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**GOOSE WATCH WINERY SHINES WITH TWO GOLDS AND A DOUBLE GOLD  
FROM THE FLORIDA STATE FAIR INTERNATIONAL WINE COMPETITION**

Romulus, NY – Goose Watch Winery, located in the Finger Lakes and owned by the Peterson Family, shined bright at the Florida State Fair International Wine Competition winning two Gold Medals and one Double Gold Medal.

The Florida State Fair International Wine Competition took place February 1st through the 3rd in Tampa. This was the 26th year of the competition that judged 733 wines from five different countries and awarded only 49 Double Gold Medals overall.

The Gold Medals were awarded to the two sparkling wines that Goose Watch produces, Pinot Noir Brut Rosé and Golden Spumante. The Double Gold medal was awarded to the 2012 Pinot Grigio, a dry white wine with lightly floral aromas and pear-like flavors.

The Pinot Grigio grape is clearly thriving as another quality white wine the region produces. Since its opening in 1997, Goose Watch Winery has focused on producing a selection of premium wines that are not typically found in the Finger Lakes. Pinot Grigio was originally one of the less common Finger Lakes varieties that the Peterson Family saw potential in and have been producing this wine for 17 years. The 2011 vintage had won four Golds, this is the second Gold Medal for the current vintage.

Goose Watch Winery is located at 5480 Route 89 in Romulus, NY on the Cayuga Lake Wine Trail. The tasting room and gift shop are open year round with winter hours in operation until May. For more information on awards and products you can visit their website at [www.GooseWatch.com](http://www.GooseWatch.com).