

GENCO
Garage Enologists of North County

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Next Meeting: **November 28th, 2018**
Place: **Good Shepherd**
Time: **7:00 PM**



November Meeting Notice

If you haven't done so already, please remember to bring 2 bottles of your wine for Deb Viola who designed our GENCO logo. (These will be presented to Deb at the Christmas Party.)

We will be electing new offices to the GENCO board. If you haven't voted on line this meeting will be your last opportunity. Officer election for 2019 are:

Vice President, Mary Lou Marek;
Secretary, Laura Pelleriti;
Treasurer, Cathleen Lukrich

This month we have a rather special meeting of celebration.

Lisa Gower, wears several hats. She's the Customer Relations Director at Alquimista Cellars in Sebastopol and, with her husband Steve, she is part owner of Crux Winery. Lisa is very experienced at managing tasting rooms, she will walk us through the wine-tasting process, discussing what to look for, what makes a wine good, not so good, or exceptional. Followed by wine and food-pairing tips and ideas to enhance our holiday celebrations. Lisa will also be discussing some of the more interesting grape varieties that are now coming onto the market.

This has been a year of transition of our founder **Bob Bennett**. He and his wife Chris have sold their grape growing property, and moved into the next, less hectic phase of their lives. Bob has no plans to disappear from GENCO. This is a perfect time to celebrate Bob's achievements and legacy. We will recognize his tremendous contribution to GENCO and to the art of wine making. Furthermore, some of the members will share some stories about him or offer amusing anecdotes from over the years.

This will be followed by a celebration GENCO does well.. We'll use Lisa's concepts and ideas to celebrate Bob Bennett with wine.

Steve Nurse, GENCO Secretary