



THE CANADIAN-AUSTRIAN SOCIETY OF TORONTO

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Dear Members and Friends:

As indicated in previous letters we have arranged a Spring Outing for you and invite you to join us on a

WINE-TASTING TOUR TO THE NIAGARA PENINSULA

Our last ventures together into this charming part of Southern Ontario was in May 2009 and we are certain that it will again be an enjoyable event.

DATE: **Saturday, June 4th, 2011**

DEPARTURE: **8:30 a.m. sharp** from Islington Subway Station Parking Lot
North-West corner of Islington and Bloor Streets (in the event the bus cannot enter the parking lot, it will be parked on Bloor Street outside the parking lot!)

PRICE: \$95.00 per person, incl. transportation, visits to three wineries and lunch at Inn on the Twenty in Jordan Village, all gratuities for wineries and lunch included.

RESERVATIONS: Please call Herta Ritscher or Christine Meyer at 416-928-1400 for reservations by latest June 1st, 2011 and mail your cheque as soon as possible to Canadian Austrian Society, Suite 1500, 22 St. Clair Avenue East, Toronto, Ontario M4T 2S5. Please note that seats are limited so that we will deal with reservations on a "first come - first serve" basis, and we will have to charge "no-shows" for the full price as we have had to prepay the bus and the lunch. Sorry!

Unfortunately, costs for everything have gone up, especially the cost for the bus has increased due to the much higher gasoline prices since last year. Therefore we are forced to increase also the price for this excursion, however, we are sure that you will agree that the value of what we will be offering is worth the extra dollars:

1. 10:00 a.m. - "Stoney Ridge Estate Winery" in Vineland, which has been in existence since 1985 when it became only the 18th licensed winery in the Ontario wine industry. We will have a tasting of three of their own wines and one ice wine, with a selection of paired cheeses.

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2. 11:00 a.m. At "Tawse Winery" also in Vineland, we will have a tour of the production facilities and a tasting of one of their rose wines plus a selection of three other wines.
3. 12:30 p.m. - Lunch at "Inn on the Twenty" in Jordan Village, a very pleasant spot in the midst of wine country. A plated lunch will be served and we shall have carefully selected choices of two appetizers, two main courses and two desserts, as outlined on the menu enclosed. We are confident that you will enjoy such a tasty lunch in an elegant setting.
4. 3:00 p.m. - "Southbrook Vineyards" on the outskirts of Niagara-on-the-Lake. Our visit there will provide a tasting of four wines, a rose, a white and a red and an ice wine, obviously all of their own production.

We should all take advantage of the opportunity to buy these Niagara wines right at the source so that we may enjoy them even at home. The wineries give credits to each participant to be applied to any purchase. You might consider this a refund or a reduction in the overall price of the outing.

We should be on the road back to Toronto by no later than 4:30 p.m. to arrive back at Islington and Bloor by about 6:00 p.m. All in all, we believe this will be a beautiful and fun Spring outing and please book as soon as possible but in any event before June 1st, because it will be a Sell-Out! See you on the 4th!

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DATE: June 23rd, 2011

PLACE: Old Country Inn
Main Street, Unionville

More information to follow shortly. Please keep the date open for another great evening and "Schnitzl Dinner".

Sincerely yours,



Christine Meyer
President