to serve as a “Judge for a Day” alongside internationally recognized wine judges. The Grand Cru International Wine Competition attracts more than 1,900 interesting and exciting entries from California and throughout the world.

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| <b>Dates:</b>             | Saturday & Sunday, July 19 & 20 — 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM  |
| <b>Venue:</b>             | The Long Beach Petroleum Club, Long Beach  |
| <b>Participation Fee:</b> | \$600 per seat, per day (tax deductible contribution to the extent allowed by law)<br>(Includes 1 ticket valued at \$180.00 to the Public Tasting Event on August 16, 2008.) |

Your contribution as a Consumer “Judge for a Day” will help support the Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles and its programs and services in the greater Long Beach area that assist poor people striving to avoid homelessness, obtain food and health care, escape domestic violence, and move from welfare to work. The Long Beach Grand Cru is a prestigious competition and is the only one offering consumers this opportunity to serve on a professional wine competition panel.

### *As a Consumer “Judge for a Day” you will:*

- Test your palate sampling and evaluating over 100 different wines on a panel with winemakers, restaurateurs, wine store representatives, noted wine writers, educators and recognized wine connoisseurs. (*Consumer Judge votes will be advisory.*)
- Learn the do’s-and-don’ts of wine judging through a brief tutorial prior to the competition, conducted by noted wine professional Dr. Fred Nury, Emeritus Professor of Enology, CSU-Fresno.
- Enjoy lunch with the judges and wine loving volunteers.
- Dine at the exclusive Saturday night Judges’ Dinner.
- Be listed along with other judges on printed materials and the Grand Cru website.
- Receive three bottles of competition Gold Medal-Winning wines.
- Sunday consumer judges have the option of participating in the final “Sweepstakes Award” judging round.
- Receive one (1) ticket valued at \$180.00 to the Public Tasting on August 16, 2008.

Chief Judge Dan Berger will assign Consumer Judges to sit on a panel with experienced experts. Seats will be limited to one per panel with a maximum of seven panels each day. **Application must be received and paid for by July 7, 2008.**

**Don’t miss out! Seats reserved in order received until gone. See application on reverse side.**  
For more information about becoming a “Judge for a Day,” call (213) 640-3894 or (213) 640-3848.

*“I’m thrilled to be involved with this world-class wine competition with enthusiastic and skilled judges.”*

Dan Berger, Wine Columnist & Contributor to *Gourmet Magazine*

*“The Long Beach Grand Cru is one of the world’s top global wine competitions – check it out.”*

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