

Ridge Vineyards Winemaker Dinner

Sunday, February 2nd, 2025, 6pm, \$175

with Special Guests Shauna Rosenblum, Winemaker for Ridge Vineyards & Christina Donley, Regional Sales Director

Reception Wine

2023 Ridge Vineyards Grenache Blanc, Adelaida Vineyard

First Plate

Crab and corn fritters, lemon-chipotle remoulade, bread

and butter pickled peaches

2022 Ridge Vineyards Estate Chardonnay

Second Plate

Orange-glazed crispy duck wings, Asian slaw, chopped

honey-roasted almonds

2022 Ridge Vineyards Pagani Ranch

Third Plate

Frittata of manchego, chorizo and golden potatoes,

cranberry-almond romesco sauce

2022 Ridge Vineyards Geyserville

Fourth Plate

Petite filet mignon, pan seared foie gras morsels, oil-

marinated truffle shavings, black currant demi-glace

2020 Ridge Vineyards Monte Bello

Fifth Plate

Black forest truffle confection, mint gelato, cherry caramel

2020 Ridge Geyserville "Essence"

Executive Chef, Laura Crucet

Wine Tasting Notes

2023 Ridge Grenache Blanc, Adelaida Vineyard

Grape Varietal: 84% Grenache Blanc, 14% Picpoul, 2% Roussanne

Appearance: golden straw

On the nose: green apple, lime, fresh cut grass

On the palate: peach, lime, nectarine, sea salt, mineral

2022 Ridge Vineyards Estate Chardonnay

Grape Varietal: 100% Chardonnay

Appearance: golden yellow

On the nose: pineapple, lemon meringue, pear, brioche, apricot, dried flowers,

ginger, flint, and sweet oak

On the palate: medium-bodied, layered with fruit, acid, oak,

2022 Ridge Vineyards Pagani Ranch

Grape Varietal: 82% Zinfandel, 9% Alicante Bouschet, 5% Petite Sirah, 4% Mataro

Appearance

On the nose: jammy black raspberry, orange zest, limestone

On the palate: blackberry, honeycomb, white pepper

2022 Ridge Vineyards Geyserville

Grape varietal: 67% Zinfandel, 20% Carignane, 10% Petite Sirah, 3% Mataro

Appearance: deep ruby

On the nose: black cherry, dark plum, sarsaparilla, baking spices, toasted oak

On the palate: bold red cherry and raspberry, subtle tannin, natural acidity

2020 Ridge Vineyards Monte Bello

Grape Varietal: 84% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11% Merlot, 4% Petit Verdot, 1%

Cabernet Franc

Appearance: opaque ruby color

On the nose: ripe cassis, plum, red currant fruit, toasty oak, vanilla, fennel, juniper

erry, bay laurel

On the palate: well-integrated velvety tannins, full mid-palate, firm acid, and a

long, sumptuous finish

2020 Ridge Geyserville "Essence"

Grape varietal: 100% Zinfandel

Appearance: saturated ruby

On the nose: dark plum, black berries, black cherry, raspberry, clove

On the palate: jammy, tart acidity, long sweet finish