

# 2012 EPICUREAN WINTER EVENT GUIDE

Your guide 100<sup>+</sup> food & wine events, cozy lodging specials & world-class restaurants in Healdsburg this winter.



Our Epicurean Winter features over 100<sup>+</sup> events, cozy lodging and world-class restaurants, all in the charming town Healdsburg this January through March.

Check back here frequently, as new events and lodging discounts are being added all the time.

#### **JANUARY EVENTS**

#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - Jan 5

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Friday Night Guest Sommelier - Jan 6

Acclaimed Sonoma County wine makers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Winter Inn Special at Bella Luna Inn - January 12-31

15% off all rooms. In the heart of Sonoma County wine country and just 3 blocks from the charming Healdsburg plaza sits the newly remodelled Bella Luna Inn. Come experience the difference in our new Bed & Breakfast

Phone: 707.395.0117 Web: www.bellalunasonoma.com

#### Dry Creek Kitchen's Winemaker Dinner - Jan 12

4-course menu paired with local winemaker Thomas George Estate wines. \$105 per guest.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Winter Wineland - Jan 14-15

Two glorious days along the Wine Road of Sonoma County. A great opportunity to meet winemakers, taste limited production wines, new releases or library wines. Over 140 wineries offer wine, art and education.

Web: www.wineroad.com

#### Winter Wineland at Portalupi - Jan 14-15

Start your Winter Wineland day at Portalupi! You'd be surprised at how everyday foods can go toe-to-toe against haute cuisine. It's Italian blue collar. Think fried bologna sandwich - not just any fried bologna sandwich but fried mortadella with melted asiago cheese and sweet pickle on a brioche slider bun, along with the Italian version of pork 'n' beans. Perfectly paired with our 2009 Barbera, Mendocino County and 2008 Zinfandel, Dry Creek. From 1/13 - 1/16, enjoy 20% off any purchase of our 2008 Zinfandel, Dry Creek, 30% off case purchases and 20% off any purchase of our 2009 Barbera, Mendocino County. Also a drawing with special surprises!

Phone: 707.395.0960 Web: www.portalupiwine.com



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# **JANUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### **Downtown Wine Wine & Cheese Pairings - Jan 14-15**

Come join us for a hand selection of import and local cheeses carefully paired with our wines. \$5.

Phone: 707.473.0337 Web: www.downtownwinecellars.com

#### Winter in the Cellar at Passalacqua Winery - Jan 14-15

A celebration of our Dry Creek Valley Bevill Heirloom Zinfandel, rich and complex, perfectly paired with delicious ribolitta from zazu restaurant + farm! Zazu is known for their farm fresh, seasonal fare and been pairing their warm savory dishes with our Zinfandels for years. The Bevill Heirloom Zinfandel boasts layers of fruit and spice from its unique vineyard of five heritage clones, which grapegrower Duff Bevill will be on hand to talk about.

Phone: 877.825.5547 Web: www.passalacquawinery.com

#### **Beau Wine Tours Winter Specials - January 14-31**

25% off a 4-hour private wine tour, 25% off a 4-hour dinner run, 25% off a 4-hour shuttle bus service (+fee for 10 or more reservations)

Phone: 800.387.2328 Web: www.beauwinetours.com

#### Relish Kids in the Kitchen: Afterschool Cooking Series - Jan 18

A culinary trip around the world! Scott Davis teaches kids to make a complete dinner from scratch then set the table, sit and savor the dishes. Take the entire series or one class. This first in the series is the "Italian Supper".

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - Jan 19

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Friday Night Guest Sommelier - Jan 20

Acclaimed Sonoma County wine makers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Red Velvet Cupcakes & Wine Pairing at Williamson Winery - Jan 20 - 22

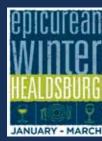
Share in our wine country lifestyle by pairing our superb award-winning wines with rich, delicious red velvet cupcakes.

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### Wine Country Baking Weekend - Jan 20-22

Relish Academy's weekend bake-cation! Mix it up with master baker Karl Seppi and Mairin Rossi leading 2 sessions on bread baking. Pastry chef extraordinaire Shelly Kaldunski (whose holiday cookies were recently in O Oprah Magazine) will lead 2 sessions on pastry. Learn about classic tart dough, laminating technique for croissants, simple biscuit dough for scones.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com



# **JANUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Wine County Baking Weekend Dessert Bar at Moustache - Jan 21

Enjoy an after-lunch line up of 4 miniature artisan crafted cupcakes paired with fourbarrel coffee of your choice at Moustache Baked Goods. \$12. Reservations required.

Phone: 707.395.4111 Web: www.moustachebakedgoods.com

#### Relish Kids in the Kitchen: Afterschool Cooking Series - Jan 24

A culinary trip around the world! Scott Davis teaches kids to make a complete dinner from scratch then set the table, sit and savor the dishes. Take the entire series or one class. This second in the series is the "Japanese Dinner".

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### Spoonbar's Winter Crab Feed w/ bubbles from Roederer Estate - Jan 25

Kick off dinner with a classic margarita, then dig in to a whole local Dungeness crab with all the accompaniments. Roederer Estate provides the sparkling pairing. \$60 per person, tax or gratuity not included. Special h2hotel room rates available for Crab Feed guests. Inquire with reservations.

Phone: 707.433.7222 Web: www.h2hotel.com

#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - Jan 26

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Friday Night Guest Sommeliers - Jan 27

Acclaimed Sonoma County winemakers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Downtown Wine Chinese New Years Celebration - Jan 28

Ring in the Dragon with us! Featuring: Dim Sum Charlie's Food Truck, wines to match, good fortune, discounts, and red envelope gifts for all. 11am - 9pm.

