

Taste of Napa Valley

## Paul Franson, Taste of Napa Valley: Calistoga Depot to open next week

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Jean-Charles Boisset's renovations to the interior of the historic Calistoga Depot will feature an upscale grocery, an on-site brewery, and spirits tasting room. Tim Carl Photography

**I**t looks like the rebirth of the Calistoga Depot will begin with the opening of Calistoga Depot Provisions, a market with ready-to-eat food and more, which should open the week of July 18, possibly on July 20.

The historic Depot has been vacant about two years, ever since the Palisades Market moved down the street and the Wine Stop wine merchant moved across the street.

Its offerings are largely inspired by the Oakville Grocery, which, like the Depot, is owned by vintner Jean-Charles Boisset. He also owns the Oakville Grocery in Healdsburg.

Boisset also owns Raymond Vineyards, the Ink House B&B, the Keller Building in St. Helena (we're waiting on plans for that one), a JCB tasting room in Yountville, the Chateau Buena Vista tasting room in Napa (an LVE tasting room for John Legend wines is coming up) and the Oakville Wine Merchant — and that's just in Napa Valley.

Eventually, the renovated Calistoga Depot should be a big attraction to both Calistogans and visitors. It will include a café, microbrewery and a microdistillery tasting room.