

## WINE TASTING SATURDAY!

Leschi Market's Annual Spring Tasting is Saturday! Join us Saturday, April 30th at the Lakewood-Seward Park Community Clubhouse for a fun filled evening. Sample a variety of wines from around the globe, enjoy light snacks, and take advantage of deep discounts on wine orders. For more info, follow this link: <http://www.lspcc.org/wine-tasting/>

### Here are a few things to be poured:

#### Tarlant Brut Zero Champagne

Regularly \$60, event-price-only \$42! "Finely balanced and mouthwatering, this creamy Champagne layers flavors of pineapple upside-down cake, chalk, kumquat and roasted almond with a firm frame of acidity and a streak of smoky minerality. Disgorged February 2014. Drink now through 2018." 91-points. *Wine Spectator*.

#### 2014 Pascal Jolivet Sancerre

Regularly \$32, event-price-only \$20! "Shows excellent energy, with crackling lime, chive and mâche notes, carried by a mouthwatering, flinty spine. The long, brisk finish has great cut. Drink now through 2016." 89-points. *Wine Spectator*.

#### 2012 Bodegas Luigi Bosca Malbec

Regularly \$27, event-price-only \$17! "This muscular red features a deep well of dark plum and molten chocolate flavors that are rich and well-spiced. Asian spice and fresh-ground coffee notes linger on the finish. Drink now through 2019." 91-points. *Wine Spectator*.

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## Red Wines

### 2011 Poderi Oddero Barolo Piedmont \$62.99/\$52.99/\$47.69

"This red is tightly wound, binding the cherry, strawberry, licorice and mentholated herb flavors with fine-grained tannins and lively acidity. All the elements are there, but this needs time to find equilibrium. Fine length. Best from 2018 through 2030. **Highly Recommended.** #62 *Wine Spectator* Top 100 of 2015." -*Wine Spectator*, 93 points. **New vintage.**

### 2011 M. Lapierre Morgon France \$48.99/\$41.99/\$37.79

"A polished style, offering well-knit tannins and layered flavors of black cherry coulis, licorice snap, macerated plum, fragrant leather and ground star anise. Very refined, this is juicy and focused through to the finish, which shows accents of smoky mineral and garrigue. Drink now through 2020. #76 *Wine Spectator* Top 100 of 2013." -*Wine Spectator*, 91 points.

### 2012 Caprio Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon "Eleanor's Estate" Walla Walla \$41.99/\$34.99/\$31.49

Few Walla Walla wineries own estate vineyards. Caprio Cellars is one of them. "Lush, round and smooth with medium tannins, this wine offers dark plum, black berry fruit, mocha and rich floral notes. Drink now or enjoy the rewards of cellaring this wine until 2020. 76% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Malbec, 9% Cabernet Franc and 5% Merlot. Only 430 cases produced." -Winemaker notes. **New item.**

### 2012 Cantina Del Glicine "Vignespaze" Barbaresco \$39.99/\$29.99/\$26.99

A tannic wine that requires a long period of maturation before consumption. Today's modern systems of vinification, with a shorter fermentation period at moderate temperature, creates a more elegant wine with an intense bouquet, less tannic taste and less necessity for maturation. By law, Barbaresco wine must be aged in oak or chestnut wine casks for a two-year period. **New item.**

### 2012 Dunham Cellars 'Trutina' Red Blend Walla Walla Valley \$34.99/\$28.99/\$26.09

"A medium to full-bodied, elegant and pretty blend of 45% Cabernet Sauvignon, 38% Merlot, 10% Malbec and the rest Syrah and Petit Verdot. Aged 16 months in barrel, it gives up lots of black raspberry, vanilla bean, crushed flowers and mint. Offers a seamless, rich, yet weightless texture." - *Wine Advocate*, 91 points. **New vintage.**

### 2013 Buil & Giné 'Giné and Giné' Priorat Spain \$21.99/\$18.69/\$16.82

"This solid bottling is a blend of 60% Cariñena and 40% Garnacha. This Priorat bottling begins with an impressive range of aromas with red currant, red raspberry, lavender and pipe tobacco. There are flavors of anise, red cherry, red raspberry, French vanilla and hints of crème de cassis in this forward yet structured wine. Very solid. Best 2016-2026." -*International Wine Report*, 90 points

### 2014 Poliziano Rosso di Montepulciano Tuscany \$19.99/\$13.99/\$12.59

"Russo di Montepulciano achieved the DOC classification in 1989. It can be produced by simply downgrading grapes that are classified as Vino Nobile. In our winery, however, we decided not to compromise. We selected a number of vineyards with particular characteristics in order to obtain a wine that is young, fruity, full bodied but not hard. A blend of 80% Sangiovese and 20% Merlot." -Winery notes. **New vintage.**

### 2013 Abbazia di Novacella Schiava Rosso Alto Adige Italy \$16.99/\$13.09/\$11.78

Though it is one of the oldest wineries in the world with over 850 years of winemaking experience, the cellar is entirely modern. Beguiling aromas of red currants, wild cherries and smoky minerals. Tart and vibrant on the palate. The Schiava finishes with brisk acidity and lip-dusting tannins. Schiava will take a light chill. Perfect picnic wine to pair with salami, cheeses, and summer fruits. **New item.**



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**2013 Bila-Haut by Michel Chapoutier Rouge Côtes du Roussillon Villages \$16.99/\$12.19/\$10.97**

“A blend of 40% Syrah, 40% Grenache and 20% Carignan, from a combination of schist and limestone soils. It has great aromatics of dark berry fruits, bouquet garni, pepper and lots of minerality, medium-bodied richness and depth, and a soft, seamless and even elegant on the palate. Will drink nicely now through 2020.”

