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Savor Idaho Enters a New Era as Idaho Botanical Garden and Idaho Wine Commission Partner to Elevate Idaho's Premier Wine and Cider Event

First-time collaboration transforms Idaho's premier wine and cider event into a more immersive Garden experience during Idaho Wine and Cider Month

Boise, Idaho — April 1, 2026 Idaho's wine industry continues to grow in national recognition, and its signature event is evolving with it. Savor Idaho, the state's premier wine tasting experience, enters a new chapter this year as the Idaho Botanical Garden and the Idaho Wine Commission formally partner to elevate the event and transform it into a more immersive celebration of Idaho wine and cider, place, and community.

While Savor Idaho has been held at the Idaho Botanical Garden for many years, the 2026 event marks the first time the two organizations are collaborating to design the experience together. The partnership allows the Garden to bring its expertise in producing large-scale community events to Idaho's flagship wine and cider celebration, expanding the event beyond a traditional tasting into an afternoon of discovery set among the Garden's landscapes.

Held during Idaho Wine and Cider Month and the statewide celebration of the Year of the Riesling, Savor Idaho highlights one of Idaho's most celebrated grape varieties while bringing together more than 30 Idaho wineries and cideries, local food vendors and live music for an afternoon in the Garden.

"Savor Idaho has always been held at the Garden, but this year represents something new," said Erin Anderson, Executive Director of the Idaho Botanical Garden. "Instead of simply hosting the event, we are partnering with the Idaho Wine Commission to shape the experience. The Garden specializes in creating moments that bring people together, and this collaboration allows us to design an event where guests can wander, discover and truly savor Idaho wine in a setting that feels special."

Savor Idaho has grown steadily in recent years, bringing together dozens of producers and wine enthusiasts from across the region while showcasing the rapid growth and national recognition of Idaho's wine industry.

"Savor Idaho has become the signature event for Idaho wine and cider," said Moya Dolsby, Executive Director of the Idaho Wine Commission. "The Idaho Botanical Garden has always provided a beautiful setting for the event, but partnering together allows us to elevate the experience for guests while celebrating the creativity and momentum of Idaho's wine industry."

Guests will be able to explore the Garden while tasting wines and ciders from Idaho producers, enjoying live music, local vendors, and food vendors.

Two ticket options will be available for the June 7 event starting April 1.

Tickets and additional event details are available at [website].

About Idaho Botanical Garden

Located in the heart of Boise, the Idaho Botanical Garden cultivates a love of nature through plant collections, education, art and community events. The Garden serves as a living museum and a gathering space that inspires connection to the natural world.

Learn more at <https://www.idahobotanicalgarden.org/>.

About Idaho Wine Commission

The Idaho Wine Commission markets, connects and promotes Idaho's unique wineries, cideries and growers. With an ideal climate and geography for growing grapes, it is no wonder that Idaho is already home to over 65 wineries and cideries. To learn more about Idaho wines and ciders, visit www.idahowines.org, or follow the Idaho Wine Commission on Facebook or Instagram, and Expect the Unexpected. Check out the Idaho region guide on WineFolly.com. This online resource lets consumers learn more about the state's wine history, terroir, varietals, and offers tips for planning Idaho wine travel.

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