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# TRI-CITIES WINE SOCIETY



## WINE SENSORY SEMINAR WITH CARMELO MESSINA

**Sunday, March 15**  
**Best Western Premier**  
**2:00 to 4:30 p.m.**

Please join us on Sunday March 15th, with Carmelo Messina for an entertaining and educational wine sensory seminar. Many of you may be familiar with Carmelo Messina and have attended other seminars. For those who haven't, Carmelo is a Gold Pin Sommelier of the Italian Sommelier Association, with an additional Master in Professional Wine-Tasting. He has been working for over 20 years in Italy, England and the United States in hospitality and wine distribution.



Remember the complexity of wine can't only be described by color and taste. Through this unforgettable seminar, Carmelo Messina's expertise will deepen your understanding of wine through a sensory experience that will explore not only color and taste but also the sights, aromas and flavors of wine as he leads us through a tasting of our featured wines.

We will be joined by Mike Andrews from Coyote Canyon Winery. Mike will be showcasing five of his Spanish varietals to taste, enjoy and explore. The wines will be accompanied by individual charcuterie plates.

Sign up early so you don't miss out on this opportunity to enhance your wine education and enjoyment. This wine tasting event is limited to only 40 participants, and we expect it to sell out quickly. So, go the Wine Society's website at [www.tricitieswine.com](http://www.tricitieswine.com) to make your reservations today. Hope to see you there! ♦

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*Tony & Marie Pennella, Event Chairs*

**Date:** Sunday, March 15  
**Time:** 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Best Western Premier  
2811 North 20th Avenue  
Pasco, WA 99301  
**Cost:** Members \$60; Guests \$70  
**Limit:** 40  
**Type:** Educational Seminar  
**Cutoff:** Tuesday, March 10

**Make reservations:** [tricitieswinesociety.com](http://tricitieswinesociety.com) or mail to Tri-Cities Wine Society, P.O. Box 1142, Richland, WA 99352. If you mail a reservation, send Cher Case an email that your check is in the mail. Cancellation requests to Cher Case, 714-270-9757 or email [tcwstreasurer2020@gmail.com](mailto:tcwstreasurer2020@gmail.com) before Tuesday, March 10. ♦

## *Special Thank you!*

The enthusiastic participation in December's silent auction resulted in a profit of \$1431 for our scholarship fund. By adding this to the profits from the October and December events, the Society will be able to donate \$2,500 to both WSU Tri-Cities and Walla Walla College for use for scholarships in the Enology and Viniculture programs. Thank you for your generosity. ♦

## WATCH FOR SPECIAL 2026 EVENTS

**May Annual Meeting**  
**Nebbiolo Wine Tasting and Comparison**

All information on events is sent to members by email. Reservations for events may be made through the website [www.tricitieswinesociety.com](http://www.tricitieswinesociety.com) or by mailing payment to: Tri-Cities Wine Society P.O. Box 1142, Richland, WA 99352. ♦