



The Ontario Wine Society (Niagara Chapter) invites you to
“Totally Terroir” - Wine & Cheese Tasting
at Malivoire Wine Company

Wednesday, April 5th, 2017

6:30 pm: Reception; 7:00 pm: Tour and Tasting
4260 King Street Beamsville

\$40 Members - \$50 Non-members
(members can bring 1 guest at members' price)

We usually associate “terroir” with wine but did you know that the term can also apply to cheese? Find out more as Malivoire and the Cheesy Guys host the Niagara Chapter for this special wine and cheese tasting event.

The evening will start with a reception wine and an **olive oil tasting**. When everyone has arrived we will have a tour of the winery followed by a **wine and cheese tasting** in the new cellar door area. A representative from Malivoire will guide us through a selection of Malivoire’s premium wines and Kris & Rick (the Cheesy Guys) will speak about how “terroir” can be applied to cheese and matched with the wines. After the wine and cheese tasting we will enjoy some charcuterie and socializing.

After a 30-year career as a director of motion picture special effects Martin Malivoire decided it was time for a change. He purchased a property in 1995 now known as the Moira Vineyard, followed by the acquisition of the larger property where the winery now stands. In the years since, Malivoire Wine has pioneered environmentally-responsible practices, and is among the first generation of wineries to be certified “Sustainable” by the Wine Council of Ontario for both its vineyard and production methods. The winery currently produces approximately twenty-four thousand cases a year.

In January 2010 the Cheesy Guys started up at the St. Catharines Farmers Market selling cheese and cheesecake. The business soon went from being a “retirement project” into a full time passion for them. Eventually they teamed up with Malivoire for winery events. Now they are exclusively with Malivoire Winery on the weekends starting in April serving up delicious cheeses and charcuterie plates.

Directions: Follow the QEW to Exit 64 (Ontario Street, Beamsville). From the exit ramp, turn south towards Beamsville. Travel approximately 2.5 km to King Street/Regional Road 81). Turn left and travel approximately 3.3 km to the winery on the right. Look for a large rock at the road with the Malivoire logo and a ladybug on it. **Winery telephone number: 905-563-9253.**

For more information call Sue at 905-563-9998 or email owsniagara@gmail.com

To register for this event, fill out and mail in the form below *or send payment via e-transfer to owsniagara@gmail.com including the name(s) of attendee(s), contact number, and e-mail address.*

Members may bring one guest at the member price. Your e-transfer or cheque must be received by March 29, 2017. Cancellations will be accepted up to March 29, 2017. Please do not mail cash. Seats are not sold at the door.

Although we appreciate knowing your intentions, receipt of your cheque or e-transfer is the only way to guarantee a reservation, so please be sure we receive your registration information as reservations are not accepted by email or phone.

In order to optimize the tasting experience for all participants, please refrain from wearing cologne or perfume products.

Registration Form

(Members \$40; Non-members \$50)

Please reserve _____ space(s) for the "Wine & Cheese Tasting" event at Malivoire on April 5, 2017. Enclosed is my cheque for \$ _____. (Please make the cheque out to "Ontario Wine Society – Niagara Chapter).

Please contact me at _____ to confirm receipt of this cheque.

Please print:

Member's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **Postal Code:** _____

Telephone: (Day) _____ **(Evening)** _____

OWS Industry Member Affiliation? _____

Guest Name(s): _____

WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNITY – I, for myself, my heirs or assigns, and my guests for whom I accept complete responsibility, hereby release and forever discharge and indemnify the Ontario Wine Society (OWS), its executive, all members and their guests, from any and all damages, claims, and actions related to OWS activities, at Society functions or on Society grounds. I certify that I, and my guests, are 19 years of age or older.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Please mail to: The Ontario Wine Society – Niagara Chapter c/o S. Couch, 4850 Cherrywood Dr., Beamsville, Ontario, L0R 1B9

