



Savour many high notes at Eastern Cape wine show

THE wine scene in East London and Port Elizabeth is “hotting up” in anticipation of the inaugural FNB Eastern Cape Wine Show – taking place next week at The Venue at Hemingways on Thursday, March 12, and at PE’s Boardwalk Convention Centre on Saturday March 14.

Eastern Cape wine lovers should make it a date night for an evening of great wine tastings,

where you can engage with wine-makers while tasting an array of more than 185 South African wines.

While the line-up of exhibitors can be viewed at www.easterncapewineshow.co.za some of the wineries on show are: Alto (Helderberg, Somerset West), Boekenhoutskloof (Franschhoek), Domaine des Dieux (Hemel-en-Aarde), Krone (Tul-

bagh), Steenberg Vineyards (Constantia), Glen Carlou (Paarl) and Zonnebloem (Stellenbosch) – as well as Durbanville Hills and Robertson Winery.

Developing wine brands will also be on show and these include Libby’s Pride, M’hudi, Ses’fikile, Seven Sisters, Thembi & Co and Women in Wine. Reciprocal Wine Trading will offer champagnes and wines from

France, Spain and Italy. Liebherr-Africa will exhibit wine coolers and Riedel Glassware will display beautiful crystal stemware and decanters.

The show is from 5pm until 9pm and tickets, at R140 per person, can be purchased at the door or online from www.computicket.com or Money Market counters in Shoprite Checkers stores.

DOUBLE TICKET GIVEAWAY

THREE lucky readers can each win double tickets to attend the show on Thursday.

To enter the competition answer the question: Name one wine exhibitor that will be present at the FNB Eastern Cape Wine Show in East London. E-mail your answer and your name and contact details to online@dispatch.co.za. The competition closes at noon on March 9.