Phone: 707.473.0337 Web: www.downtownwinecellars.com

#### Classic Stocks & Modern Soups Class at Relish - Jan 27

Chef Tracey Shepos shares recipes and techniques to help you make a variety of classic stocks that form the foundation for a wide variety of dishes and soups. You'll leave with the confidence to conquer virtually any soup recipe you can find. We'll enjoy the soups with salad, crusty bread and wine at the end of the class.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### Pork Butchering Workshop at Relish - Jan 28

An amazing hands-on class led by chef Dino Bugica of Diavola Pizzeria. Each participant will butcher their own 70-lb roaster pig after learning about butchering basics, safety & hygiene, knife usage and other pertinent information. Pork curing and pancetta instruction included. Participants take home all their pig cuts, including pancetta to finish curing.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com



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#### Wild Mushroom Foray and Wine Pairing Lunch - Jan 29

Come forage with chef Elissa Rubin-Mahon, past president of the Sonoma County Mycological Association, who will teach us about collecting, storing and using local wild culinary mushrooms. We'll meet at private property near Healdsburg to foray and review our fungi, then caravan back to Relish Culinary Center for a 4-course wild mushroom lunch paired with fantastic local wines. Chef Elissa will demonstrate key elements of the lunch, including how to select, handle and prepare our edible fungal treasures.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### Sonoma Neighbor Menu & Live Jazz - Mon - Thurs all January

3 course menu offered Monday - Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen. \$36 per guest, \$51 with paired wines. \$2 from each menu donated to the Healdsburg Education Foundation. Jazz in the dining room Monday and Tuesday 7pm-10pm.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Madrona Manor Lodging Special - all January

Stay two or more weeknights and every 2nd night is free or stay Friday and Saturday nights to receive your choice of Thursday or Sunday free.

Phone: 800.258.4003 Web: www.madronamanor.com

#### Epicurean Indulgence at Healdsburg Inn on the Plaza - all January

Restaurant reviewers and discerning diners agree -- Cyrus in Healdsburg is the must-try wine country dining experience. With two coveted Michelin stars, Cyrus' self-described "contemporary luxury cuisine," coupled with an extensive list of world-class wines and served in a formal, European-style dining room is tops on every foodie visitor's list. We've partnered with Cyrus and offer the popular Epicurean Indulgence package which includes:

- One night in a charming guest room
- · Gourmet five-course dinner for two at Cyrus Restaurant
- · Signature Four Sisters Inns breakfast
- · Afternoon wine and hors d'oeuvres
- · Valid Sunday, Monday, Thursday and Friday. \$405 per night.

(The Epicurean Indulgence Package is not available on Tuesday, Wednesday or Saturday. Five-course dinner for two at Cyrus (please note beverages, gratuities and tax are excluded.) \*'Epicurean Indulgence' is based on availability and is not valid during holiday or special event periods. Excludes certain room types and only a select number of packages are available. Guest must call the hotel directly to reserve the package Promotion must be mentioned when making reservations. Valid for one Frequent Sleeper point.)

Phone: 800.431.8663 Web: www.healdsburginn.com

#### Bike the Wine Road - all January

Take a slow trip through the heart of the Healdsburg wine road with stops at boutique wineries and biodynamic farms, the bounty of Sonoma County. A foodies delight! This tour is available daily at a special rate of \$119 per person (regularly \$149).

Phone: 800.499.BIKE Web: www.getawayadventures.com



# **JANUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Wine Country Uncorked at Healdsburg Inn on the Plaza - all January

One night from \$165! Wine Country Uncorked includes:

- One night in a charming guest room
- · Signature Four Sisters Inns breakfast
- Afternoon wine and hors d'oeuvres
- · Valid Sunday through Thursday, Jan 2 to Apr 12, 2012
- \$165, Queen, King or Carriage House guest room
- \$180, King room with claw foot tub
- \$195, King room with jetted spa tub

('Wine Country Uncorked' is based on availability and is not valid during holiday or special event periods. Excludes certain room types. Promotion must be mentioned when making reservations. This is not offered nor bookable on other travel sites. This special qualifies for 1 point in the Frequent Sleeper Passport program.)

Phone: 800.431.8663 Web: www.healdsburginn.com

#### **Epicurean Winter Romance Package at Best Western Dry Creek Inn**

Celebrate Valentine's Day every day this winter. Treat yourself and your sweetheart to one night in an upgraded luxury Tuscan Room with King Bed, fireplace and Jacuzzi tub. Special rates include in-room massage for 2 and a 20% discount at Adel's, our on-site restaurant. Gratuity for massage not included.

(\$89 per person plus tax, Sunday through Thursday. \$99 per person plus taxFriday and Saturday\*. Extra nights: \$69 per room plus tax Sunday through Thursday and \$89 per room plus tax Friday and Saturday. Valid Jan 1 – March 1, 2012 (excluding Jan 14-16).

Phone: 800.222.5784 Web: www.drycreekinn.com

#### Hotel Healdsburg Epicurean Winter Special – all January

Stay two nights at receive 20% off!. Plan a winter getaway to wine country and the Epicurean Winter events, restorative spa, great shopping on the town Plaza and a leisurely pace at local wineries. Stay 2 nights in a deluxe room category or higher to receive discount. Mention Epicurean Winter when booking and receive wine and Dry Creek Kitchen's house made truffles upon arrival.

Phone: 800.889.7188 Web: www.hotelhealdsburg.com/special-packages

#### Windrose Romantic Cottages Free Night in Wineland - all January

Stay 2 nights, get 25% off the second night. Stay 3 nights, get 50% off the third night. Stay 4 nights, get the 4th night free!

