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## Jackson-Triggs Wins Big on the World Stage

### JACKSON-TRIGGS NIAGARA ESTATE CAPTURES 2013 TOP CANADIAN PRODUCER AWARD ALONGSIDE 12 ADDITIONAL AWARDS AT INTERNATIONAL WINE AND SPIRITS COMPETITION

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Jackson-Triggs Niagara Estate Winery is extremely pleased to announce the winning of Top Canadian Producer of the Year at the 44th annual International Wine and Spirits Competition (IWSC).

Jackson-Triggs Niagara Estate Winemaker Marco Piccoli attended the prestigious awards ceremony at Guildhall in London, England to collect his award from IWSC President G. Garvin Brown IV.

Marco shares his excitement by commenting, "I am extremely proud and honored to have received this very important award from one of the most respected competitions in the world. This is a special reward for all the efforts of the Jackson-Triggs Winemaking and Viticulture Teams. It is a recognition that continues to keep the reputation of Jackson-Triggs wines very high within the international wine industry and I'm very happy that it shines broad attention once again on the entire Canadian wine Industry."

The collective accolades of Piccoli's 12 awards from his 14 submissions led to the trophy for the Top Canadian Winery Award with 5 of his awards going to the established Delaine Single Vineyard wines.

#### FULL LIST OF AWARDS:

GOLD-2008	Grand Reserve Riesling Icewine*
SILVER-2011	Delaine Gewurztraminer
SILVER-2010	Delaine Syrah*
SILVER-2009	ENTOURAGE Sparkling Sauvignon Blanc*
SILVER-2011	Delaine Chardonnay*
SILVER-2011	Grand Reserve Chardonnay*
SILVER-2010	Delaine Cabernet-Merlot
SILVER- 2010	Grand Reserve Shiraz

BRONZE-2011	Delaine Fume Blanc
BRONZE-2008	Proprietors' Reserve Vidal Icewine
BRONZE-2011	Grand Reserve Sauvignon Blanc
BRONZE-2008	ENTOURAGE Sparkling Methode Classique Brut

\*Indicates wine still available for sale

#### ABOUT IWSC

The International Wine and Spirit Competition, founded in 1969, is the premier competition of its kind in the world. Its aim is to promote the quality and excellence of the world's best wines, spirits and liqueurs. All entries of wines, spirits and liqueurs are blind tasted in groups divided by variety, region and vintage as necessary. Awards are made on a points system and sponsored trophies are presented in selected categories. The IWSC is supported by a group of Vice Presidents made up of some of the most influential men and women in the trade. This year's President is G. Garvin Brown IV, the Chairman of Brown-Forman Corporation's Board of Directors.

[www.iwsc.net](http://www.iwsc.net)

#### ABOUT JACKSON-TRIGGS WINES

Founded in 1993, Jackson-Triggs has set the benchmark of excellence as Canada's most renowned winemaker. Both Jackson-Triggs Okanagan, led by Winemakers Derek Kontkanen (Icewine and White Wine) and Brooke Blair (Red Wines), and Jackson-Triggs Niagara Estate, led by Winemaker Marco Piccoli, have been uncompromising in their pursuit of crafting Canadian wines that compete with the world's finest and promise exceptional quality and value. Jackson-Triggs continues to distinguish itself as "Canada's Most Awarded Winery," and is widely recognized for its wide portfolio of table and sparkling wines. In 2006 Jackson-Triggs became part of Constellation Brands, the world's leading premium wine company.

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