





## ANNOUNCING THE SPOKANE ENOLOGICAL SOCIETY

APRIL 2023 "EXTRA SPECIAL EVENT"

# "ROADTRIP TO CLARKSTON"



SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2023 - 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM BASALT CELLARS TASTING ROOM

906 Port Drive, Clarkston, WA 99403



SPACE IS LIMITED SO SUGGEST YOUR REGISTER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO REGISTER, CLICK ON THE LINK: https://spokaneenologicalsociety.org/event-5180398

## **COST IS \$25 PER PERSON**

#### **ABOUT BASALT CELLARS**

Business partners Rick Wasem and Lynn DeVleming founded Basalt Cellars in 2003, with a shared passion of creating rock solid, age worthy wines. Their success was immediate with their 2004 Merlot winning "Double Gold" and "Best of Class" at Tri-Cities Wine Festival. Basalt Cellars has one primary mission: producing highly awarded and respected wines from the finest vineyards in Washington State. They hold long standing contracts with elite vineyards such as Bacchus, Weinbau and Willard, as well as their own estate vineyards which are located in the Lewis Clark Valley AVA. Their preference for individual varietal characteristics to remain intact, begins with harvest and continues throughout the entirety of the winemaking process. Red wines are aged in primarily French oak barrels for 18 to 30 months before bottling, and then cellared and released at perfection when the winemaker is satisfied the wine is ready. Rick's 35-year wine making expertise, and pharmacy background, have shown to be the recipe for Basalt's ultra-premium wines. To learn more about Basalt Cellars please visit their website at Basalt Cellars | Clarkston, WA

### **ABOUT OUR EVENT**

We have planned an SES exclusive visit to the Basalt Cellars Clarkston tasting room to taste and learn about (and fall in love with) their wines. Basalt will provide an 8-wine tasting along with light snacks (crackers and cheese). Please plan to arrive at their tasting room by 12:30 p.m. for the program – we will conclude with their highly awarded Port and a little chocolate! We should be done by approximately 3:00 p.m. Attendees will be able to order wines at wine club discounted rates: 1-5 bottles = 10%, 6+ bottles = 15%, case = 20%.

#### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

For those who would like to spend the night, Basalt has arranged a special rate of \$119 for us at the Holiday Inn Clarkston (which is just 0.2 miles from Basalt Cellars) for both Friday and Saturday night - just mention SES and Basalt Cellars when you call to reserve. Hotel Front Desk: 509-758-9500 or Reservations 1-888-465-4329. Hotel in Clarkston | Holiday Inn Clarkston - Lewiston Hotel (ihg.com).

Note: Transportation is not included.

We look forward to our visit to the Lewis-Clark Valley on this first for a long time "road trip!"