Phone: 707.836.0400 Web: www.windroseromanticcottages.com

#### h2hotel Epicurean Winter Special - all January

Stay 2 nights and save 20%. Enjoy a leisurely visit to wineries, restorative wellness spa services, warming winter cocktails by the fireplace and a hearty meal at h2's Spoonbar on seasonally inspired fare. Mention Epicurean Winter to get complimentary artisanal cocktails for two with booking this two night special. (Rate subject to availability, some black out dates apply).

Phone: 707.922.5251 Web: www.h2hotel.com



# Healdsburg: the Place to be this Winter

# **JANUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Sip and Fit Getaway at the Camellia Inn - All January

Spend a restorative few days in the Healdsburg Wine Country this winter getting fit, tasting and learning about wine, dining on incredible cuisine and having fun. 3-day, 2-night itinerary includes:

- Full healthy breakfast each morning
- Evening wine and cheese tasting
- · An individual LiveFit workout each day
- Bicycle rental at Wine Country Bikes
- Wine education course with Portalupi winemaker Tim Borges
- Wine tasting pass for over 122 wineries
- · Dinner for two at Baci Cafe and Wine Bar

Cost per couple: Queen rooms - \$599; King rooms with whirlpool tubs for two and gas fireplace - \$799. VIsit our website for a full itinerary details.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### Hotel Healdsburg's Gourmet Getaway Epicurean Winter Special – all January

Savor the most sumptuous of Sonoma's extraordinary natural culinary bounty, celebrated at Dry Creek Kitchen with Chef Charlie Palmer's ever-changing Contemporary American menus and a night at Hotel Healdsburg. Package includes:

- One night in a Deluxe King or Double Queen room
- Chef's lavish six-course tasting menu dinner for two at Dry Creek Kitchen
- Daily Gourmet Harvest breakfast and valet parking

Mention Epicurean Winter when booking and receive wine and Dry Creek Kitchen's house made truffles upon arrival. Offer available Sunday - Friday, \$393.

Phone: 800.889.7188 Web: www.hotelhealdsburg.com/special-packages

#### Epicurean Winter Wine Tour - all January

Healdsburg Area Winery Tours specializes in private wine tasting tours customized to your personal wine preferences and destination interest. Mention "Epicurean Winter" when making reservations and receive a 10% discount on certain tours. Call for information.

Phone: 707.433.6090 Web: www.healdsburgareawinerytours.com

#### Epicurean Winter at the Irish Rose Inn - all January

25% off any room, any night through March 31, 2012. Mention "Epicurean Winter" when making reservations.

Phone: 707. 431.2801 Web: www.theirishroseinn.com



### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

#### Relish Kids in the Kitchen: Afterschool Cooking Series - Feb 1

A culinary trip around the world! Scott Davis teaches kids to make a complete dinner from scratch then set the table, sit and savor the dishes. Take the entire series or one class. This second in the series is the "Mediterranean Feast".

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - Feb 1

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "New Orleans & Southern Louisiana". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

Phone: 707.473.0946 Web: www.zinrestaurant.com

#### Healdsburg Jazz Festival "Jazz on the Menu" - Feb 2

Enjoy live jazz with great food at 15 restaurants in the Healdsburg area during "Jazz on the Menu". Each restaurant will feature their signature dish and live music. A portion of the proceeds support Healdsburg Jazz Festival's Music Education Programs. Participating restaurants and music playing at each include:

#### Affronti

Bennett Roth-Newell and John Norris Duo. Piano and bass.

#### **Agave Mexican Restaurant**

Trio Batacha with Joel Bennett, Sebastian Link and Niobel Cintra. Piano, bass, percussion

#### **Baci Café and Wine Bar**

Carl Vast Quartet with Bill Fouty, Bob Drew and Jimmy Robinson. Guitar, alto saxophone, bass and drums.

#### Barndiva

Susan Sutton Trio with David DeMarche and Piro Patton. Piano, bass and drums.

#### **Bistro Ralph**

Jim Adams and Tom Shader Duo. Guitar and bass.

#### Catelli's

Jimmy DeMartini and Phillip VanGelder Duo. Guitar and bass.

#### **Healdsburg Charcuterie**

Chris Pimentel and Andrew Emer Duo. Guitar and bass.

#### Diavola Pizzeria

Ian Scherer and Steve Froberg Duo. Guitar and bass.

#### Dry Creek Kitchen (music from 6 – 10pm)

Lee Charlton Trio with Rob Wright and Gary Digman plus special guest Gary Johnson. Guitar, bass, drums with flute and saxophone

See next page for more "Jazz on the Menu"



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# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

Healdsburg Jazz Festival "Jazz on the Menu" - Feb 2, continued

#### **El Farolito Mexican Restaurant**

Mad and Eddie Duran Trio guitar, saxophone and percussion

#### **Healdsburg Bar and Grill**

John Mihalik & Blue 7 Quintet with Alec Ax, Dave Webster, Ron Masi & Claus Brigmann

#### **Ravenous Café**

Trevor Kinsel and Harris Gallagher Duo Wurlitzer piano and bass

#### **Sizzling Tandoor**

Dick Conte and Steve Webber Duo piano and bass

#### spoonbar!

Christian Foley-Beining Group with Todd Smith & Tom Hayashi guitar, bass and drums

#### Zin Restaurant and Wine Bar

Ricardo Peixoto and Carlos Oliveira Duo guitar duo

#### "Jazz on the Menu" After Party & Dessert Bar - Feb 2

The After-Party at Costeaux Bakery and Café will be the place to be from 7:30 to 10:30pm. Swinging sounds from the SSU Faculty Jazz Ensemble co-led by Doug Leibinger and George Marsh, plus fabulous desserts at Tony Bennett's favorite Healdsburg bakery! Healdsburg High School Jazz Band will be the opening band. "After-Party" tickets are only \$10. Order early online, as last year's After-Party was a huge success!

