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Salute! A Wine Tasting Tour of Italy Brings Regions' Best Vino to Westchester
New event will feature Wine Expert Kevin Zraly and Tarry Lodge Executive Chef Andy Nusser

WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NY (May X, 2017) - A newcomer to the Wine & Food Festival this year is **Salute! A Wine Tasting Tour of Italy**. This fabulous event will take place on Tuesday, June 6th from 6 pm – 9 pm at the Westchester Italian Cultural Center in Tuckahoe. The event is hosted by Joe Armentano, member of the Westchester Italian Cultural Center. Celebrate the regions of Italy during this walk-around tasting featuring the red and white wines of Tuscany, Veneto, Piedmonte, Trentino-Alto, Adige, Sicily and Sardinia while enjoying fine Italian delicacies provided by DeCicco & Sons.

“Not all of us have the opportunity to travel to Italy this summer, so why not enjoy special vintages from the region here in our own backyard,” said publisher Ralph Martinelli. “Buy your tickets now to join us for this unique and special evening.”

Join author and wine expert Kevin Zraly in the “Gran Selezione Cellar” for tastings of special vintages. Enjoy a lively cooking demonstration of an Italian specialty. Chef Andy Nusser of Tarry Lodge will prepare Mortadella & Robiola Panini and Peach Crostata with Lemon Thyme Ricotta. DeCicco's will provide Italian specialty foods and desserts.

The complete list of wines from Kobrand Wine & Spirits is as follows:

Sicily:

- Feudo Maccari Saia

Tuscany:

- Tenuta San Guido Guidalberto
- Tenuta San Guido Le Difese

- Tenuta di Nozzole Chianti Classico Riserva
- Sette Ponti Crognolo
- Sette Ponti Oreno
- Silvio Nardi Brunello di Montalcino
- Silvio Nardi Brunello di Montalcino Poggio Doria
- Tenuta la Fuga Brunello di Montalcino

Sardinia:

- Agricola Punico Montessu Isola dei Nuraghi

Veneto:

- Masi Amarone Costasera
- Masi Brolo di Campofiorin
- Caposaldo Prosecco

Piedmont:

- Michele Chiarlo Nivole Moscato d'Asti (Dessert Style)
- Michele Chiarlo Barbaresco 'Reyna'
- Michele Chiarlo Barbera Nizza la Court
- Michele Chiarlo Gavi
- Michele Chiarlo Arneis ie Madri
- Michele Chiarlo Barolo Tortonaio

Friuli:

- Pighin Pinot Grigio Collio
- Sassicaia Grappa

Tickets for this new event are \$95 and can be purchased by visiting westchestermagazine.com/winefood (21 and over only please)



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Westchester Magazine's 7th Annual Wine & Food Festival brings together the top chefs and wine experts in Westchester County with more than 100 top restaurants and world-class wines from June 6-11, 2017. A portion of ticket sales will be donated to the Food Bank for Westchester and the Westchester Parks Foundation.