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August 2017

Forthcoming Tastings & Events

Dear Member

Welcome to a new year of tastings!

For September, Sara will present on behalf of her colleague Corinne from The General Wine Company, looking at bulk-shipped wine bottled in the UK.

In October, Jonathan Rogers, ex of Wickham Vineyard but now running his own wine shop in Emsworth, will give us a fresh look at Austrian wines.

Please support these events and please help to promote the Society and encourage new members to join.

Bob Hawthorne

Forthcoming Events

All tastings are at the Mountbatten Centre, Portsmouth at **7.15pm** unless otherwise stated.

Tuesday 5 th September 2017	UK Bottled Wines - Sara Bangert
Tuesday 3 rd October 2017	Vin Wines Emsworth - Jonathan Rogers
November 2017 - TBA	PWS Annual Dinner, South Downs College

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October Tasting Austrian Wines Jonathan Rogers - Vin Wines

Jonathan Rogers (who has presented to us in the past when he was at Wickham Vineyard) recently opened Vin Wine Shop in the historic market town of Emsworth Hampshire.

They stock a range of quality wines beers and spirits from smaller producers from the UK and around the world as well as running courses.

Jonathan is going to present to us a range of wines from Austria, a country that fell out of favour during the 1985 diethylene glycol wine scandal.

This is sure to be a fabulous tasting from a country that learnt its lesson the hard way.

September Tasting UK Bottled Wines Sara Bangert - The General Wine Company

Corinne at The General Wine Company has spent the last two years studying her WSET Diploma.

Her assignment for the Global Alcohol Business module of the Diploma was about UK Bottled wine. It's a growing trend to ship wine in bulk to the UK and bottle over here.

During the September tasting we will compare some bulk shipped UK Bottled wine against Estate Bottled equivalents and talk about the pros and cons for both methods.

Unfortunately Corinne is unable to do the tasting but Sara will impart her findings to you.

October Tasting - Book Now!

Tuesday 3rd October 2017 Mountbatten Centre 7.15pm

“Austrian Wine”

I/We would like to attend the Austrian Wine Tasting. **Guests Welcome.**

Please reserve Places at **£15** per head

Total enclosed £.....

Name:.....Telephone:.....

Send cheques payable to “**Portsmouth Wine Society**” to:

Peter Ellam, 4 Maidford Grove, Portsmouth

Hampshire PO3 5TJ

By Monday 25th September 2017

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