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Spring is in the air! The days are warming up and it feels so good!

We have a great line-up for wine tasting this month! Mark your calendars!

FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH OWEN ROE WINERY JOIN US FOR A GREAT SELECTION OF RED WINES FROM OWEN ROE WITH GARRET PLOCKER 4-8 PM PRICE TBD

**From the "Grand Cru" at Santiam Wine & Bistro
Happy Easter**

2014 Alto Moncayo Veraton Old Vine

Grenache \$30 JUST ARRIVED!

Most of the Moncayo wines tend to sell for higher prices, but the 2014 Alto Moncayo Veraton is their least expensive cuvée, overseen by famous Barossa Australian winemaker Chris Ringland. Made from 100% Grenache, it was aged in 60% new French oak and 40% American oak barrels for 16 months prior to bottling without filtration. This is a 1,500-case cuvée that is pedal-to-the-metal material, as one might expect from Ringland. With an opaque ruby/purple color, beautiful blackberry, charcoal and oaky notes are followed by a modern-style wine with huge fruit, big body, sweet tannin and a long finish. Drink it over the next 5-6 years. **91 Points Robert Parker**

We are pouring this by the glass while we can!

April 2017 Wine Tasting Calendar:

SATURDAY, APRIL 1ST 12-4 P.M. FREE

Come and taste six wines from our April Cheap & Cheerful 12-4 P.M. Enjoy Lunch, Shop and relax.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5TH 4-8 P.M.

Oregon Chardonnay– Oregon is producing amazing Chardonnay. Join us for a taste! Including Eyrie, Evesham Wood, Lingua Franca Camernon, Domaine Drouhin & Lavinea

FRIDAY, APRIL 7TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE TBD

SPANISH WINE INCLUDING THE NEW RELEASES OF ALTO MONCAYO OLD VINE G

CALENDAR CONTINUED...

SATURDAY, APRIL 8TH 12-4 CHEAP & CHEERFUL

Six wines from the April Cheap & Cheerful 12-4 P.M. Enjoy Lunch, Shop and relax.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12TH 4-8 PM WINE TASTING BUBBLY ROSE!

Delicate Bubbly Rose to celebrate Easter!

FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE T.B.D.

OWEN ROE WINERY JOIN US FOR A GREAT SELECTION OF RED WINES FROM OWEN ROE WITH GARRET PLOCKER

SATURDAY, APRIL 15TH 12-4

Leftovers!

Sunday, April 16th Happy Easter!

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19TH 4-8 PM
ROSE TASTING**

FRIDAY, APRIL 21ST 4-8 PM

Oregon Pinot Noir! From the amazing 2014 & 2015 Vintage

**SATURDAY, APRIL 22ND
LEFTOVERS**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE TBD
WASHINGTON WHITES**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 28TH 4-8 P.M. PRICE T.B.D.
SYRAH, SYRAH, SYRAH! HOORAY!**

SATURDAY, APRIL 29TH

April 2017 Cheap & Cheerful Red six-pack AKA C&C 6-pack: \$70.43

In this month's hand-picked Cheap & Cheerful Six-Packs. You will find incredible wine values from around the globe. The price reflects **10%** off if you buy the following six wines Red or White — your reward for trusting me. These wines are ready and waiting for you to pick-up! Mix the white and red up if you wish! **(These wines can be purchased individually or by the case!) The Wine Club without rules! But, it does RULE!**

2015 Zach Brown Cabernet Sauvignon \$15

Z. Alexander Brown Cabernet Sauvignon unfolds with rich aromas of blackberry, plum and baking spice. Bold tannins frame a powerful mid-palate layered with mouth-filling red fruit flavors of Bing cherry and subtle hints of vanilla and black pepper. Smooth and balanced, an elegant finesse defines the long and lingering finish

2014 Broad Side Cabernet Sauvignon Paso Robles \$14

A go-to brand for everyday sipping, this offers easily enjoyable aromas of dense blueberry, menthol, cedar and leather. The fruit-forward palate shows red cherry, bramble and red plum, with just enough tannin and acidity to stand up to dinner. **87 Points Wine Enthusiast**

2015 Ca' del Baio Barbera d'Alba Italy \$12

Ca' del Baio is the labor of love of four generations of family producers. The Grasso family manages the 22 hectare vineyard and winery based in Treiso. This Barbera bottling undergoes a controlled fermentation in stainless steel before being aged for one year in oak casks. The wine is deep ruby with a fruity nose of red currant and raspberry. Fresh and bright on the palate, the fruit reverberates through the finish.

2013 Chateau Ste Michelle Syrah WA \$11. Dark and ripe, with an open texture to the cherry, blackberry and meat flavors, which come together smoothly against refined tannins. Drink now through 2018. **87 Points Wine Spectator**

2015 Owen Roe Sharecropper Pinot Noir OR \$15

A bright aroma of sweet strawberries, cranberry and cherry pie filling, this warm vintage Pinot Noir is luscious with flavors of dried herbs, cocoa, vanilla and cola. Black plum and dark fruit notes dance across the palate. The mouthwatering berry notes are well-balanced and enhanced with subtle tannins. Enjoy this pretty Pinot Noir sourced from some of our favorite Oregon vineyards now and for the next 4-6 years.

2013 Santa Ema Merlot Chile \$11.25

This lush and spicy red offers concentrated flavors of dark cherry, plum and dried raspberry that are creamy and rich-tasting. Milk chocolate and loads of Asian spice details fill in on the finish, revealing some savory touches. Drink now through 2019. **90 Wine Spectator**

April 2017 White Cheap & Cheerful \$65.70

2014 Carlton Cellars Pinot Gris Willamette Valley \$14

2015 La Berriere Muscadet Loire Valley \$13

2016 Peter Yealands Sauvignon Blanc New Zealand \$13

2016 Azulejo Vinho Regional Lisboa Portugal Rose \$10

2015 Domaine Astruc Viognier France \$9

2015 Passio Mento The Veneto Italy \$14



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STORE HOURS

TUESDAY 11-7

WEDNESDAY –FRIDAY 11-8

SATURDAY 10AM –CLOSE

WINE TASTING EVERY

WHITE WEDNESDAY &

RED ON FRIDAY

EVERY SATURDAY

COMPLIMENTARY

WINE TASTINGS

12-4PM!

OUR MENU IS OPEN

PLEASE JOIN US!

* SPECIALTY CHEESES FROM AROUND THE GLOBE * CORONA BEANS

• CASINA ROSSO BLACK TRUFFLE SEASALT, VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT, LUSTAU SOLERA VINAGRE COOKING SHERRY

* LEMON INFUSED OLIVE OIL * VIGNALTA ROSEMARY SEASALT

* ITALIAN, SPANISH OLIVE OIL- MALETTI BALSAMIC VINEGAR

SHERRY WINE VINEGAR * MARSALA* GIFT BASKETS * SHIPPING

BOXES * SHIPPING AVAILABLE * GIFT CERTIFICATES! * FREE TISSUE

WRAP AND HANTIED BOW! YOU CAN ALSO PURCHASE OUR MARINATED

NUTS, OLIVES, OR FRESHLY SLICED GOURMET CHEESES, DEMI FRENCH

BAGUETTES— PRICES POSTED AT THE STORE.

• TO GO AVAILABLE!