



The Ontario Wine Society - Niagara Chapter
Presents
“You be the Judge”

at Calamus Estate Winery

Thursday October 21, 2010

\$ 30 Members

\$ 40 Non-Members

3100 Glen Road, Jordan, ON L0R 1S0

Tel: 905-562-9303

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

This tasting is designed to pull back the curtain on judging wine at competitions. Our guide will be Rick VanSickle. Rick is an avid wine collector and freelance wine writer living in the heart of Niagara. He writes a weekly column on Niagara wines in the St. Catharines Standard and has written extensively in various newspapers and magazines. While he does travel and write about international wines and judge occasionally, his time is mostly devoted to Niagara wines and his website www.winesinniagara.com

Rick will take us through 3 flights of wine: Riesling, Chardonnay and Cabernet Franc and tell us what judges might be looking for at competitions. You will blind taste and score the wines and award each one a **Gold**, **Silver** or **Bronze**. Overall results will be tabulated and unveiled at the end of the tasting. Some of Ontario's most representative wines have been chosen by Rick for this tasting.

After the tasting, enjoy some offerings from August Restaurant in Beamsville.

Directions:

Traveling on the Q.E.W. take the Victoria Ave. exit and go south through Vineland continuing past King Street. Drive through the next set of lights and take a left turn at Sixth Avenue where you see the sign for Ball's Fall Conservation Area. Follow Sixth Ave around the conservation area over the bridge to the top of the hill and turn right onto Glen Road. Stop at the first barn on your right

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

Registration Form

For information call **905-563-9998** or visit www.ontariowinesociety.com.

Members \$30, Non-Members \$40. Members may bring one guest at member price. Your cheque must be *received* by October 14, 2010. Cancellations will be accepted up to October 15, 2010. 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 "You be the Judge–October 21, 2010". 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 NAME(S): _____

INDUSTRY MEMBER AFFILIATION? _____

ADDRESS: _____

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TELEPHONE: (DAY) _____ (EVENING) _____

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SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____

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