Phone: 707.433.4644 Web: www.healdsburgjazzfestival.org

#### Wine & Chocolate Weekend at Portalupi Winery - Feb 3 & 4

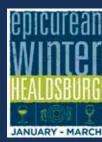
We will feature the perfect accompaniment to Chocolate, our 2006 Antone M., Old World Style Port. Our 2006 Port is classic in every sense. A European, multi-grape blend with over 50% of the fruit coming from the renowned Portuguese Touriga grape. Complimentary Port tastings, perfectly paired with chocolate. 10% off any purchase of Port.

Phone: 707.395.0960 Web: www.portalupiwine.com

#### Friday Night Guest Sommeliers - Feb 3

Acclaimed Sonoma County winemakers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen



# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Merlot & Brownies at Williamson Winery - Feb 2 & 3

Share in our wine country lifestyle by pairing our superb award-winning wines with our knowledgeable, friendly staff. \$20 merlot 375ml and chocolate brownies.

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### Shop & Snack at Gina's Boutique - Feb 2 & 3

Buy one item and receive second item of equal or lesser value for 25% off. Treats served.

Phone: 707.431.1645

#### Wine & Chocolate Fantasy at Rodney Strong - Feb 4

If you love wine and/or chocolate your fantasy will come true! The barrel room is transformed into a beautiful series of halls and rooms, featuring wine and chocolate and chocolate and wine! Our three single vineyard cabernets will be featured and the live music and savory appetizers are sure to please. This is a "bucket list" event not to be missed.

Phone: 800.678.4763 Web: www.rodneystrong.com

#### Crab Feed at Sbragia Family Winery - Feb 4

An evening of cracked crab and fabulous wine! Dine on fresh crab from San Francisco bay, fresh baked bread, salad, and our award winning wines. Reservations required.

Phone: 707.473.2992 x12 Web: www.sbragia.com

#### Mastering Braises (hands on) - Feb 5

It's almost magical how an inexpensive, tough cut of meat can be transformed into a melt-in-your-mouth meal. The secret is braising. Chef Tracey Shepos will share important techniques to optimize flavor in your dish, from browning to finishing. We'll meet in the morning to get all the ingredients prepped and into the oven, then regroup in the evening to finishand devour our braises with wine.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### Royal Flush Feast: A Progressive Dine Around - February 8th-9th

A 3-course progressive "dine around" meal at some of Healdsburg's most popular restaurants, with the added fun of putting together a poker hand at each destination. Flnal hand played at Dry Creek Kitchen for dessert. Please call or Email for a brochure and registration form.

Phone: (707) 479-7488 Email: dinearound@healdsburg.com

#### Royal Flush Feast Package at the Camellia Inn - February 8th-9th

This package for two includes overnight accommodations, full breakfast in the morning and the three-course progressive dinner. Queen rooms - \$339; Queen Deluxe rooms - \$369; King Deluxe rooms - \$399.

Phone: 800.727-8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### Dry Creek Kitchen's Winemaker Dinner - Feb 9

4-course menu paired with local winemaker Siduri wines. \$105 per guest.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen



# Healdsburg: the Place to be this Winter

# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**



#### **Healdsburg Wild Steelhead Festival - Feb 10 - 12**

Join the fun and help bring awareness about this threatened species. See below for a list of entertaining & educational things you won't want to miss at this ever-growing event.

#### Wild Salmon Dinner at Villa Chanticleer - Friday, Feb 10

Amazing salmon dishes, music, dancing and auction items. Guest speaker Jim Norton and the screening of his film "Salmon: Running the Gauntlet", the most-watched PBS Nature episode in PBS history.

#### Steelhead Festival in Healdsburg Plaza - Saturday, Feb 11

The Plaza in Downtown Healdsburg is the place to be from 10am to 4pm as the Festival gets going! There will be a trout pond under the Gazebo for the young angler, and a fly fishing pond to learn from the pros. Fish cooking demos from local chefs, wine tasting, fish soup and treats to eat, face painting and art for kids to do and a live steelhead display to enjoy. Live music, food, educational booths and more. Free.

#### Lake Sonoma Fish Hatchery Event - Sunday, Feb 11

Family fun events at the Visitor Center at Lake Sonoma from 10am - 3pm. See the fish returning to the hatchery and jumping the fish ladder, fish sorting, Healdsburg High School Jazz Band, Michel Schlumberger Wines and more! 10am -3pm. Free.

For more information: www.healdsburgsteelheadfest.org

#### Salmon with Wine Pairings at Williamson Winery - Feb 10 & 11

Salmon and wine pairings with our knowledgeable, friendly staff.

Phone: 707.433.1500

Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### Wild Steelhead Festival Package at the Camellia Inn - Feb 10 -12

Be a part of the Wild Steelhead Festival. The Camellia Inn package includes a Trout Cookbook, a trout-fly every morning, entry into a drawing for a free night's stay later in the year and use of the kitchen, free ice and bags to clean and pack fish. Two-night minimum stay. Queen rooms - \$209 per night; King Deluxe rooms \$279 per night. All Seasons Vacation Suites - \$299 per night.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### Steelhead Weekend at Portalupi Winery - Feb 11 & 12

Come enjoy Tim Portalupi's very special smoked salmon. We will be offering 2 for the price of 1 tastings and 10% off any wine purchases.

Phone: 707.395.0960 Web: www.portalupiwine.com

#### In the Cellar with Greg La Follette - Feb 10

Private tour and tasting with an exclusive look into Greg's winemaking practices. 10:30am - noon.

Phone: 707.431.8354 x224 Web: www.lafollettewines.com



# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Friday Night Guest Sommeliers - Feb 10

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Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Shop & Snack at Gina's Boutique - Feb 10 - 12

Buy one item and receive second item of equal or lesser value for 25% off. Treats served.

