

CHÂTEAU DE CAMPUGET

Costières de Nîmes, Rhone Valley



Château de Campuget - The Jewel of the Costières de Nîmes

Join us in welcoming Franck-Lin Dalle to Berta's Chateau

Thursday June 12, 2008 @ 7pm.

Berta's
Chateau

Peter will put out one of his famous buffet's and you will get to sample 7 wines from Château de Campuget and talk personally to Franck-lin Dalle about his wines.

Chateau de Campuget is one of the stars of the up and coming appellation of Costieres de Nimes. - Robert Parker Jr. Wine Advocate #117

Château de Campuget in Costières de Nîmes is a beautiful wine property dating back to 1640. The soil is typical for the region with lots of stones, forcing the roots deep down to find water in the lower layers of clay contributing additional character to the wine. The property is managed by Jean-Lin Dalle, assisted by his son Franck-Lin. **Château de Campuget** has belonged to the Dalle family since 1941 and produces A.O.C. Costières de Nîmes wines. They own 160 hectares of vineyards which are situated in the heart of the A.O.C. area, between Nîmes and Arles, a few kilometers from the right side of the Rhône river.

Costieres de Nimes is a little known but excellent wine-producing region located on the western bank of Rhone River in Southern France. The "La Sommeliere" wines are the top-of-the-line from Chateau de Campuget, and this is a beauty of a wine, comparable to a Chateauf-neuf-du-Pape costing twice as much. The wine is a dense, dark, inky purple that exudes fragrant aroma of dark berries, plums, creme de cassis and dried herbs. This is a serious wine with rich fruit flavors backed by firm tannins in an awesome display of both power and elegance. This wine is also built to last - enjoy this one over the next decade.

They mainly making **red and rosé wines**. Our main varieties are **Syrah** and **Grenache noir** for the grapevines classified in AOC. For our white wines, we principally use **Roussanne** and **Grenache blanc** in **Costières de Nîmes** and **Viognier**.

A bit of trivia: Jean-lin Dalle is a huge fan of America and it's history. So much so that he named his son after his hero, Benjamin Franklin. All of the wines will be available for sale at a special price at the event and Franck-lin can sign the bottles for you that night.



\$39 per person complete (insider' price)

Reservations must be made by return of the form below with check paid in full

Please reserve _____ seats at \$39 per person for "Campuget" on 6/12/08

Enclosed is my check for _____ made out to Berta's Chateau.

Please detach and mail to Berta's Chateau, PO Box 7, Wanaque NJ 07465

Name _____

Address _____ Zip _____

Memo: Insider price Email _____

Seat me with _____