



**The Ontario Wine Society Presents
Niagara Chapter's**

***Shiraz or Syrah,
What's the difference?***

Wednesday, June 25, 2008

\$ 30 Members

\$ 40 Non-Members

Kacaba Vineyards Winery

3550 King St., Vineland

Reception: 6:30 p.m. Tasting: 7:00 p.m.

Known as Syrah in France and Shiraz in Australia, this varietal has, in the past few years, become one of the most popular reds around! In the cooler climates of France, this grape produces pepper and spice aromas and flavours. The warmer climates of Australia produce a sweeter, riper tasting wine. Whether in France, Australia, or Canada, this grape has proven to create fabulous wines in the right conditions.

Join us at Kacaba Vineyards for a sampling of these wonderful grape varieties grown and produced here in Niagara. Kacaba Vineyards include one of the first plantings of Syrah in Ontario. Winemaker, John Tummon will be our featured speaker of the evening. John is a prolific winemaker, winning numerous provincial, Canadian and international awards. His history of winemaking dates back to 1972, when he made wine in university. In 1988, he completed a German Wine Academy Course, and in 1998, won Wine Taster of the Year at the AWO (Amateur Winemakers of Ontario) in Peterborough.

Enjoy the opportunity to sample Niagara Shiraz and Syrah compared to Australian and French styles. Stay afterwards for mingling and delicious nibbles specially prepared by Chef Darren Stoute.

Directions: Follow the QEW to Regional Road 24 (Victoria Ave.) and follow south until you reach King St. (Hwy 8). Turn right and follow a few kilometers. Kacaba Vineyards will be on left hand side. For local directions or a map, visit www.kacaba.com

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

Registration Form

Please note: In order that all of our members are fully able to appreciate the wines, we kindly request your cooperation in not wearing *perfumes* or scented *after-shaves* – Thank you.

For information call the **Niagara Wine Line at 905-685-7623** or visit www.ontariowinesociety.com
Members \$30; Non-Members \$40. Members may bring one guest at member price. Your cheque must be **received** by Wednesday, June 18, 2008. Cancellations will be accepted up to Wednesday, June 18, 2008. 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.

Please reserve _____ space(s) for the *Shiraz and Syrah comparison tasting on Wednesday June 25th, 2008*. 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:

NAME: _____ GUEST'S NAME(S): _____

CORPORATE MEMBER AFFILIATION? _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ POSTAL CODE: _____

TELEPHONE: (DAY) _____ (EVENING) _____

I understand and accept my personal safety responsibilities
when attending an Ontario Wine Society Event.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

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