Phone: 707.431.1645

#### Winter Farm to Table at Quivira Vineyard & Winery - Feb 11

Seasonal farm to table dinner. Rhone blending with winemaker Hugh Chappelle. 4pm - 8pm.

Phone: 707.31.8354 x224 Web: www.quivirawine.com

#### **Preserving Winter Citrus Class - Feb 12**

Chef Elissa Rubin-Mahon leads this class about techniques for preserving citrus flavors for use all year. Make a variety of wonderful items from organic local fruit - nothing will be wasted as we use all parts of the fruit for these flavorful goodies. Chef Elissa, whose orange marmalade is a national finalist in the Good Food Awards, will show you how to make small batch marmalade, savory preserved lemons and festive candied citrus peel and you'll take home jars/packages of each item.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### **▼ ▼ ▼** Healdsburg Valentines Day Specials **▼ ▼ ▼**

Healdsburg has a reputation as a charming, romantic place for a getaway, but we really turn up the dial on Valentines Day. Surprise your loved one with a fun, romantic getaway in the heart of wine country. Here are a handful of great Valentines Day events:

#### Custom Cupcake Lunch at Moustache Baked Goods - Feb 14

An all-inclusive custom cupcake lunch date! Includes two artisan sculpted valentine themed cupcakes with any choice of 2 fourbarrell coffee drinks. \$20. Reservations required. Phone: 707.395.4111 Web: www.moustachebakedgoods.com

#### Valentine's Day at Portalupi Winery - Feb 14

Visit Portalupi before your dinner out in Healdsburg. Lounge in our cozy purple coaches with a glass of Portalupi wine. We will be serving a Salumi plate to pair with your wine. Enjoy 10% off wines by the glass and your purchase of any bottle to take with you to dinner.

Phone: 707.395.0960 Web: www.portalupiwine.com

#### Downtown Wine Wine & Chocolate & Cheese Pairings - Feb 14

Come join us for a hand selection of import and local cheeses and chocolates carefully paired with our wines.

Phone: 707.473.0337 Web: www.downtownwinecellars.com



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# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

### **▼ ▼ ▼ Healdsburg Valentines Day Specials, continued ▼ ▼ ▼**

#### Valentine's Day at Williamson Winery - Feb 14

Share in our wine country lifestyle by pairing our superb award-winning wines with our knowledgeable, friendly staff. Special on our "Amour" merlot - the wine of love! (\$20 375 ml with brownie).

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### Chocolate Covered Valentines Getaway @ Camellia Inn - Feb 12 - 14

Chocolate afternoon treats, evening chocolate port, chocolate for breakfast (other things too), chocolate and wine pairing adventure, self-guided chocolate shop tour, a romantic dinner for two and a gift each night including a bottle of wine & 3 nights in a King w/ a fireplace and two-person whirlpool tub. \$950 including taxes - over \$150 in savings.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### Romantic Parisian Bistro Supper at Relish - Feb 14

Looking for a playful and delicious way to spend Valentine's Day? Chefs Christopher Green wald and Ciara Meaney are composing a delicious and romantic menu to transport you to a romatic French bistro for the evening. You'll learn some fun French cooking techniques and flavorful recipes as you cook with local, seasonal ingredients, including a few known aphrodisiacs (mais oui!). At the end of the evening, we'll light candles and sit, relax and savor the meal with some fantastic locals wines.

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### The Un-Valentines Day Package - Celebrating Girlfriends

Why not get away to Wine Country to celebrate with your other significant: your girlfriends. Camellia Inn package price includes two bottles of wine, microwave popcorn and hot chocolate, foot fizzers and bath melts, chocolates, movies and board games. 2 - 7 girl friends. \$309 per night - over \$100 in savings.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### The Ultimate Getting Over the Break-up Package

Guaranteed to put you on the road to break-up recovery. Two nights at the Camellia Inn in a Queen Room, breakfast, wine & cheese tasting, a self-improvement break-up recovery book, a pint of Healdsburg's Downtown Bakery ice cream and a voodoo doll. Also included your choice of: one-hour exercise class each day or one-hour massage and a special self-guided wine tasting tour. \$550.00 for two nights- more than \$100 savings.

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#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - Feb 15

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Austin, Central Texas Style BBQ". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

Phone: 707.473.0946 Web: www.zinrestaurant.com



# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**



# Healdsburg Wild Mushroom Weekend - Feb 16 - 20

Mycology for everyone! Whether you like to forage them, cook them, or eat them, our Wild Mushroom Festival has something for mushroom lovers of all species.

Wild Mushroom Foray, Preserving Workshops & Lunch - Feb 17 - 20

Each morning of the weekend. Chef Elissa Rubin-Mahon leads wild mushroom forays from 9:00 - 11:30am. Rubin-Mahon, past president and founding culinary chairperson of the Sonoma County Mycological Association, will teach guests about safely identifying, collect ing, storing, preserving and cooking with local wild culinary mushrooms. We'll meet at a different Healdsburg-area private property each day to foray, review our found fungi and then caravan back to the Relish Culinary Center to cook up anything edible we find at the different events specified below. The cost of the foray is included in the cost of the event. Guests are welcome to attend additional forays (since we'll for foraging in different areas each day) for an additional charge of \$35 per person.

#### Wild Mushroom Foray, Preserving Workshops & Lunch - Feb 17

Upon our arrival at the Relish Culinary Center (after our foray described above, guests will participate in a hands-on activity to prepare, preserve and pickle clamshell mushrooms. We'll get the preserving started then sit, relax and share a casual wild mushroom lunch with specially selected local wine. After lunch, we'll finish our canning and each participant will take home a jar of preserved mushrooms with recipe.

#### Wild Mushroom Foray and Demonstration Lunch - Feb 18

After our foray, a four-course wild mushroom lunch awaits our arrival at the Relish Culinary Center. Chef Elissa will demonstrate key elements of the lunch, focusing on how to select, handle, rehydrate and perfectly cook our edible fungal treasures. Guests enjoy lunch paired with fantastic local wines and take home recipe portfolios for all recipes.

