



IN-STORE SAMPLING EVENT INFORMATION

Project Number	9060172
Project Name	AB-10.23.26-TGT-WXBrands-Bread&Butter
Event Date/Hours	October 23-25, 2026

EVENT SETUP CHECKLIST

Event Check-In

Check in at customer service. If the department manager you spoke to previously is unavailable, ask for another manager who is available for assistance

Confirm the event location and request a **high traffic area**.

Shop for half the necessary product before opening, using the debit card per client procedure.

Choose Your Spot

Set-up in a high traffic area near the product display, if approved.

Strategically position your cart to maximize visibility but avoid obstructing aisles or exits.

Adhere to retailer guidelines event setup locations.

Set Up Your Cart

Take your cart to a high-traffic area.

Arrange samples, supplies, and signage neatly; display a unit of each featured product.

Display all required signage

Prepare Samples

Chill products as necessary

Follow all instructions to prepare samples. Wash hands and wear gloves before handling all products.

Set-up a visible trash can and return the shopping cart.

Final Check

Verify that everything is ready before starting the event

Ensure the cart is neat and all supplies are readily accessible.

Photograph your completed set-up, including product display and cart arrangement.



PRODUCT INFORMATION

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Featured Product	Bread & Butter Cabernet Sauvignon Red Wine
DPCI	213-00-2263
Size	750ml Bottle
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
Distribution Goal	100
Supply Method	Purchase in Store

Featured Product	Bread & Butter Chardonnay White Wine
DPCI	213-00-3417
Size	750ml Bottle
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
Distribution Goal	100
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Alternate Product	Bread & Butter Pinot Noir Red Wine
DPCI	213-00-2268
Size	750ml Bottle
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
Distribution Goal	100
Supply Method	Purchase in Store

Alternate Product	Bread & Butter Sauvignon Blanc White Wine
DPCI	213-00-1135
Size	750ml Bottle
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
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If the featured product is out of stock, **purchase one of the following** retailer alternate product in this priority order.

Retailer Alternate Product	California Roots Wine
DPCI	213-00-2819 or 213-00-2820
Size	750ml Bottle
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
Distribution Goal	100
Supply Method	Purchase in Store

Retailer Alternate Product	Wine Cube Wine
UPC	213-00-1114, 213-00-1115, or 213-00-1694
Size	3L Box
Units to Buy	1
Suggested Sample	See State Regulations
Distribution Goal	100
Supply Method	Purchase in Store

Retailer Alternate Product	Sunpop Wine
DPCI	213-00-0482 or 213-00-1486
Size	750ml Bottle
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Wet Kit Supplies

- AB Kit Tote
- Multi-way opener
- 1 oz pour spout
- We ID sign
- Paper Towels
- Cleaning Wipes
- Soufflé Cups
- Trash Can/Liners
- Single-Use Gloves

Items to Bring

- Comdata Card

What to Wear

- White button up shirt
- Black pants
- Black closed-toe shoes
- Name badge
- Black apron

Stay Safe & Clean

- Wear gloves, use sanitizer, and serve samples on napkins or in cups.
- Keep your area clean and dispose of waste properly.

Shopping List

- One (1) Bread & Butter Pinot Noir Red Wine @ 13.99 dollars
- One (1) Bread & Butter Chardonnay White Wine @ 14.99 dollars
- One (1) bag of ice @ 2.50 dollars

Do not exceed \$34.63 (including tax)

It's **MANDATORY** to call your supervisor for direction/approval when:

- Unable to activate a wet sampling event
- Damaged or cart not found
- Insufficient inventory for demo
- Comdata card not working
- Another AB demo activating at the store
- Store refusal, FBL's feedback, Regulator visit, any unusual situations



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Target only allows one total sample per guest. If there are multiple varietals, then the guest must choose only one. This sample is not to exceed 1 oz, though some state regulations limit this further depending on the type of product being sampled. Please refer to the table below for sample size limits.

State	Sample Size Limit			
	Beer	Wine	Spirits	Cocktail/ Spirit-based
Alabama	1 oz	1 oz	1/4 oz	1/4 oz
Arizona	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz
California	1 oz	1 oz	1/4 oz	1/4 oz
Colorado	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz
Florida	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz
Illinois	1 oz	1 oz	1/4 oz	1/4 oz
Iowa	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
Kentucky	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz
Louisiana	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz
Minnesota	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz
Missouri	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz



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	Beer	Wine	Spirits	Cocktail/ Spirit-based
Nevada	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz	1 oz
New Hampshire	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz
North Carolina	1 oz	1 oz	1/4 oz	1/4 oz
Oregon	1 oz	1 oz	1/4 oz	1 oz
South Carolina	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz
Texas	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz
Virgina	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1 oz
Wisconsin	1 oz	1 oz	1/2 oz	1/2 oz

Compliance

- ID each guest before serving them a sample. DO NOT serve samples to minors.
- Pour a sample for guests one at a time. Do not pre-pour any samples. Place the sample on the table for the guest to pick up, do not hand the sample directly to the guest.
- Serve only (1) 1 oz sample per guest even if you are sampling multiple flavors or varietals. If you need to decline a sample to a Target guest, please explain that you are not allowed to serve more than a single educational sample per guest.

