



Downtown Yakima Summer Night Wine Event

Wednesday, July 10, Y.E.S. is back downtown at the courtyard of the **Hilton Garden Inn** and **Ummelina's Temple Garden** for the July tasting — for the third time.

Stems is finding seven summer wines to sip and enjoy in the courtyard. Wines being poured include a French white blend, red sangria and a sparkling rosé, to name a few. Food will be provided by the talented chefs at the Hilton Garden Inn.

And for our listening pleasure, Yakima's very own **KCJ Jazz Company** will perform. Ummelina will have tours of the spa and specials. So don't miss this fun summer evening in downtown Yakima.

Stems will also have the wines for sale or the wines can be ordered. Stems will continue to give Y.E.S. Members a 20% discount on all purchases.

Parking will be available at the Hilton Garden Inn lot at the corner of Naches and Yakima Avenues, across the street in the Tower lot, and widely available on the street.

Bring one wine glass and celebrate a summer night downtown with friends, great wine and good food. Casual seating will be provided.

—Brad Baldwin, Barb Walden and Terese Abreu

THE DETAILS

Date: Wednesday, July 10

Time: 6:30 p.m. registration

Location: Downtown Yakima, in Stems' and Ummelina's Courtyard

Cost: \$45 per person for members; \$55 per person for non-members

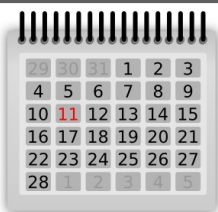
Bring: Your own wine glass

Registration deadlines:

Mail: Postmarked by **FRI 07/05**

Online: Pay with Brown Paper Tickets by 11:59 p.m. on **SUN 07/07**. Go to: <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/4284778>

Phone: Call Marie Clark at 697-3364 until 8 p.m., **MON 07/08**



Plan Ahead... Y.E.S. Calendar of Upcoming Events

—Brad Baldwin

August 14...
Red Willow Vineyards
White Swan

September 11...
Apple Tree Golf Course
Yakima

October 9...
Nier the Nook
Naches

President's Corner**July 2019****ATTENTION MEMBERS OF Y.E.S.:CHANGE IN BY-LAWS**

Your Board is in the process of changing our tax exempt status to a 501(c)(3). We are doing this in an effort to provide our benefactors the ability to claim their contributions to our organization as tax exempt. We hope that this will encourage them to donate more to our cause, thus enabling us to increase our charitable work. The contributions we make to various scholarship funds, and the education we provide our members and community, qualify us as a tax exempt entity. In order to comply with federal and state requirements, we must amend our By-Laws.

Currently our By-Laws read: The purpose of this organization shall be to foster interest in and appreciation and knowledge of viticulture, enology, and proper use of wine. We wish to change this to read: The purpose of this organization shall be charitable and will support and provide education, appreciation, and interest in viticulture, enology, and wine. We must also change the dissolution clause to comply with the rules of section 501(c)(3), stating that in the event of the termination of Y.E.S, we would donate our assets to another 501(c)(3) organization.

Additionally there are some references in our By-Laws related to our membership in a group known as the Enological Society of the Pacific Northwest. This group has disbanded and we are no longer a member. We want to remove these references.

We seek the approval of the membership to make these changes with a vote to be taken at the next regular meeting of the society on July 10th in downtown Yakima (see details of the location in this newsletter). If you have questions regarding this topic, please attend the meeting or contact one of the board members.

—Roy Lewis

June Recap: Fidelitas at Jack and Vi's

Thank you to **Jack Topper and Vi Budden** for a classy evening at their home!! Air conditioned, decorated and private outdoor “honey buckets” were a total surprise and very cool.

Their lovely seating areas provided stunning views of the Yakima Valley and were accessible to the wine pourers and the chefs.

Leo Lee's audio system made it possible for us to hear the commentary as **Charlie Hoppes** introduced his **Fidelitas** wines with information and stories.

Big John and Darrin Davis paired five exquisite courses, including Ahi Tuna with a Wasabi Mousse (40/40 Red); and Dungeness Crab Salad with Mango Purée (Semillon). Scrumptious!!

And full circle back to Vi and Jack; they shared their own bottles of Rosé to the multitude of guests as a welcome wine.

Thank you,
—Brad Baldwin and
Sandy Saffell

August Teaser: Red Willow Vineyard

Founded in 1971, **Red Willow** is one of the oldest vineyards in Washington and was a leader in the early development of the wine industry in our state. Led by **Mike Sauer** and with the advice of **Dr. Walter Clore** from the **WSU Prosser Experiment Station**, 20 varieties of wine grapes were planted at Red Willow. Today, wines from Red Willow are sold to many of the leading wineries in Washington state and also in Oregon.



We will be tasting seven of these

wines from across the state paired with food from **Staci's** catering at the vineyard outside of Wapato. We will hear from Mike about the history of the early wine industry, a short video on Red Willow and after the tasting, a trip on his wagon up to the stone chapel above the vineyard.

Mark the date — August 14th — as this will be a special event and will be limited to the first 45 to sign up.

—Charles Johnson

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When..... Wednesday, July 10, 2019
6:30 p.m. registration

Where.... Downtown Yakima
(Stems' and Ummelina's courtyard)

Yes, we'll be there...

Name(s) _____

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Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number of Members _____ @ \$45 = \$ _____

Number of Guests _____ @ \$55= \$ _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Postmarked by JULY 05

**Or pay online with Brown Paper Tickets
by 11:59 PM JULY 07**

Look for the BPT link on the Y.E.S. website

Important: Please include your phone number AND email in case we need to reach you.

★ Please note any dietary restrictions: _____

★ Please note if you are bringing a guest who does not drink alcohol ____ YES ____ NO

Please clip and mail this form with your check to: Yakima Enological Society, PO Box 2395, Yakima WA 98907

All reservations must be paid for in advance and are NON REFUNDABLE