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A Weekend of Tastings in Prince Edward County



Please join us for a wonderful weekend to discover some of the award-winning wines of Prince Edward County. The island, or "The County" as it's commonly called, is situated on the north shore of Lake Ontario and just a few hours' drive from Toronto, Ottawa or Montreal. Long known for the famous Sandbanks beach, it has become a top culinary and winery destination in the last few years offering food and wine explorers memorable adventures along the scenic Arts Trail, Taste Trail, Wine Route or Bay of Quinte Craft Route.

The County is the fastest growing wine region in Ontario. With over 40 wineries to choose from, this is a perfect opportunity for Opimian members to come together and get a taste.

Proposed Program

Friday, April 26:

Afternoon arrival and enjoy the beautiful property of the Waring House. This evening we'll meet in Amelia's Garden at the main house for a welcome reception, and Brian Hanna from Huff Estates will guide us through a flight of their wines. After, you'll receive a delicious picnic box that you can enjoy on the terrace of your room or on the gazebo. The remainder of the evening will be free for you to enjoy the grounds or check out the onsite pub.

The Waring House

The Waring House invites you to experience genuine country inn hospitality, and everything Prince Edward County has to offer: great local wines, artists and artisans, history, inspired dining, breathtaking scenery and so much more.

The rooms are furnished and decorated to reflect The Waring House's 19th century origins. This exclusive Opimian event will see us housed in the premium rooms found in the Quaker and Heritage Lodges, each with a luxurious blend of modern comfort and classic charm.

http://www.waringhouse.com/index.php

Saturday, April 27:

Following breakfast, departure for an interesting day of winery visits. Throughout the day we will visit five wineries and taste their wares. We'll learn about some of the winemaking techniques in The County, as well as the ins and outs of growing grapes in this region. We'll enjoy a light lunch at Hillier Estates, accompanied by a flight of their wines.

Upon our return to the Waring House, at approximately 5:00pm, you'll have a chance to rest before our great tasting dinner at 7:00pm. Victoria Lemstra-Bake from Chateau Canet will be joining us for the gourmet dinner, accompanied by a selection of Chateau Canet wines. Victoria will speak about the wonderful region of Languedoc Roussillon. Victoria and her husband Floris have been Opimian partners for several years and have a family connection to The County. A traditional 19th century wine estate, Chateau Canet is recognized today as one of the leading *domaines* of the Minervois region in the heart of the Languedoc Roussillon, and you can learn more about them here:

https://chateaucanet.com

Sunday, April 28:

The choice is yours; sleep in and enjoy the feather bed in your room, wander the grounds and work up an appetite for a delicious breakfast before heading home, or attend an optional cooking school. Not quite ready to leave? Waring House has offered additional nights at half price should you wish to add on before or after. Please see below for more information.

Tour Cost: \$595.00 including taxes per person sharing a double or twin room.

Single supplement \$275.00

*Please advise if you require accommodations on the ground floor. The rooms are spread over two stories and the lodges do not have elevators.

Inclusions:

- Two nights' accommodation in premium rooms in the Heritage or Quaker Lodges based on double occupancy. (Single supplement \$275.00).
- Breakfast on Saturday and Sunday in the Main House in Amelia's Garden
- Welcome reception and wine tasting on Friday night
- Pic Nic box to enjoy in your room or on the grounds on Friday night
- Luxury coach for the day's tour
- All tastings during the visits on Saturday
- Light lunch on Saturday
- Tasting dinner at the Waring House on Saturday night featuring Chateau Canet wines Menu to follow

Exclusions:

- Transportation from your home city to and from the Waring House
- Additional nights' accommodation (see note below on extras)
- Any wine purchases made during the tour
- Any incidentals/expenses charged to your room

Extras:

Let Sandra know if you would like either of these options:

- Register for the Cookery School offered at the Waring House Cost: \$75.00
- Extend your stay: The Waring House has agreed to offer the rooms at a 50% discount for an additional night. Arrive a day early or stay an extra night and take in more of The County on your own.

Registration:

You can register by

- Contacting Pauwels Travel at 519-753-2695 or 800-380-3974 and mention Opimian PEC weekend or e-mailing tours@pauwelstravel.com
- Go to this link to access the online registration form

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS AND DEPOSITS:

Reservations should be made as early as possible to ensure your participation in the tour. A non-refundable deposit of \$175.00 is required at the time of registration. Your reservation is confirmed upon receipt of your deposit and application form. No reservations will be accepted without a signed application form. Your final payment will be due by March 22.

REFUND OF UNUSED ARRANGEMENTS:

Because the rates of Pauwels Travel Bureau Ltd. are based on group participation, no refund can be made for any tour accommodation or tour service or tour feature not taken. If cancellation occurs while the tour is in progress, no refund can be made for the tour portion not taken.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

A non-refundable deposit of \$175.00 per person is due at time of booking. For cancellation received in writing 45 days prior or less the following cancellation charges apply:

45 to 31 days before departure: 50% of tour cost Within 30 days prior to departure: 100% of tour cost

RESPONSIBILITY:

Pauwels Travel Bureau Ltd. reserves the right without notice, to withdraw any part or all of the tour. Factors such as hotel overbookings, inclement weather, etc. may necessitate changes in the itinerary as outlined. There may also be other circumstances in which changes become necessary or advisable. Any savings realized by these changes will be passed on to the passengers, any resultant expenses shall be borne by the passenger. Pauwels Travel Bureau Ltd. acts only as an agent in securing hotel, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall be held responsible for the failure by any person or company to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. All hotel, transportation and other travel services are provided to tour members subject to all the terms and conditions under which they are offered to the public generally. The acceptance of the initial service to be provided under the tour shall be considered an acceptance by the tour member of those conditions. Pauwels Travel Bureau Ltd. also reserves the right to decline, to accept or retain any person as a member of the tour, in which case equitable refund will be made at the discretion of the tour operators.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please book	seat(s) on the "Prince Edward (County" travelling April 26 – 28, 2019.
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	ne cooking class:	
I would like to stay	extra night(s) before	after
NAME(S): Please indicate the appropriate title (Mr., Mrs., Miss, Dr., Ms.)		
Surname	First	Middle(s)
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ADDRESS:		
Postal Code:	Phone:	(Email)
If traveling alone, is a SINGLE ROOM REQUIRED?: YESNO		
If sharing, is there a Bed preference?: One bed Two beds		
SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: We find the earlier a request is made, the more success we have in filling it, so please list any dietary requests, allergies, any special physical needs. We cannot ensure requests made 30 days or less prior to departure will be possible.		
PAYMENT: ☐ Cheque payable to Pauwels Travel ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ American Express		
Amount Paid:Card Number:		
Expiry:	Security Code: Signato	ure
"I/we agree to the terms and conditions attached to the program, and have indicated any special requests and included payment". Date(Signature)(s)		

Please forward this completed and signed form and payment to:

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