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## Winedown Wednesday The Languedoc-Roussillon

With its long growing season, huge soil range, varying microclimates in the Massif foothills, and the cooling influence of the Mistral & Tramontane, the Languedoc-Roussillon has the perfect growing conditions for a multitude of varietals.

The 2015 vintage is considered to be very promising, especially at the top end, as the abundance of hot weather provided plentiful ripeness.

Jancis Robinson writes “How many times do we have to make the point that the Languedoc offers some of the finest value in the wine world before this exciting region gets the credit it deserves?” Indeed! And this evening, our wine selections will help to prove the point!

Please join us for a sumptuous sipping of Opimian wines from the Languedoc-Roussillon, well-paired with a variety of French hors d'oeuvres.

The wines from this event are aligned with C251, open for ordering from July 7 until August 11, 2017.

### Wines & Menu

*Tortoise Creek, Viognier, Le Verger, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015*

*Lagarde Blanc, IGP Comté Tolosan, Sélection du Vigneron, 2015 (Ugni Blanc & Colombar)*  
Paired with Gougeres (French Cheese Puffs)

*Domaine Blomac, Sauvignon Blanc, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015*  
Paired with Pears & Camembert

*Mr. Paul, IGP Côte de Gascogne Blanc, 2015 (Colombar & Gros Manseng)*  
Paired with Feta Spinach Stuffed French Bread

*Syrah Rosé, Baronnie de Canet, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015 (Syrah)*  
Paired with Roasted Beets with Tarragon

*Maison Belleruche, Merlot, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015*  
Paired with Chicken Cordon Bleu Bites

*Tortoise Creek, Carignan Vieilles Vignes, IGP Pays d'Herault, 2015*  
Paired with French Onion Tartlets

*Château Canet, AOP Minervois, Rouge, 2015*  
Paired with Mini Potato Gratin Stacks

*Grande Merveille, Syrah-Grenache, AOP Côtes du Roussillon Villages, 2013*  
Paired with Tourtiere (Meat Pie)

*Domaine Blomac, Syrah, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015*  
Paired with French Onion Soup with Syrah

*Domaine Canet Syrah, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2015*  
Paired with Spicy, smoky dark chocolate

### Upcoming Events

Please contact us to reserve your spot at any of our Upcoming 2017 Events:

August 16<sup>th</sup> – Winedown Wednesday: West Coast Wonders (California, Oregon, Washington) – aligned with C252 (ordering open from August 11 – September 15)

August 30<sup>th</sup> – Winedown Wednesday: Fabled Flights Beneath the Northern Lights (Spain) – aligned with C252 (ordering open from August 11 – September 15)

September 30<sup>th</sup> – Wines from Around the World

October 28<sup>th</sup> – NWT Opimian 3rd Annual Wicked HalloWINE Party (also St. Simon's Day this year)

Watch your email for details of other events to come as we are always planning!

#### Date

Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2017

#### Times

Tasting: 7:00pm

#### Place

**Chez Taylor**  
37 Morrison Drive  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 1Z3  
867-765-8218

#### Price

Members and First Guest:  
\$85.00\* per person

Additional Guests:  
\$95.00\* per person

Guests paying \$95.00 will receive a \$10.00 coupon\*\* which can be used towards an Opimian membership.

\*Prices include all applicable taxes and gratuities.

\*\*Coupons have no cash value. See Coupon for details.

**RSVP: Gillian Dawe-Taylor & Simon Taylor**

To reserve use the online reservation method or contact your Area Representatives Gillian Dawe-Taylor & Simon Taylor at [nwt@ar.opim.ca](mailto:nwt@ar.opim.ca) or 867-765-8218.

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### Notes

If you are bringing guests, please provide their full names and email addresses.

Cancellation accepted only until 6:00 PM Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>; substitutions permitted at any time with notice.

Attendees are reminded to refrain from wearing cologne and perfume as their aroma can seriously interfere with the enjoyment of the wines. This is a non-smoking event.

Safety considerations: please take a taxi or arrange for a ride from the event. If you need assistance Gillian/Simon will arrange a taxi for you.

