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December 2, 2005—

Luscious Spanish Reds! Thanks to Bill Eisberg for an informative presentation. Bill thanked Nan Slick and Betty Kreder of Cranberry Liquors—as do we all—for selecting the wines for the tasting. He claimed no credit at all for this eclectic mélange of Spanish wines. Thanks also to Michael Bareford of College Square Liquors for the Mas Donís at the end. Thanks (I think I need to find another word!) also to the Evans for tolerating all of us at their lovely abode and for the holiday fare.



**CCAWS Dues are due!**—Your \$10 for CCAWS membership for 2006 is due at the December meet-

*The Annual Champagne Extravaganza will be at the home of Carmen and Richard Blossveren on Sunday, December 11th at 2:00 pm. John Landon will be presenting various and sundry sparklers for your delectation! Expect a cost of \$20/person + \$10/household for 2006 CCAWS dues. Please call the Blossverens if you would like to attend.*

### Spanish Reds

Order	Wine	Prices	Votes
Warmup	2004 Vinos Pinol Ludovicus	\$ 11	—
1	2002 Casa Castillo Monastrell	12	4
*2*	<b>2003 Baltasar Tempranillo</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>
3	2003 Torres Atrium Merlot	14	0
4	2003 Los Planos Syrah	10	3
5	2001 Torres Gran Coronas Cabernet Sauvignon	19	5
6	2003 Celeste by Torres	24	7

ing. Please, pay John Landon at the tasting along with the tasting fee. Your AWS membership dues of \$52 for 2006 are also due (Visit [www.americanwinesociety.org/Membership.aspx](http://www.americanwinesociety.org/Membership.aspx) for details).



**National Tasting Project**—Anyone interested in participating should call Walt for particulars.



**AWS Educational Fund Baskets honoring the memory of Joe and Nattie Wood**—Becky will conduct the drawing for the baskets of wine and other goodies benefiting the AWS Educational Fund, which provides scholarships for aspiring young oenologists, at the December Champagne Gala.



Date	House	Wine Host	Topic
12/11	Blossveren	Landon	Champagne
01/15	Brown	Rachele	Any but Porto
02/19	Grillon	Stewart	Wine for Lovers
03/19	Johnston	Johnston	???
04/16	Brown	Wilson	Rich or Pour?
05/21		Slick	???
06/18	Pardoe		
07/16	Grillon	Everyone	Annual Picnic
08/20			
09/10			
9/16,17	Farm Mus.	MWF	MWF
10/15		Parker	???
11/19	Evans		
12/10/06	Blossveren	Landon	Champagne



*“Wine is sunlight, held together by water.”*

—Galileo Galilei (1564–1642)

See you at the Blossverens'...