—*Wine Advocate*, 91 points. **New vintage.**

**2015 Ngumu Grenache/Shiraz Western Cape South Africa \$13.99/\$10.99/\$9.89**

Ngumu is a gem of the Western Cape of South Africa, known for its Grenache and Shiraz varietals. The nose of this blend opens with dark fruits of plum, black cherry and loads of clove, cashew, pine and a hint of violet. Bright fruit character opens on the mouthfeel with black cherry and ripe wild berries. The wine is well structured from good tannin presence and the finish is long and lasting. **New item.**

**2013 Barinas Roble Red Jumilla Spain \$12.99/\$10.29/\$9.26**

This delicious wine comes from 30-year-old Monastrell vines growing in Jumilla, a region famous for producing some of the richest red wines in Spain. Good acidity, gentle tannins and a touch of spice add balance to the bright blackberry fruit, making it an absolute pleasure to drink.

**New vintage.**

**2013 Château Buisson-Redon Fronsac Bordeaux \$12.99/\$9.39/\$8.45**

Great value, an easy-drinking style of Claret. A blend of 60% Merlot, 40% Cabernet Franc, all at a bargain price. Red fruit and cherry notes on the nose, followed by powerful palate with elegant soft tannins, and backbone given by the Cabernet Franc. **New vintage.**

**2015 Doural Red Tinto Red Blend Vinho Regional Duriense Portugal \$9.99/\$7.99/\$7.19**

A balanced, discreet nose of red plums and cherries leads to a lovely, juicy palate of bright cherries. This is so easy to drink and a wonderful introduction not only to the Douro, but to the inherent value in a well-made Portuguese red. Touriga Franca, Tinta Roriz, Tinta Amarela, Tinta Barroca, Tinto Cão, Sousão, Tinta Francisco and Touriga Nacional. **New Item.**

**2014 Château de Costis Rouge Bordeaux \$10.99/\$7.49/\$6.74**

The Château de Costis is characterized by an extraordinary red purple, extreme density and amazing brilliance. This wine has a powerful nose of berries (blackberries, strawberries). It reveals a very nice round mouth on an amazing structure for simple Bordeaux. The balance is perfect. A blend of 40% Cabernet Franc, 35% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon. **New vintage.**

## White Wines

**2013 Albert Bichot Bourgogne Chardonnay Vieilles Vignes \$19.99/\$15.89/\$14.30**

“Produced from 25 to 35 year-old vines located in the Côte de Beaune and Hautes-Côtes de Beaune wine regions which both lie on clay-and-limestone soils. The diversity of their exposure and altitude allows us to work with a mosaic of vineyard plots. Consequently, we are able to achieve very beautiful aromatic complexity.”

—Winery notes. **New vintage.**

**2015 Domaine des Cassagnoles Blanc Vin de Pays des Côtes de Gascogne \$12.99/\$9.39/\$8.45**

The Colombard from the area of the Cassagnoles offers a beautiful pale yellow dress. In the mouth, the attack is frank and full of freshness. This makes wine tonic and bright. An evolution in the mouth with notes of citrus! A great moment of pleasure! A wine that is best enjoyed on its youth, its freshness. **A great price value! New vintage.**

## Rosé Wines

**2015 Lachini Vineyards Rosé of Pinot Noir Willamette Valley \$23.99/\$19.99/\$18.99**

“Beautiful and seamless from start to finish! Crisp and clean on the entry, yielding refreshing layers of strawberries, watermelon and cantaloupe with a hint of truffle and earthen floor. Explodes on the palate with freshness and remarkable palate coating balance. Finishes with a long silky mouthfeel and a touch of minerality. Drink over the next two years. 526 cases produced.” —Winery notes. **New vintage.**

**2015 Domaine Eugene Carrel Vin de Savoie Rosé \$16.99/\$13.09/\$11.78**

Eugene Carrel Rose is made from the unique varietal Mondeuse along with Gamay. This French Alps Rosé is produced by Eugene, his son Olivier, and his son-in-law Sebastien. The winery and vineyards are located 40 miles southwest of Geneva in the village of Jongieux at the foothills of the alps at 1476 feet. Lovely refreshing berry fruit and wild flowers balanced with nice acidity and minerality. **New item.**

**2015 Domaine Santa Estate Giulietta Rosé Corsica \$13.99/\$10.29/\$9.26**

Bright and full of life, this fantastic Corsican Rosé is filled with a harmonious blend of fruit, spice and mineral, this low-alcohol (12%) beauty is eminently food-friendly with fresh nectarine and cherry notes gliding through a lightly floral finish. **New vintage.**

**2015 Château L'Ermitage 'Tradition' Rosé Costières de Nîmes \$12.99/\$9.39/\$8.45**

Deep salmon pink in color with a wonderfully fruity nose of properly ripe red berry fruits. Very clean and appealing. With balancing richness of fruit, this is a great food wine. A blend of 50% Grenache, 25% Syrah, 25% Mourvèdre. **New vintage.**

## From Our Cellar—Limited— Inquire

**2007 Betz Family Winery Syrah 'la Serenne' Columbia Valley 1.5L \$117.99 Wine Advocate, 93 points**

**2007 Betz Family Winery Syrah 'Cote Rousse' Columbia Valley 1.5L \$117.99 Wine Advocate, 93 points**

**2007 Betz Family Winery Syrah la 'Besoleil' Columbia Valley 1.5L \$93.99 Wine Advocate, 92 points**



Always at Leschi Market, mix and match any six bottles of wine for a 10% discount.

