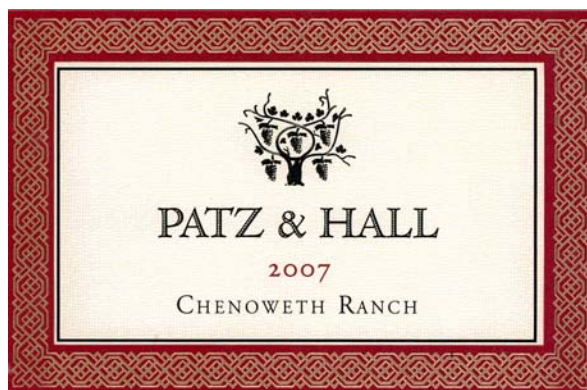




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Our Latest Wine Recommendations: Splurge Bottles

“Our most recent tasting proved a cornucopia of delicious bottles from all over the map, varietally and geographically...And, while the \$50 range may qualify as ‘splurge’ territory, both the Patz & Hall pinot noir and the Pine Ridge cab still offer fine value.”

2007 Chenoweth Ranch Russian River Pinot Noir

Our Tasters: “Kudos to Charlie Chenoweth’s vineyard, says the panel with a unanimous recommendation and high score of 9.1. ‘Plump cherries with lavender notes. A very serious pinot noir.’”

My Score: “8.9. There was no fault to be found with this big, embraceable wine, chock full of red fruit and an enticing hint of chocolate.”

Overall Score: 25.4/30 Points

-Dale Robertson
March 30, 2010