


Napa Sustainable Winegrowing Group



NSWG's Membership Levels

Student/Individual/Non-Profit Agency	\$50	Mission Statement The mission of the Napa Sustainable Winegrowing Group is to identify and promote winegrowing practices that are economically viable, socially responsible, and environmentally sound. 
Industry Individual		
1- 10 acres	\$100	
11-100 acres	\$150	
>100 acres	\$250	
Industry Group		
1 to 3 individuals	\$500	
Corporate Member		
any company	\$1000	
<small>State and Federal agencies exempt from annual contributions. Members provide in-kind contributions to NSWG.</small>		

Membership year begins January 1st and ends December 31st. A 10% late fee will apply if dues are not received between Nov. 1st and Dec. 31st

What NSWG offers

NSWG was established in 1995 and is an a-political organization striving to educate grape growers on sustainable farming practices by providing monthly member forums and education, annual Spanish and English seminars , and free online information. The Napa Sustainable Winegrowing Group is a program of the Napa County Resource Conservation District, and its success depends upon member participation.

NSWG's Membership Benefits

- Nine monthly meetings (no meetings August through October)
- Monthly 1 hour education on sustainable grape growing issues and research
- Monthly grower forum and discussions on sustainable farming practices
- Receive NSWG notifications and industry news via list serve
- Membership recognition on web site
- Membership recognition on seminar material
- Marketing opportunities at fairs, tours and upon request from outside companies

Who can join NSWG

NSWG is open to any student, individual, industry professional, and company interested in joining. The level of participation is up to the individual. However, it is important to note that the group's success will depend upon member participation in seeking interested sponsors for monthly meetings, annual seminars, and online information. Participation can reach anywhere from actively seeking sponsors to financial contributions beyond membership dues.

Monthly Meetings

NSWG meets every second Tuesday of each month, November through July, from 9-11AM. The meetings include a one hour educational presentation and a grower forum during the last half an hour.

Recognition

In 2004 NSWG was recognized and awarded by the California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Pesticide Regulation, with the IPM Innovator Award.

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