

What: A British Columbia Wine Vacation
When: Sunday, May 17, 2015 at 2:00 PM
Where: The Mika Residence, 620 Ridge Road, Moscow
Cost: \$23 per person. Please email Tim Steffens (timsteffens@mac.com) that you are coming.
Contact: The Eckbergs at eckberg@outlook.com

North of the central Washington border lies a viticulture mecca of scenic beauty. Restaurants, many of which are winery-based, feature local specialties. Family-friendly activities make this an attractive destination from our area, information which will be provided at the event. This sampling of B.C. wines from the Okanogan and Similkameen regions will be paired with light snacks as recommended by the represented wineries. An added feature will be desert wines and a semi-dry fruit wine from the emerging Thompson-Nicola region of B.C. Also, in celebration of Scott's 60th, the Eckbergs will be hosting a birthday "giveaway" of wine-themed gifts to those who attend. This tasting is just what you need to kick off summer!

Pre-Flight Bubbly:
Steller's Jay Limited Release Sparkling Gewurztraminer, Sumac Ridge Winery, Summerland

Flight One: Regional Whites of the Okanogan
Ehrenfelser Classic 2010, Gehringer Brothers Winery (of 40 years), Golden Mile, Oliver
Trebiano 2009, (30 yo vines from Italy) Hester Creek Vinters, Golden Mile, Oliver
Gewurztraminer 2011, (25 yo vines) Wild Goose Winery, Okanogan Falls

Flight Two: Regional "Lights" of the Skilkameen
Reisling (Dry) 2011, Scout Vineyard, Orofino Winery, Cawston
Estate Chardonnay 2009, Seven Stones Wine Cave, Cawston
Pinot Rose 2011, Speaking Rock, Seven Stones Wine Cave, Cawston

Flight Three: Rocky-Soil Reds
Gamay 2011, Celetano Vineyard, Orofino Winery, Cawston
Pinotage 2009, Stone Boat Winery, Black Sage Bench, Oliver
Beleza Meritage 2010, Orofino Winery, Cawston
Syrah 2008, Hillside Estates, Black Sage Bench, Naramata

Flight Four: Regional Dessert!
Saskatoon Berry, Bonaparte Bend Winery, Cache Creek
Peach-Nectarine, Rustic Roots Winery, Similkameen Bend, Cawston
Late-Harvest Pinot Blanc, Hester Creek Winery, Golden Mile sub-AVA, Oliver

This is a single-bottle tasting (limited to 24 people), so please send in your reservations. E-mail Tim Steffens (timsteffens@mac.com) to sign up. For more information about this event, contact the Eckbergs at eckberg@outlook.com. To reserve a spot mail in the following coupon and your check (payable to Enology Society, Palouse Chapter) to:

Palouse Chapter, PO Box 8274, Moscow, ID 83843

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Curious about British Columbia wines I/we will attend the British Columbia Wine Vacation on Sunday, May 17, 2015 at 2:00 PM. I have enclosed a \$ _____ check for _____ people (@\$23 per person attending). It will be held at the Mika Residence, 620 Ridge Road, Moscow. Please make checks payable to "Enology Society, Palouse Chapter".

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