



AN AUSTRIAN/ONTARIO WINE EXPERIENCE

University of Toronto – Faculty Club
Tuesday April 27, Reception 6:00pm, Tasting 6:30pm

The **Ontario Wine Society**, in cooperation with the **Austrian Trade Commission (Toronto)** and **Inniskillin/Jackson-Triggs** is pleased to invite you for a special experience to taste and compare similar wine varietals from Austria and Ontario, featuring **Weingut Rabl** and **Inniskillin, Jackson-Triggs**, facilitated by **Rudolf Rabl** and **Karl Kaiser**.



Every so often the OWS decides to compare and contrast our Ontario wines with another wine producing country. This time, Austria was chosen. Although Austria's latitude is closer to Beaune (Burgundy) and Ontario closer to Bordeaux, we both are considered 'cool climate' regions and grow many similar grape varietals. Ontario also has a 'warm' wine connection to Austria: **Karl Kaiser**, Inniskillin Winery's co-founder and first winemaker, hails from Austria. The winery is credited with starting Ontario's modern wine industry. Although retired in 2006 from Inniskillin, Karl is excited to come back and discuss two loves: Austria & Inniskillin. **Rudolf Rabl**, winemaker of Rabl wines, will discuss his wines and his winery which has been in existence since 1750. No two people could better discuss the wines we will taste. We anticipate a number of Austrian wine lovers will join us for this unique tasting.

The reception will feature a distinctive Austrian white wine.
(Presently served at the Royal Ontario Museum: C5 restaurant):
Grüner Veltliner

'Gruner is the insider's choice. It is dazzlingly vibrant & really tastes uniquely Austrian': John Szabo

We will then progress through **5** paired wines:

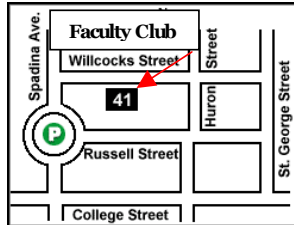
Riesling
Sauvignon Blanc
Pinot Noir
Merlot
Ice Wine

Ending with a top **Gruner Veltliner**

**Extra-special Austrian themed appetizers will be prepared by the FACULTY CLUB
to compliment this tasting**

OWS Members & Austrian Trade Commission Guests - \$42: Non-Members - \$52

The Faculty Club, University of Toronto, 41 Willcocks Street, is located just east of Spadina Avenue, north of College Street and south of Bloor Street. The Spadina streetcar stops at the corner of Willcocks and Spadina. Paid parking is available on the street, at the rear of Connaught Labs to the south, or in the underground parking garage of The Bahen Building, entrance located on Huron Street, just north of College Street.



Registration for this event can be done **on-line (till April 25)** at [OntarioWineSociety.com/Upcoming Events/Toronto Chapter](http://OntarioWineSociety.com/UpcomingEvents/TorontoChapter) or by **cheque** payable to the **Ontario Wine Society** enclosed with the registration form below **postmarked** no later than April 20. **Cancellations will be accepted until April 23, by calling the wine line at (416) 921-9798.** **Reservations will not be taken over the phone and payment cannot be made at the door.**

Please reserve ____ space(s) for the **Austrian/Ontario Wine Experience** on Tuesday April 27, 2010.

OWS Member & one Guest: \$42 each. Austrian Trade Commission Guests: \$42 each

Non- members and additional Guests: \$52 each.

Enclosed is a cheque for \$_____.

Please print: Name of person making the reservation: _____

Phone (day): _____ Phone (Evening): _____

So that we may e-mail you a confirmation, please provide your e-mail address:

Guest's Name: _____ Guest's Name: _____

Guest/Non-Member: _____ Guest/Non-Member: _____

If you do not have an e-mail address, please make sure that you have provided a telephone number.

WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNITY - I, for myself, my heirs or assigns, and my guests for whom I accept complete responsibility, hereby release and forever discharge and indemnify the Ontario Wine Society (OWS), its executive, all members and their guests, from any and all damages, claims and actions relating to OWS activities, at Society functions or on Society grounds. I certify that I, and my guests, are 19 years of age or older.

Signed _____

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