MAY 8-11, 2024 WASHINGTON, BC HEARTS DELIGHT

BENEFITING THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION



24th annual

Heart's Delight Wine Tasting & Auction

benefiting the American Heart Association

Chairman: George Little, Brunswick Group

Heart's Delight is widely recognized as a premier destination event where master winemakers, culinary greats and our distinguished guests gather to play and bid in the Nation's Capital. Join us for the only four-day celebration of exceptional food and wine in tribute to the American Heart Association's 100 years of life-saving impact.

Wednesday May 8 is the Congress Has Heart celebration showcasing some of the best in American wine. Highlighted wines will be presented by owners and winemakers and will include a live auction. This will be followed by the highly sought-after BYO Collectors Dinner.

Thursday May 9 is our Embassy & Winemaker Dinner Series. These intimate experiences feature dinners at the official residences of Ambassadors, personally hosted dinner parties at the homes of area wine enthusiasts and vintner-led dining experiences at some of Washington, DC's most notable restaurants.

Friday May 10 is the Vintners Dinner & Auction. This is Washington, DC's most exclusive fine dining and wine event of the year. The evening features the wine of Château Pontet-Canet presented by Alfred Tesseron paired with exquisite cuisine. The dinner is followed by a live auction led by Jamie Ritchie featuring wine directly from the cellars of our friends from Bordeaux in grand format.

Saturday May 11 is our Bordeaux Master Class & Grand Tasting. It is a festive celebration of the epicurean lifestyle. You will participate in a unique wine tasting experience with the visiting Château owners and wine directors. This year's tasting will be hosted by Neal Martin and will include the 2021 Bordeaux vintage as well as an older vintage chosen by the Château. The adventure continues with wine from around the world, and food prepared by some of the country's favorite chefs plus a spirited silent and live auction.

Since 1999, Heart's Delight has raised more than \$23 million net for the American Heart Association. The event began in memory of Bruce Bassin of MacArthur Beverages. 2024 marks the 100th anniversary of the founding of the American Heart Association and this year will be a wonderful celebration of our life-saving research. The 2024 Impact Goal of the American Heart Association is that every person deserves the opportunity for a full, healthy life. As champions for health equity, by 2024, The American Heart Association will advance cardiovascular health for all, including identifying and removing barriers to health care access and quality.

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CONGRESS HAS HEART & COLLECTORS DINNER

Wednesday May 8

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ALPHA OMEGA

Rutherford, CA Melissa Paris & Barrett Spiegel

DOMAINE DROUHIN OREGON

Dundee Hills, OR David Millman

EARLY MOUNTAIN VINEYARDS

Madison, VA Maya Hood White

GEORGE WINE COMPANY

Sonoma County, CA George Levkoff

INSTITUTION WINERY

Napa Valley, CA **Brian Kearney**

LAKEWOOD VINEYARDS

Finger Lakes, NY Elizabeth Stamp

MASSICAN WINERY

California Dan Petroski

MATTHIASSON

Napa Valley, CA Jill Klein Matthiasson

NYSA

Willamette Valley, OR Michael Mega

CONGRESS HAS HEART RECEPTION

Union Station 50 Massachusetts Avenue NE, Washington, DC

6:00 - 8:00 pm

Tickets: \$250 per person

Sponsorships: \$5,000, \$10,000, \$50,000 & \$75,000 **Business Attire**

PAHLMEYER WINERY

Napa Valley, CA Lili Shariati

RED CAP & PHAMUS

Howell Mountain, CA **Christopher Klein**

SEVEN APART

Napa Valley, CA Yannick Girardo

SILVER OAK

Napa Valley & Alexander Valley, CA Susan Castner

T. BERKLEY WINES

Napa & Sonoma, CA **Taylor Berkley Boydstun**

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Thomas T Thomas

TORII MOR WINERY

Dundee Hills, OR Ion Tomaselli

WILLIAM CHRIS WINE COMPANY

Texas Hill Country Chris Brundrett

COLLECTORS DINNER

Union Station

50 Massachusetts Avenue, NE,

Guests will join participating winemakers for dinner in this BYO-style celebration. Each guest will share a bottle from their own cellar in an attempt to impress and outdo their fellow diners. In this friendly competition, there are no losers.

8:00 - 10:30 PM

Tickets: \$500 per person + showcase bottle

(includes entrance into the reception)

Thursday May 9



WINE:

Château Pontet-Canet and Pym-Rae presented by Alfred Tesseron

CHEF:

Massimo Fabbri, San Lorenzo Ristorante

Home of Genevieve Murphy

Washington, DC

6:30 PM | 14 GUESTS | \$ (on hold for sponsors, wait list available)



SPONSOR:

Conrad Kenley

WINE:

Bodega Lanzaga presented by Telmo Rodríguez

CHEF:

Enrique Limardo, Imperfecto

The Room, Imperfecto 1124 23rd Street. NW

7:00 PM | 16 GUESTS | \$ pre-sold



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Château Lascombes presented by Axel Heinz

CHEF:

