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# **WINE BY JOE**



## **Joe Garners Gold at Newport**

February 19, 2008—Dundee, Oregon

The 2008 Newport Seafood and Wine Festival Commercial Wine Competition results show that this is yet another good year for winemaker, Joe Dobbes. Five expert wine judges from three states tasted 156 wines to determine which were worthy of Gold, Silver and Bronze medals.

The 2006 Wine By Joe Pinot Blanc and Pinot Gris were both awarded coveted Gold medals in the competition. Wine By Joe was one of only five wineries awarded two Gold medals this year. The 2006 Wine By Joe Pinot Noir was bestowed a Silver medal.

The awards keep coming! Several clients of Joe's custom winemaking company, Wine By Joe, LLC, were awarded medals for wines Joe crafted. Madrone Mountain of Jacksonville, Oregon received a Bronze medal for the 2005 Late Harvest Gewürztraminer. Trinity Vineyard of Salem garnered a Silver medal for the 2005 Trinity Vineyard Pinot Noir. Paschal Winery and Vineyard near Ashland received Bronze medals for the 2006 Rogue Valley Pinot Gris and 2004 Syrah.

### **Wine By Joe at the Newport Seafood & Wine Festival-February 22-24, 2008**

Join us at our Wine By Joe booth at the 2008 Newport Seafood & Wine Festival. Wine By Joe will be conducting text messaging contests during the event for free merchandise and wine discounts. Want to participate? Respond to the special "Opt In" email offer coming to you soon! For more information about Wine By Joe, please visit our website at [www.winebyjoe.com](http://www.winebyjoe.com). For details on the Newport festivities, visit [www.newportchamber.org/swf](http://www.newportchamber.org/swf).