#### Wild Mushroom Foray and Sunday Brunch - Feb 19

After our hiking foray (described above) participants will return to the Relish Culinary Center where a glass of sparkling wine awaits. Guests will savor a luscious brunch featuring sweet and saory wild mushroom dishes. Chef Elissa will join us for the meal to continue our mushroom discussion.

NOTE: the events listed above have a limited number of participants, so be sure to register early by contacting Relish Culinary Academy:

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### Mushroom & Wine Pairings - Feb 16, 17, 18, 20

Williamson Winery celebrates wild mushroom weekend with pairing superb Williamson award-winning wines with different mushroom dishes.

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com



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# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**



#### Healdsburg Wild Mushroom Weekend - Feb 16 - 20 Continued

#### Mushroom Inspired Dish with a Focus Wine Pairing - Feb 16 - 20

In celebration of The Healdsburg Mushroom Festival, the dinner menu will feature a mushroom inspired dish, paired with a focus wine recommended by our Sommelier.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Friday Night Guest Sommeliers - Feb 17

Acclaimed Sonoma County winemakers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Robert Burns Night at the Camellia Inn - Feb 17

Enjoy a magnificent Scottish dinner with bagpipes, haggis, roast beef, trifle, wine, poetry and song! A Burns supper is a celebration of the life and poetry of the poet Robert Burns. Our traditional supper includes bagpipes, haggis (a traditional Scottish dish), and the recitation of Burns' poetry. The Robert Burns Night package for two includes overnight accommodations, full breakfast in the morning and the memorable dinner extravaganza. Queen rooms - \$349; Queen Deluxe rooms -\$379; King rooms with whirlpool tubs for two, gas fireplace and sitting area - \$449.

Phone: 800.727-8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### Relish Kids in the Kitchen: Afterschool Cooking Series - Feb 21

A culinary trip around the world! Scott Davis teaches kids to make a complete dinner from scratch then set the table, sit and savor the dishes. Take the entire series or one class. This second in the series is the "Mexican Fiesta".

Phone: 877.759.1004 Web: www.relishculinary.com

#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - Feb 22

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Pennsylvania Dutch - German Flavors, American Made". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu & two wine pairings.

Phone: 707.473.0946 Web: www.zinrestaurant.com

#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - Feb 23

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Friday Night Guest Sommeliers - Feb 24

Acclaimed Sonoma County winemakers offer diners complimentary tastes of their wine and helpful, insightful advice about what to enjoy with dinner at Dry Creek Kitchen.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen



# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

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- One night in a charming guest room
- Gourmet five-course dinner for two at Cyrus Restaurant
- · Signature Four Sisters Inns breakfast
- Afternoon wine and hors d'oeuvres
- · Valid Sunday, Monday, Thursday and Friday. \$405 per night.

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Phone: 800.431.8663 Web: www.healdsburginn.com

#### h2hotel Epicurean Winter Special - all February

Stay 2 nights and save 20%. Discover the possibilities of winter in Northern Sonoma Wine Country. Enjoy a leisurely visit to wineries, restorative wellness spa services, warming winter cocktails by the fireplace and a hearty meal at h2's Spoonbar on seasonally inspired fare. Mention Epicurean Winter to get complimentary artisanal cocktails for two with booking this two night special. (Rate subject to availability, some black out dates apply).

Phone: 707.922.5251 Web: www.h2hotel.com

#### Hotel Healdsburg Epicurean Winter Special – all February

Stay two nights at receive 20% off!. Plan a winter getaway to wine country and the Epicurean Winter events, restorative spa, great shopping on the town Plaza and a leisurely pace at local wineries. Stay 2 nights in a deluxe room category or higher to receive discount. Mention Epicurean Winter when booking and receive wine and Dry Creek Kitchen's house made truffles upon arrival.

Phone: 800.889.7188 Web: www.hotelhealdsburg.com/special-packages

#### Hotel Healdsburg's Gourmet Getaway Epicurean Winter Special – all Feb

Savor the most sumptuous of Sonoma's extraordinary natural culinary bounty, celebrated at Dry Creek Kitchen with Chef Charlie Palmer's ever-changing Contemporary American menus and a night at Hotel Healdsburg. Package includes:

- One night in a Deluxe King or Double Queen room
- Chef's lavish six-course tasting menu dinner for two at Dry Creek Kitchen
- · Daily Gourmet Harvest breakfast and valet parking

Mention Epicurean Winter when booking and receive wine and Dry Creek Kitchen's house made truffles upon arrival. Offer available Sunday - Friday, \$393.

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# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### A Taste of Pigs + Pinot – A La Carte Menu Specials - Feb 27 - 29

Dry Creek Kitchen's dinner menu will feature a special pork and pinot pairing.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - Feb 29

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Mississippi, Flavors of the Deep South". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

Phone: 707.473.0946 Web: www.zinrestaurant.com

#### Sonoma Neighbor Menu & Live Jazz - Mon - Thurs all February

3 course menu offered Monday - Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen. \$36 per guest, \$51 with paired wines. \$2 from each menu donated to the Healdsburg Education Foundation. Jazz in the dining room Monday and Tuesday 7pm-10pm.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### **Beau Wine Tours Winter Specials - All February**

25% off a 4-hour private wine tour, 25% off a 4-hour dinner run, 25% off a 4-hour shuttle bus service (+fee for 10 or more reservations)

Phone: 800.387.2328 Web: www.beauwinetours.com

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Phone: 800.499.BIKE Web: www.getawayadventures.com

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Stay 2 nights, get 25% off the second night. Stay 3 nights, get 50% off the third night. Stay 4 nights,

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Phone: 707.836.0400 Web: www.windroseromanticcottages.com

#### Madrona Manor Lodging Special - all February

Stay two or more weeknights and every 2nd night is free or stay Friday and Saturday nights to receive your choice of Thursday or Sunday free.

