



The Brome-Missisquoi Wine Route: An exceptional harvest of medals at the Great Wines of Quebec 2009

November 2009 – The Brome-Missisquoi Wine Route came out as the big winner at the 3rd edition of the *Great Wines of Quebec*, as a part of the 2009 Quebec Wine & Cheese Show. In all 13 medals out of 31 were awarded to the region's wineries.

Gold-medal wineries

The Vignoble de La Bauge alone harvested a total of five prizes, including a gold for its *La Flambée* fortified aperitif. As for the Côtes d'Ardoise, it received three medals, including a gold for its *Côtes d'Ardoise 2007* red wine. Other gold medals were awarded to the Orpailleur winery for its *Orpailleur 2008* white wine as well as for its *Vin de glace 2007* ice wine and to Domaine Les Brome for its prestigious white wine *Réserve Riesling 2007*. This golden harvest is testimony to the excellence of the products found on the Brome-Missisquoi Wine Route.

Sixteen wineries, 30 years of know-how

The Brome-Missisquoi Wine Route brings together 16 wineries and is the only marked route recognized by Tourisme-Québec. It extends over 120 km of country landscapes dotted with typical Eastern Townships villages. The birthplace of wine growing in Quebec, it is known for the quality of its products, the result of 30 years of know-how of its craftspeople.

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