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HARPER'S TRAIL

Best Winemaker in Kamloops goes to Harper's Trail Winery

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The Story:

(Kamloops, BC) Harper's Trail Winery proudly shares that it has been selected by the readers of [Kamloops Daily News](#), in their annual Readers' Choice Awards Survey, as best winemaker.

Vicki Collett, [Harper's Trail](#) winery co-owner, is delighted. "When we first opened our doors, we hoped the community would accept and welcome us with open arms. The people of Kamloops have done this, and well beyond our expectations. We are blown away," she continues, "and so thankful for the ongoing support from our community."

The entire Harper's Trail team, while in the thick of the 2013 harvest now, would like to thank everyone who supported this winery thus far, and visited this summer.

The 2013 visitor season has now ended, and Harper's Trail is open only by appointment over the fall and winter. Please contact the winery at 250-573-5855 for operating hours or to schedule a visit.

About Harper's Trail

Harper's Trail, is the first estate winery from Kamloops. Tucked into the city outskirts on the bank of the South Thompson River, Ed and Vicki Collett's vineyard sits among rolling hills of sage and grass, home to bighorn sheep, bears, and myriad birds. The backdrop of limestone, hoodoos, and a natural spring in the vineyard contribute to the biodiversity of this rare place.

The wines, made by Michael Bartier of [Okanagan Crush Pad](#), reflect this emerging region with minerality and crisp acidity. Enjoy the winery's current releases and taste the flavours that will soon be known as characteristic for the Kamloops region. For more information visit www.harperstrail.com



Harper's Trail owners Ed and Vicki Collett walk through their Thadd Springs vineyard in Kamloops (photo by Linda Williams)