Phone: 800.258.4003 Web: www.madronamanor.com



# **FEBRUARY EVENTS, continued**

#### Wine Country Uncorked at Healdsburg Inn on the Plaza - all February

One night from \$165! Wine Country Uncorked includes:

- One night in a charming guest room
- · Signature Four Sisters Inns breakfast
- Afternoon wine and hors d'oeuvres
- Valid Sunday through Thursday, Jan 2 to Apr 12, 2012
- \$165, Queen, King or Carriage House guest room. \$180, King room with claw foot tub or \$195, King room with jetted spa tub

('Wine Country Uncorked' is based on availability and is not valid during holiday or special event periods. Excludes certain room types. Promotion must be mentioned when making reservations. This is not offered nor bookable on other travel sites. This special qualifies for 1 Frequent Sleeper Passport program point.)

Phone: 800.431.8663 Web: www.healdsburginn.com

#### Sip and Fit Getaway at the Camellia Inn - All February

Spend a restorative few days in the Healdsburg Wine Country this winter getting fit, tasting and learning about wine, dining on incredible cuisine and having fun. 3-day, 2-night itinerary includes:

- Full healthy breakfast each morning
- Evening wine and cheese tasting
- An individual LiveFit workout each day and bicycle rental at Wine Country Bikes
- Wine education course with Portalupi winemaker Tim Borges
- Wine tasting pass for over 122 wineries
- Dinner for two at Baci Cafe and Wine Bar

Cost per couple: Queen rooms - \$599; King rooms with whirlpool tubs for two and gas fireplace - \$799. VIsit our website for a full itinerary details.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com

#### **Epicurean Winter Wine Tour - all February**

Healdsburg Area Winery Tours specializes in private wine tasting tours customized to your personal wine preferences and destination interest. Mention "Epicurean Winter" when making reservations and receive a 10% discount on certain tours. Call for information.

Phone: 707.433.6090 Web: www.healdsburgareawinerytours.com

#### Epicurean Winter Romance Package at Dry Creek Inn - All February

Celebrate Valentine's Day every day this winter. Treat yourself and your sweetheart to one night in an upgraded luxury Tuscan Room with King Bed, fireplace and Jacuzzi tub. Special rates include in-room massage for 2 and a 20% discount at Adel's, our on-site restaurant. Gratuity for massage not included

(\$89 per person plus tax, Sunday through Thursday. \$99 per person plus taxFriday and Saturday\*. Extra nights: \$69 per room plus tax Sunday through Thursday and \$89 per room plus tax Friday and Saturday. Valid Jan 1 – March 1, 2012 (excluding Jan 14-16).

Phone: 800.222.5784 Web: www.drycreekinn.com



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# **FEBRUARY EVENTS**, continued

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Phone: 800.889.7188 Web: www.hotelhealdsburg.com/special-packages

#### Romance Package at the Camellia Inn - all February

Camellia Inn's All Seasons Vacation Suites are perfect for a romantic getaway. Idyllic Wine Country location, plenty of privacy and room, great prices and fine inn amenities. Book either a cottage or an apartment for \$275 per night and receive a bottle of wine and \$25 toward a spa treatment. A value of up to \$150 off regular rates.

#### Epicurean Winter at the Irish Rose Inn - all February

25% off any room, any night through March 31, 2012. Mention "Epicurean Winter" when making reservations.

Phone: 707. 431.2801 Web: www.theirishroseinn.com

# Chocolate Covered February – 29 days of indulgence for chocolate lovers! At the Camellia Inn - all February

Enjoy a truly chocolate experience. Every afternoon chocolate treats will greet guests checking into the inn, chocolate port will be available after dinner, chocolate will be on the menu every morning for breakfast and that's just a small portion of the chocolate fun at special Chocolate Lovers midweek prices of \$179 for any Queen Room and \$209 for any Queen Room with whirlpool tub or fireplace, if you mention the Chocolate Package.

- Guests will receive a Valentines Day gift every night. Including a copy of the Art of Kissing book for reservations of three nights or more
- · Chocolate soap and chocolate treats in rooms each night
- Also available for guests to borrow or purchase in advance of stay some fun chocolate games including: Strip Chocolate Checkers, Hot Chocolate and Chocolate Lovers Dice
- · If booked before February 14 we can arrange a Cocoa Enzyme Chocolate Facial as an add-on to your stay.



### **MARCH EVENTS**

#### Pigs + Pinot Inspired Neighbor Menu - March 1 - 31 (Mon - Thurs)

3 course Neighbor menu featuring signature pork inspired dishes. Guests will have the opportunity to pair two of these dishes with a hand selected pinot noir. Menu is \$36 per guest, \$51 with wines. \$2 of each menu donated to the Healdsburg Education Foundation.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

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## Barrel Tasting Weekend - March 2 - 4

This is your chance to sample wines from the barrel, talk to winemakers and explore the beautiful Alexander, Dry Creek and Russian River Valleys. Many wineries offer "futures" on their barrel samples. Participants can purchase wine now, often at a discount, then come back to the winery when the wine is bottled, typically 12-18 months from now.

Buy Tickets Online: www.wineroad.com/events

#### Barrel Tasting at Portalupi - March 2 - 4

Portalupi will be participating in the event both weekends. We will be offering futures on our 2010 Zinfandel, Russian River and 2010 Pinot Noir, Russian River.

