

2012 FGBC Conference & AGM ...Mark your calendars for April 21 - 23, 2012

2012 FGBC Conference in Kelowna

Get ready! The Annual Fermenters Guild of British Columbia Annual Conference and Trade Show will be in KELOWNA this year. Mark your calendars for April 21 - 23, 2012.

The event will be held at Manteo Resort (www.manteo.com) overlooking beautiful Okanagan Lake. We're bringing back the Gala Dinner, a Food and Wine Pairing, and a beer event.

The schedule of events will be released soon, but make sure you put this on your calendar - you won't want to miss springtime in the beautiful Okanagan, or the chance to connect with other U-Vin and U-Brew owners. See you there!

Cheers, Katherine Heisler

New Product: Quickly Chill Wine as You Pour

We all like to keep on top of new products. One of our board members found a new wine chiller. You put it in the top of your bottle and it chills the wine as you pour it.

Here is a link if you are interested in it:
www.cnet.com/8301-13553_1-10283200-32.html

What is going on with the CCWA?

by Jim Mullen - CCWA and Government Relations for the FGBC
There seems to be confusion with many British Columbia Brew/Vint -on-premises owners regarding what is happening between the Fermenters Guild of British Columbia and the Canadian Craft Wine Association. I would like to try to bring clarity to the British Columbia market with this update.

As some of our members are aware there has been a change of direction with the Canadian Craft Wine Association, CCWA. Let's start with a bit of history....
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