## **GENCO**

# Garage Enologists of North County

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**Next Meeting:** February 28th, 2018

Place: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Time: 7:00 PM

Glasses: 4



### **February Meeting Notice**

#### **January Meeting Summary:**

We had a terrific meeting with Laura Breyer as our guest speaker. She shared her vast knowledge of vineyard management practices, offering very useful advice to those of us that grow our own grapes and for those that source their grapes from others.

#### **February Meeting:**

Our meeting this month will feature David Munksgard, the longtime winemaker for Iron Horse Vineyards in the Green Valley AVA of Sebastopol. Dave is noted for his widely acclaimed sparkling wines and exceptional Pinot Noir and Chardonnays still wines. He will discuss his career as a commercial winemaker, as well as an early stint as an amateur winemaker. He will be offering practical insights into the art and science of wine making, particularly as related to home winemaking. He's been asked to touch on topics that are of particular interest to him, his style of winemaking, and the practices responsible for the distinct style and quality of his sparklers and seamless wines he's noted for. Don't miss this meeting -- Dave is articulate, knowledgeable, entertaining, and has a great sense of humor.

#### **Membership Dues:**

If you haven't done so already it's time to renew your GENCO membership! Dues are payable in January, but we accept in February and March as well.

Make your \$40 check out to "GENCO" and mail to Cathleen, our treasurer, (see below) or bring to the next meeting. Should you need it a membership form is attached to this notice.

Dues not current on April 1<sup>st</sup> will result in dropping you from membership and you are unable to participate in our events (such as, the upcoming competition April 5<sup>th</sup> and Awards dinner on May 5<sup>th</sup>).

Cathleen Lukrich, GENCO Treasurer 4595 Mt Taylor Drive, Santa Rosa 95404

#### Steve Nurse, GENCO Secretary

Please bring 4 glasses to this meeting