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FEATURED PRODUCT



Cart Signage:
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Red Card #1



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Product Information:

- **FLAVOR EXPERIENCE:** A California Pinot Noir that is fruit-forward, delicious, and smooth with notes of cherries and sweet vanilla.
- **FOOD PAIRINGS:** This wine goes well with roasted mushrooms, duck breast and dog-eared another page in your favorite book.
- **TASTING NOTES:** An undeniably juicy Pinot Noir bursts with cherries, raspberries, and a touch of cassis, while rich flavors of fresh fruit seamlessly join forces with soft oak to craft a beautifully long, smooth finish filled with sweet vanilla.
- **FLAVOR EXPERIENCE:** This California Chardonnay is buttery, lush and balanced with notes of green fruit and sweet baking spice.
- **FOOD PAIRINGS:** This wine goes well with creamy pastas, winter vegetables and shamelessly binge watching your favorite TV show.
- **TASTING NOTES:** Rich with creamy notes of vanilla bean, almond, and tropical fruit, this wine unfolds with balanced acidity and savory toasted undertones, culminating in a long, smooth finish that lingers in memory, highlighted by its subtle touch of sweet vanilla.

Sampling Instructions/Recipe:

- Serve chilled

Selling Points:

- **Bread & Butter Pinot Noir 2023, 90 points from The Tasting Panel.**
- **Bread & Butter Chardonnay 2023, "Robust & Expressive" from The Tasting Panel.**

Conducting the Event:

- **Engage shoppers:** Greet warmly, offer samples, and highlight key benefits.
- **Showcase selling points:** Share features through a brief, engaging story.
- **Answer thoroughly:** Provide clear, accurate responses.
- **Encourage purchase:** Highlight value without pressure.
- **Supervise samples:** Never leave them unattended.



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EVENT TEARDOWN

1. Product Return & Disposal

- **Featured Products:** Return unused products displayed for sale to their designated shelf location. Products used for sampling should be disposed of properly.
- **Leftover Samples:** Follow retailer guidelines for disposal. Never remove leftover products from the store. Confirm proper disposal with the store manager.
- **Packaging & Materials:** Dispose of trash in designated store receptacles, including cups and napkins.

2. Cart and Area Clean-up

- **Cart Cleaning:** Wipe the Cart thoroughly with sanitizing wipes or solution.
- **Area Clean-up:** Ensure the surrounding area is clean and free of debris or spilled products. Use a broom, dustpan, or vacuum cleaner to remove crumbs or spills. Dispose of waste properly and return appliances if applicable.
- **Sanitization:** Clean all surfaces and equipment.

3. Equipment Return

- **Event Kit:** Collect all items from your event kit, ensuring everything is accounted for (check your checklist). Report any missing or damaged items to your supervisor.
- **Retailer Equipment:** Return any borrowed or shared equipment to the store.

4. Final Steps

- Confirm with the manager that everything is cleaned, returned, and disposed of.
- Upload photos, receipts, and signed/stamped form via the QR code.
- **Submit your PromoReport through the ES Portal by 10:00 pm the same day of the event to avoid scheduling issues.**
 - **PC Engagement Specialists:**
 - Report your event in the ES Portal.
 - **External Engagement Specialists:**
 - Submit your PromoReport here:
<https://esmyhome.promoworks.com/Portal/IVRScript/Details>
 - **The 1-800 number on PromoReport forms is no longer active.**
- Contact your Field Supervisor with questions.



Reminder:
Receipts and event day photos may be requested for up to one year after the event.



Date: January 2026

To: Store Director; Food & Beverage Leaders

From: Mallorie Ramirez
Sr. Business Partner - Food & Beverage Operations

Subject: Target Approval – Product Connections In-Store Sampling Adult Beverage Events

Product Connections is leading and staffing an Adult Beverage wet sampling program intended to heighten the in-store experience and drive sales. This program will be executed every weekend with the following schedule:

Friday, Saturday, and/or Sunday: 3-hour live sampling demo on the Product Connections sampling cart.

The cart will only be in use during the single-day 3-hour sampling event and will no longer remain on the sales floor unattended in between events.

On these days when the Product Connections Brand Ambassador signs in at Guest Services, they will check in with a Food & Beverage leader and may require brief assistance from them. Target supports this program and requests your cooperation in granting the Brand Ambassadors permission to enter the backroom, access the Sampling Supply Area or designated back-room storage area, and assist with the setup, execution, and teardown of each event as needed. Additionally, Product Connections Brand Ambassadors require access to a 3-compartment sink to wash, rinse, and sanitize sampling equipment. Please support the setup, sampling, execution, and teardown of each event. For additional information, refer to Workbench | Product Connections Adult Beverage Sampling.

Listed here is a brief overview of how you can help support:

- Help the Brand Ambassador locate the best location in-store to place the sampling cart during their demo, usually near the Adult Beverage area.
- Work with the Brand Ambassador to secure space in the backroom near the Adult Beverage area to store the sampling cart, or in the Sampling Supply Area (the space should be easily accessible and not require a forklift or heavy lifting to locate and move the AB sampling cart).
- Communicate with receiving team members that additional product will be sent in for these events and should be accepted in the weeks leading up to each program.
- Assist with printing the price sign for the featured product(s) as requested by the Brand Ambassador.

Thank you for your support and please submit a mysupport or email FoodBevSampling@Target.com with any questions.

Sincerely,
Mallorie Ramirez
Sr. Business Partner – Food & Beverage Operations

