



AMERICAN WINE SOCIETY

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There were 25 at the tasting and everyone was on their good behavior. It really was a wonderful day and Pat and Walt did a great job.

One item we should address: too many of us say we are coming and then do not show up. This is especially a problem when calls have been made after the stated deadline for the tasting, accommodations are made and then: no appearance. This wreaks havoc with logistics and often results in a more expensive tasting for those in attendance. We understand that things happen—people get sick, etc., but there were no-shows that didn't bother calling. We had 33 RSVP and only 25 came.



Wine Hosts: Tasting Topics, Please!

The next wine tasting will be at the home of Carmen and Richard Blossveren on Sunday, February 18th at 2:00 pm. Bill Eisberg will host "Italians You May Not Know". Please call the Blossverens by February 14th if you would like to attend. Please, don't forget to bring something for the table.

IMPORTANT! TIME IS SHORT!!

Membership Matters—Do not let your membership (due January 1) in CCAWS lapse because you forgot to renew your member-

Regions You Won't Believe!

Order	Wine	Votes	Prices
W	Dry Creek Reserve 3L Merlot CA 1997	—	\$142
1	St Michaels Pinot Grigio MD 2005	3	16
2	Turis Sauvignon Blanc NJ 2005	0	16
3	Ragapple Lassie Syrah NC 2004	2	16
4	RayLen Vineyards Cab Franc NC 2004	7	16
5	Piedmont Vineyards Cab Sauv VA 1995	4	18
6	Turis Sangiovese NJ NV	6	19
7	Barros LBV Porto 1997	—	18



Date	House	Wine Host	Topic
3/18/07	Johnston	Johnston	???
4/15/07	Brown	Wilson/Brown	???
5/20/07	Barbour	Slick	???
6/17/07	Pardoe	???	???
7/15/07	Grillon	All	Picnic
8/19/07	Evans	Wilson	But Can They Make Wine?
9/9/07	Barbour	Stewart	Maryland Reds
9/15-16	Maryland Wine Festival at the Farm Museum		
10/21/07	Miller	Parker	???
11/18/07	Evans	Eisberg	???
12/?/07	Blossveren	Landon	Champagne



ship in the American Wine Society (\$57/year—for convenient, on-line management of your membership, visit www.AmericanWineSociety.org) and this chapter (\$10/year—see John Landon, our helpful, congenial treasurer). Remember that the drop-dead date is March 2, after which your membership drops dead until resurrected with the requisite \$67. I know some of you would like to make one payment to CCAWS and have us manage your AWS membership, but that overly complicates things for us and might force us to pay our treasurer with more than just compliments and gratitude!

See you at the Blossverens'

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