Fortunato Nicotra, Ristorante Tosca

Ristorante Tosca 1112 F Street, NW

6:30 PM | 16 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Château Lynch-Bages presented by Kinou Cazes Hachemian

CHEF:

Frederik de Pue, The Henri

The Henri

1301 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

7:00 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500

Thursday May 9



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Château Giscours presented by Alexander Van Beek

CHEF:

Fabio Salvatore, The Jefferson, Washington, DC

The Private Cellar, The Jefferson, Washington, DC 1200 16th Street. NW

6:30 PM | 18 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Seven Apart presented by Yannick Girardo

Home of Congressman Mike Thompson Washington, DC

7:00 PM | 6 GUESTS | \$ on hold for sponsors



HOST:

The Ambassador of Chile to the United States, Juan Gabriel Valdés

CHEF:

Estela Jude, Ambassador's Chef

Residence of the Ambassador of Chile 2305 Massachusetts Avenue, NW

7:00 PM | 18 GUESTS | \$500 (on hold for sponsors, waiting list available)



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Convene by Dan Kosta presented by Dan Kosta

Cork Wine Bar & Market 1805 14th Street, NW

6:30 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500



HOSTED BY:

The Embassy of Argentine Republic

Embassy of the Argentine Republic 1600 New Hampshire Avenue, NW

6:30 PM | 24 GUESTS | \$500 (on hold for sponsors, waiting list available)

Thursday May 9



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Massican Winery presented by Dan Petroski

CHEF

Matt Baker, Gravitas and Michele's

Gravitas

1401 Okie Street, NE

6:30 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Bouchard Pere & Fils Premier & Grand Cru (from Magnum) presented by Ethan Hunt

CHEF:

Tony DiGregorio, Kingbird at The Watergate Hotel

Kingbird at The Watergate Hotel

2650 Virginia Avenue, NW

7:00 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Debbie and Michael Capretti

WINE:

Château Talbot presented by Jean-Paul Bignon

CHEF:

Nicolas Legret, The Hay-Adams

The Hay-Adams, Concorde Room

800 16th Street, NW

7:00 PM | 24 GUESTS | \$ pre-sold



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Château Figeac presented by Alexa Boulton

CHEF:

Andrew Cleverdon, Blue Duck Tavern at Park Hyatt Washington, DC

Blue Duck Tavern at Park Hyatt Washington, DC

1201 24th Street, NW

7:00 PM | 18 GUESTS | \$500

Thursday May 9



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Château Angélus presented by Yves de Launay

CHEF

Michael Fusano, La Bise

La Bise

800 Connecticut Avenue, NW

6:30 PM | 18 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE:

Matthiasson presented by Jill Klein Matthiasson

CHEFS

Johnny Spero and Jason Chavenson

Bar Spero

250 Massachusetts Avenue NW

7:00 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

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HOST:

His Excellency Georg Sparber, The Ambassador of the Principality of Liechtenstein

SUPPORTED BY:

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WINE:

Wine selected by Ambassador Sparber including a selection from the vineyards of the Liechtenstein Princely Family

Residence of the Ambassador of Liechtenstein 2900 K Street, NW

7:00 PM | 10 GUESTS | \$500



SPONSOR:

Available

WINE.

Château Malartic Lagravière presented by Guillaume Virsolvy

CHEF

Colin McClimans, Opal

Opal

5534 Connecticut Avenue, NW

7:00 PM | 20 GUESTS | \$500

VINTNERS DINNER & AUCTION

Friday May 10

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Neal Martin, Vinous

GUEST OF HONOR

Alfred Tesseron Château Pontet-Canet and Pym-Rae

AUCTIONEER

Jamie Ritchie, BlockBar

THE RUTH BASSIN MEMORIAL AWARD

Nick Calio

The evening features the wines of Château Pontet-Canet and Pym-Rae presented by Alfred Tesseron paired with exquisite cuisine. The dinner is followed by a live auction with exciting trips, wonderful dinners, and rare & highly sought-after wine as well as our much-anticipated offering of grand format bottles signed by the winemakers. At the conclusion of the auction, we will highlight our individual giving campaign, Stand Up for Your Heart, in celebration of the mission of the American Heart Association.

NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

8th & G Streets, NW | Washington, DC Entrance on G Street

7:00 - 10:30 PM

\$1,500 per person \$20,000 Table of 8 \$75,000 Presenting Sponsor

Black Tie

Thank you to Champagne Henriot, the official champagne of the Vintners Dinner

BORDEAUX MASTER CLASS & GRAND TASTING RECEPTION

Saturday May 11

CALLING ALL COWBOYS AND COWGIRLS

Join in with our western theme today! Wear your best boots, hat, belt buckle whatever makes you happy, partner!

