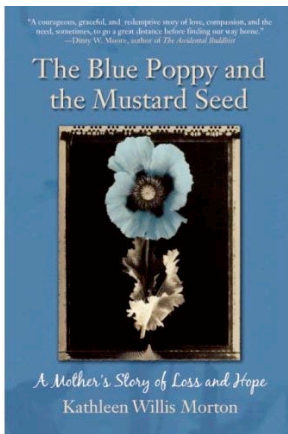


ChicaGourmets!
Friday October 24, 2008

WINEMAKER DINNER AND BOOK SIGNING



Kathleen Willis Morton, the daughter of Our Hostess Maureen O'Brien, has published her first book about the loss of her son, Liam, her struggle to cope with the profound grief of that loss and to reach a level of healing to enable her to come out whole. This search took her on a trip around the world, and the lessons learned will be revealing to everyone who has ever experienced loss.

There will be a reception at 6:30 P.M. at O'Brien's Restaurant, featuring fresh premium cheeses with assorted crackers and a wonderful Beach Head Semillon Sauvignon Blanc. A Barbara's Bookstore representative will be on hand to sell Katie's book, and Katie will meet guests and sign her book.



ChicaGourmets!
Hosts: Maureen O'Brien,
Robert and Linda Otto



Restaurant & Bar
1528 North Wells, Chicago, IL 60610

Dinner at 7:00 P.M.

Restaurant critics, neighborhood regulars, and first time visitors always agree about O'Brien's Restaurant & Bar: the atmosphere is great, the food is superb, and the service is outstanding.

MENU

STARTERS – Choice of:

Butternut Squash Soup Or House Salad

ENTREES –

Choice of One of O'Brien's Three Signature Dishes:

- Almond Crusted Whitefish** with Fresh Green Beans and Pearl Onions, served with Jasmine Rice
- Center Cut Butt Steak** Topped With Sauteed Portabella Mushrooms and Red Wine Sauce and O'Brien's Special Baked Potato
- Corned Beef and Cabbage** with Baked White Potatoes and Buttered Carrots

DESSERT

Seven Layer Chocolate Cake



FEATURED WINES:

- 2006 Beach Head Semillon/
Sauvignon Blanc
- 2006 Vasse River Chardonnay
- 2002 Beach Head Shiraz
- 2004 Vasse River Cab Merlot
- 2007 Beach Head Sunset Rosé

Wine Compliments of Sharna Kowalczyk, Winemaker of Vasse River and Beach Head Wines, and Mr. Gordon Hoffmann, their U.S. Importer, who will discuss these fine wines at dinner tonight.

COMPLIMENTARY PARKING AVAILABLE

Join ChicaGourmets! Membership is \$45 per year per household.

Please reserve online at www.ChicaGourmets.org Discover, MasterCard and Visa accepted.

Prepaid reservations must be received by **October 22, 2008**; no refunds after that date.

Reservations are secured with receipt of payment on a first-come basis. Events often sell out early!

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For non-internet reservations, mail to: ChicaGourmets! Premier Bank, 1210 Central Avenue, Wilmette, IL 60091

O'BRIEN'S Reserve _____ at \$69 per Member, _____ at \$79 per Nonmember, inclusive = \$ _____ enclosed.
10/24 _____ Membership/Renewal payment (\$45) enclosed. See expiration (exp) date on mailing label.

Name(s) _____

Address _____ Email: _____

City/State _____ Zip _____ Phone # _____