Phone: 707.395.0960 Web: www.portalupiwine.com

#### Passalacqua Winery Barrel Tasting - March 3 - 4

Escape the crowds and relax at Passalacqua Winery with barrel samples of our sought-after Cabernet and vineyard-designate zinfandels! The wine is complemented by made on-the-spot paella from Gerard Nebesky (winner of Food Network's "Throwdown with Bobby Flay") and by the incredible sweeping view of the Dry Creek Valley. Enjoy an afternoon of fine wines and paella and the opportunity to secure futures of these wines.

Phone: 877.825.5547 Web: www.passalacquawinery.com

#### Downtown Wine Wine & Cheese Pairings - March 2 - 4

Come join us for a hand selection of import and local cheeses carefully paired with our wines. \$5.

Phone: 707.473.0337 Web: www.downtownwinecellars.com



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# **MARCH EVENTS, continued**



**Barrel Tasting Weekend - March 2 - 4 (continued)** 

#### Barrel Tasting at Williamson Winery - March 2 - 4

Share in our wine country lifestyle by pairing our superb award-winning wines with our knowledgeable, friendly staff.

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - March 7

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Central California Portuguese". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

Phone: 707.473.0946 Web: www.zinrestaurant.com

#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - March 8

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

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A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Taste of Tennessee, Memphis to Nashville". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

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# **MARCH EVENTS, continued**

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#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - March 21

A regional American dinner series. This evening's theme is "Santa Fe, New Mexican". \$29 for 3 course prix fixe menu, \$39 3 course prix fixe menu and two wine pairings.

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#### Pigs & Pinot 2012 - March 23 - 24

A one-of-a-kind Epicurean weekend benefit for "Share our Strength" and "Here For Them's 'Russ's Kitchen'. Celebrate Pigs & Pinot with award-winning Chef Charlie Palmer at Hotel Healdsburg. This spectacular event showcases some of the world's greatest pinot and pork pairings and features Master Sommeliers and celebrity chefs including restauranteur and television personality Guy Fieri, Owner/Chef Michael Minna, of San Francisco and Las Vegas, Casey Thompson, Top Chef Season 3 Finalist, Owner/Chef Michael White of Marea, Osteria Morini, Ai Fiori in NYC and Chef/Owner, Philippe Rispoli, of Boulangerie Bistro.

For tickets & information: www.hotelhealdsburg.com/pigsandpinot

#### A Taste of Pigs + Pinot – A La Carte Menu Specials - All March

Dinner menu will feature a special pork and pinot pairing, and starting March 24th, an actual dish from the popular Pigs & Pinot Gala Dinner and paired with the Pinot Cup Winner.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### Pigs & Pinot at Williamson Winery - March 23 - 24

Experience pairing our superb award-winning wines with a delectable pork dish.

Phone: 707.433.1500 Web: www.williamsonwines.com

#### Pigs & Pinot at Portalupi - March 23 - 24

On March 23th, Tim Borges, owner & winemaker offers a 45 minute course at 1:00 on everything you need to know to enjoy your Pinot tasting at Pigs & Pinot. Tasting included, \$15/person. 10% off purchases of Pinot Noir and complimentary shipping on a case order.

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Phone: 707.473.0337 Web: www.hobowines.com

#### "Taste the Place" at Zin Restaurant & Wine Bar - March 28

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#### 20x20 Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen - March 29

20 bottles of wine for \$20, as well as a glass wine from \$5.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen

#### In the Cellar with Greg La Follette - March 30

Private tour and tasting with an exclusive look into Greg's winemaking practices. 10:30am - noon.

Phone: 707.431.8354 x224 Web: www.lafollettewines.com

#### Healdsburg Jazz Festival and Healdsburg Center for the Arts - March 30

Babatunde Lea Sextet featuring Azar Lawrence. Healdsburg Jazz Festival and Healdsburg Center for the Arts partner to benefit music education. Back by popular demand this exciting group includes Babatunde Lea, Azar Lawrence, Gilbert Castellanos, Angela Wellman, Frank Martin and Gary Brown

Phone: 707.433.4633 Web: www.healdsburgjazzfestival.org

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- \$180, King room with claw foot tub
- \$195, King room with jetted spa tub

('Wine Country Uncorked' is based on availability and is not valid during holiday or special event periods. Excludes certain room types. Promotion must be mentioned when making reservations. This is not offered nor bookable on other travel sites. This special qualifies for one point towards the Frequent Sleeper Passport program..)

Phone: 800.431.8663 Web: www.healdsburginn.com

#### Sonoma Neighbor Menu & Live Jazz - Mon - Thurs all March

3 course menu offered Monday - Thursday at Dry Creek Kitchen. \$36 per guest, \$51 with paired wines. \$2 from each menu donated to the Healdsburg Education Foundation. Jazz in the dining room Monday and Tuesday 7pm-10pm.

Phone: 707.431.0330 Web: www.charliepalmer.com/Properties/DryCreekKitchen



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#### **Epicurean Winter at the Irish Rose Inn - all March**

25% off any room, any night through March 31, 2012. Mention "Epicurean Winter" when making reservations.

Phone: 707. 431.2801 Web: www.theirishroseinn.com

#### Sip and Fit Getaway at the Camellia Inn - All March

Spend a restorative few days in the Healdsburg Wine Country this winter getting fit, tasting and learning about wine, dining on incredible cuisine and having fun. 3-day, 2-night itinerary includes:

- · Full healthy breakfast each morning
- Evening wine and cheese tasting
- An individual LiveFit workout each day
- Bicycle rental at Wine Country Bikes
- · Wine education course with Portalupi winemaker Tim Borges
- · Wine tasting pass for over 122 wineries
- · Dinner for two at Baci Cafe and Wine Bar

Cost per couple: Queen rooms - \$599; King rooms with whirlpool tubs for two and gas fireplace - \$799. VIsit our website for a full itinerary details.

Phone: 800.727.8182 Web: www.camelliainn.com