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## The Ontario Wine Society - Niagara Chapter Presents

### Three-Region, Three-Wine Comparison at Flat Rock Cellars

**Tuesday, June 21, 2011**

\$35 Members

\$45 Non-Members

**Flat Rock Cellars**

2727 Seventh Ave., Jordan, ON, L0R 1S0

**6:30** – Reception, **7:00** - Tasting

Under the guidance of guest speaker, *Michael Pinkus* of the Ontario Wine Review, you will have the opportunity to compare three wines - Chardonnay, Cabernet Franc and a red blend each from Niagara, Prince Edward County and Lake Erie North Shore. Great producers such as **Norman Hardie Winery**, **Sprucewood Shores Estate Winery**, and our host, **Flat Rock Cellars** will compete in the three different categories. In all, nine wineries will represent their regions.

Michael will help us compare the terroir, differing climates, viticulture practices and the wine making skills in Ontario's three main wine regions.

To our knowledge, this is the first time that the Ontario Wine Society has had a tasting comparing these regions. So, don't miss the chance to be part of this unique evening in the scenic event room at Flat Rock Cellars.

Michael Pinkus, *aka* the Grape Guy, is a long time commentator on the Ontario wine scene and publishes a bi-weekly wine newsletter at [www.ontariowinereview.com](http://www.ontariowinereview.com). His sometimes controversial writings can also be found in such publications as Grapevine Magazine and Tidings. He's also the wine columnist and blogger for Ottawa Life magazine.

Stay after the event for some mingling and tasty nibbles provided by a local Niagara chef.

**Directions:** Follow the QEW to Exit #55 Jordan Road and drive south on Jordan Road to the end. Turn left at Regional Road 81 (Wine Route). Take your first right on 17th Street and proceed up the escarpment. Turn right on 7th Avenue and you will see the winery on the right.

For a map, visit [www.flatrockcellars.com/contact/directions](http://www.flatrockcellars.com/contact/directions)

To register for this event, fill out and mail in the form below.

## Registration Form

For information call the **Wine Line at 416-921-9798** or visit [www.ontariowinesociety.com](http://www.ontariowinesociety.com).

Members \$35.00, Non-Members \$45.00. Members may bring one guest at member price. Your cheque must be **received** by June 14, 2011. Cancellations will be accepted up to June 16, 2011. Please do not mail cash. Seats will *not* be sold at the door. *Although we appreciate knowing your intentions, receipt of your cheque is the only way to guarantee a reservation, so please be sure to mail in your registration forms early as reservations are not accepted by phone or email.*

***In order to optimize the tasting experience for all participants, please refrain from wearing any cologne or perfumed products.***

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ space(s) for **Three Region Comparison** – June 21, 2011. Enclosed is my cheque for \$\_\_\_\_\_.  
(Please make cheque payable to "The Ontario Wine Society - Niagara Chapter"). Please contact me at \_\_\_\_\_ to confirm your receipt of this cheque.

**Please print:**

MEMBER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE:(DAY) \_\_\_\_\_ (EVENING) \_\_\_\_\_

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GUEST NAME (S): \_\_\_\_\_

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: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please mail to: The Ontario Wine Society - Niagara Chapter**  
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