BORDEAUX MASTER CLASS, GRAND TASTING & AUCTION

4:00 - 10:30 pm | \$650

GRAND TASTING RECEPTION TICKET

6:30 - 10:30 pm | \$300

BORDEAUX MASTER CLASS (2) & TABLE FOR 10 AT GRAND TASTING RECEPTION

4:00 - 10:30 pm | \$10,000

TABLE FOR 8 AT GRAND TASTING RECEPTION

6:30 - 10:30 pm | \$5,000

GRAND TASTING PRESENTING SPONSOR

\$75,000

WALDORF ASTORIA DC

1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC

Special room rates are available at the Waldorf Astoria (\$399 or \$469) until April 9th. Please call (202) 695-1100 and reference American Heart Association/Heart's Delight

BORDEAUX MASTER CLASS

Saturday May 11

BORDEAUX MASTER CLASS HOST: NEAL MARTIN, VINOUS

4:00 - 6:30 PM

A formal seated tasting of the 2021 vintage plus an older vintage of the winemaker's choosing. Château owners and directors are on hand to discuss their wines.

CHÂTEAU ANGÉLUS

Saint-Émilion

Yves de Launay

CHÂTEAU LYNCH-BAGES

Pauillac

Kinou Cazes Hachemian

CHÂTEAU BRANE CANTENAC

Margaux

Henri Lurton

CHÂTEAU MALARTIC LAGRAVIÈRE

Pessac-Léognan

Guillaume Virsolvy

CHÂTEAU FIGEAC

Saint-Émilion

Alexa Boulton

CHÂTEAU PONTET-CANET

Pauillac

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CHÂTEAU GISCOURS

Margaux

Alexander van Beek

CHÂTEAU TALBOT

Saint-Julien

Jean-Paul Bignon

CHÂTEAU LASCOMBES

Margaux

Axel Heinz

DOMAINE DE CHEVALIER

Pessac-Léognan

Hugo Bernard

Thank you to Barrière Frères and MacArthur Beverages for organizing and transporting all of the lovely wine from Bordeaux to Heart's Delight.

GRAND TASTING RECEPTION & AUCTION

6:30 - 10:30 PM

Grand tasting reception with Chef Stations, Wine, Beer & Cocktail Stations and a Silent and a Live auction

GRAND TASTING STATIONS

Saturday May 11

ALPHA OMEGA

Rutherford, CA

Melissa Paris & Barrett Spiegel

ARTISANS & VINES

Eric Platt

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Willamette Valley, OR

Tom and France Fitzpatrick

ELYSE WINERY

Napa Valley, CA

Josh Peeples

GEORGE WINE COMPANY

Sonoma County, CA

George Levkoff

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Megan Brown

INK GRADE

Howell Mountain, Napa Valley

Matt Taylor

NYSA

Willamette Valley, OR

Michael Mega

PAHLMEYER WINERY

Napa Valley, CA

Scott Wilkes

RED CAP & PHAMUS

Howell Mountain, CA

Christopher Klein

SERA LUCE VENETIAN SPRITZ Justin Pass & Rachel Watson

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Napa & Sonoma, CA

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THOMAS T. THOMAS VINEYARDS

Mendocino County/Anderson Valley

Thomas T Thomas

TOLAINI

Tuscany, Italy

Amanda Page

TORII MOR WINERY

Dundee Hills, OR

Jon Tomaselli

Plus enjoy a selection from our friends in Bordeaux

CHÂTEAU FIGEAC

CHÂTEAU LASCOMBES

CHÂTEAU MALARTIC LAGRAVIÈRE

GRAND TASTING STATIONS

Saturday May 11

CHOUQUETTE CHOCOLATES

Sarah Dwyer

CORK WINE BAR & MARKET

Washington, DC

DISTRICT SMALL BITES

Reggie Anderson

Washington, DC

FAR OUT HOSPITALITY

Graham Elliot

Fort Worth, TX

GEORGETOWN CUPCAKE

Washington, DC

HANK'S OYSTER BAR

Jamie Leeds

Washington, DC & Alexandria, VA

HIRAYA CAFÉ AND RESTAURANT

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Washington, DC

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Andrew Zimmerman

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Washington, DC

VIRGINIA'S DARLING

Nicole Jones

Alexandria, VA

AND MORE!

* As of printing date

AUCTION HIGHLIGHTS

Harlan & Bond Lot – full suite from 2019 vintage

The Cook's Atelier, family run cooking school in Beaune, five-day Masterclass for Two

100 point lot in honor of the American Heart Association's 100th anniversary

John Brooks Tribute Lot

Big Macs & Burgundy Inspired Lot

Tennis lesson with Patrick McEnroe

Trips to Bordeaux, Napa/Sonoma, Spain, Portugal, London, Burgundy and more

Nebuchadnezzar (15L) Pinea Wine 2018

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Jamie Ritchie BlockBar

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Friday, May 10 | 12:00 – 2:00 pm (open house) WineLAIR, 1120 22nd Street, NW

Twenty of the participating winemakers from all nights of Heart's Delight will be pouring their current release.

This complimentary tasting is open to the wine trade.

Register under the event tab of our website: www.heartsdelightwineauction.org

TO PURCHASE TICKETS

Please visit our website www.heartsdelightwineauction.org to purchase tickets or by calling 703.248.1720.

All tickets are non-refundable. 100% of the proceeds benefit the American Heart Association.

To join the waitlist for any of the dinners, please contact heidi.arnold@heart.org with your preference and contact information.

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