Wicked Cellars Tasting Notes Saturday, December 14th, 2-5 p.m. Dubindil Winery With Owner and Winemaker David Hendrickson \$10 Tasting Fee

Dubindil is a boutique winery located in Snohomish, Washington founded by David and Lisa Hendrickson in 2010 to produce memorable wines that would showcase the phenomenal elegance and sophistication for which Washington State wines become known worldwide.

They're very good at that since Dubindil Winery took home three important awards from this year's prestigious 2013 Seattle Wine Awards, earning a Bronze Medal for their 2010 Yakima Valley Cabernet Sauvignon, a Gold for their 2010 Rowan Red, and a Double Gold Medal (Best of Best) for their 2010 Columbia Valley Syrah.

True fans of bold, rustic, character driven wines, David and Lisa handcraft their wine from premium grapes grown in select vineyards throughout the state of Washington. Dubindil leverages David's background in engineering and science along with a healthy dose of artistic craftsmanship to bring the elegance of the wines to life.

Dubindil 2010 Grenache, Syrah, Mourvèdre, Walla Walla Valley \$27.99

Imagine a rich, Rhone style wine with hints of chocolate, dry spices, a touch of clove and bouquet of luscious coffee. That's exactly what you'll find in this blend of 44% Grenache, 44% Syrah and 12% Mourvèdre. When you serve the wine at room temperature you'll experience how the Grenache's gorgeous cinnamon aromas emerges from the wine's juicy chocolate mid-palate.

The fruit is sourced from River Rock Vineyard, known for its polished rock vineyard soil and for being the warmest vineyard in the Walla Walla Valley.

Dubindil 2010 Syrah, Columbia Valley \$24.99

This 100% Syrah fills the mouth with a finely balanced bouquet of violets, blueberry jam, mocha and a hint of licorice. Soft and appealing, the tannins are remarkably relaxed and pleasant. try pairing this wine with rosemary lamb or peppered steak.

The fruit is sourced from Lawrence Vineyard located north of Royal City on the Royal Slope and from River Rock Vineyard in the Walla Walla Valley. (Winner of a Double Gold Medal at the Seattle Wine Awards)

Dubindil 2010 Cabernet Sauvignon, Yakima Valley \$29.99

The Dubindil Winery 2010 Yakima Valley Cabernet Sauvignon is a perfect marriage between Cabernet Sauvignon and Malbec. The dusty tobacco and black pepper flavors of the Cab blend perfectly with the plum and juicy licorice influences of the Malbec. This marriage creates a wine that delights both the classic Cab Sauvignon connoisseur and dedicated the Malbec lover.

The wine is sourced from Verhey Vineyard in Western Yakima Valley and the Lawrence Vineyard in Eastern Yakima Valley, two vineyards known for their warm and dry summers. (Winner of a Bronze Medal at the Seattle Wine Awards)

Dubindil 2010 Rowan Red \$19.99

Produced from 100% Cabernet Sauvignon sourced from Inland Desert Vineyard near Benton City, the 2010 Rowan Red captures your attention with its bright Salmonberry fruit, hints of bell pepper, herbs, white pepper and just a spark of freshly cut grass. This low alcohol wine complements nicely balanced tannins with pleasing acidity.

This is a great wine to pair with hearty southern Italian dish such as a lightly topped pizza or a spicy Spaghetti with roasted tomatoes and herbed chicken. (Winner of a Gold Medal at the Seattle Wine Awards)