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# TRI-CITIES WINE SOCIETY



## WINES OF AUSTRALIA BEYOND YELLOW TAIL & 19 CRIMES SATURDAY, OCT. 15

Are there other wines in Australia, “The Land Down Under,” beyond the megalithic marketing genius “Yellowtail” and its cute little critter “19 Crimes,” which depicts one of the 19 crimes that in colonial times would send you to the penal colonies of Australia or New Zealand? By the way, 19 Crimes now includes California wines with labels showing Snoop Dog and a Chardonnay with Martha Stewart.

Like most wine areas, Australia has some spectacular wines that never leave the country, but there are some really great wines that are available either locally or through some online options that are worthy of your attention.

For this event, we will take you on a virtual tour of the southern end of the continent and present you with the opportunity to sample some great wines from the various regions. We’ll be sampling wines from: Hunter Valley, called ‘The Hunter’ by the locals; Tasmania ‘Tazzie’; Barossa; McLaren Vale; and Margaret River. The varietals we will sample include Semillon, Pinot Noir, Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon, and possibly a couple of surprises. Without the Old World rules, the Aussie’s have become masters of doing unique blends, particularly blends of Shiraz and Cabernet Sauvignon, as well as new takes on some French varietals.

Flight details are being developed for the wines, and also hopefully without any pandemics, volcanoes, or other natural phenomenon, Chuck and Sue McCarger will join us to talk of their various trips to the “Land Down Under.”

The event is being held at the Barnard Griffin Banquet Facility on Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. The price for the event is \$50 for members and \$60 for non-member guests.

The new Chef at Barnard Griffin is working on their new fall menu and will choose some delectable selections for our event.

Because the space is limited to just 36 participants, be sure and sign up early to reserve your space. Expect a fun time. You might even see Snoop Dog, Martha Stewart and their friends lurking around the event. ♦

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*Randy Schreiner/Chuck & Sue McCarger, Co-Chairs  
Speaker, Chuck Mc Cargar*

**Date:** Saturday, October 15  
**Time:** 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Barnard Griffin Banquet Room  
787 Tulip Lane, Richland, WA 99352  
**Cost:** Members, \$50 guests, \$60  
**Limit:** 36  
**Type:** Casual Educational Tasting  
**Cutoff:** Tuesday, October 11

**Make reservations:** [tricitieswinesociety.com](http://tricitieswinesociety.com) or mail to Tri-Cities Wine Society, P.O. Box 1142, Richland, WA 99352.

**Cancellations to Cher Case, 509-221-1659 or email [ca\\_case@hotmail.com](mailto:ca_case@hotmail.com), before Tues., October 11. ♦**



### Upcoming 2022/2023 EVENTS

**Sunday, December 11**

**Holiday Party**

**Allied Arts Gallery at the Park**

**A Saturday night in February TBD**

**Sweetheart Dinner**

**Meadow Springs Country Club**

**Watch for more information!**

All event information 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. ♦