



## THURSDAY May 2nd, 2019 EVENTS

**Thursday May 2, 2019 SEMINAR:** Bourbon and Bon, Bons! 11 AM | Animas Chocolate Co | \$25 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Join us for an exclusive palate-pleasing experience featuring the flavors of chocolate and whisky paired in new and unexpected ways. Enjoy several specially curated pairings, with detailed tasting notes provided for each “course.” Representatives of each Colorado Distillery will be on-site to guide your experience and answer any questions. This is a one-of-a-kind event that will be appreciated by chocolate lovers and whisky connoisseurs alike.

**Thursday May 2, 2019 SEMINAR:** Cinco De Drinko: 1 PM | Cantera| \$35 | Tickets:[www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Connoisseurs of Mexican spirits will gather at Cantera for a prestigious tasting event to kick off the holiday weekend in style. Showcasing tequila, sotol, mezcal, and liqueurs from all over and inspired south of the border.

**Thursday May 2, 2019 SEMINAR:** Craft Beer and World Domination: 3 PM | 2nd Ave Deli| \$20 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Further your appreciation for Craft Beer while listening to how the brewers of Durango have mastered the art of growing their brands. Featuring SKA, Carver's Brewing Co., Animas Brewing Co.

**Thursday May 2, 2019 VIP RECEPTION | All Play and No Work! | 4 PM | Steamworks | Invite Only.**

**Thursday May 2, 2019 California Icons at Chimayo Wine Dinner | 6:30 pm | Call for Reservations | 970-382-9790 | \$125 Inclusive | Featuring Jeffery Tufford Luxury Specialist, CSF. Gallo Fine Wines. Celebrate the wines that helped make California the historic wine empire it has become.**

**Thursday May 2, 2019 Mediterranean Mash Up at Cyprus Cafe Wine Dinner | Call for reservations 970-385-6884 | \$100 plus tip | 7:00 PM | Featuring Classic Wines and Anneleise Zemp. All hail Caesar! The Mediterranean is the cradle of wine. Phoenicians, Egyptians, Greeks, and Romans spread wine grapes and wine making to the regions surrounding the Mediterranean Sea. From the grape varieties you see every day to indigenous grapes that you never knew existed.**

**Thursday May 2, 2019 'Un Posto Nel Tempo: "A Place in Time at Seasons Wine Dinner | 7:00 PM| \$130 Inclusive | Call for Reservations | 970-382-9790 | Featuring Canon de Colorado and Guest Speaker Ryan Locke: A 5 course meal with expertly paired wines showcasing Italy as home to some of the oldest wine-producing regions in the world. Limited Seating.**

**Thursday May 2, 2019 Spain on the Brain Ore House Wine Dinner | 7:00 PM | \$140 Inclusive | Call for reservations | 970-247-5707 | Featuring Vin Market's Matt Guerriero and Lisa Taraschi and Chef Cliff Bornheim . A 6 Course, Spanish themed menu with paired Spanish Wines. An evening filled with authentic gastronomic experiences from the various regions of Spain. Limited to 20 seats.**



## FRIDAY May 3rd, 2019 EVENTS

**Friday May 3, 2019: SEMINAR** Blends on Trend | 11 AM | Eolus| \$35 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | A serious place with serious wines and serious fans of blends which, of course, aren't new. They're part of a global viticultural tradition, forged in Old World Cellars which carried into New World technique. Such traditions arose from the simple need to compose the best wine a vintage would allow. Discover how blended wines correct flaws, restore balance and otherwise improve upon nature by blending.

**Friday May 3, 2019: SEMINAR:** Everything that Sparkles: Double Bubble Trouble | 1 PM | Seasons | \$45 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Taste Bubbles from around the Globe as our "Durango Wine Experience" featured Talent and Experts take you to Italy, France, California, Argentina, and New Mexico. This seminar will give you an opportunity to try different styles of sparkling wines from throughout the world, and dig deeper into their differences and similarities. We will take a look at the different methods of producing sparkling wines, and discuss many of their histories. Each Bubble will feature a paired bite from Chef Dennis Morrisroe.

**Friday May 3, 2019: SEMINAR:** Rum, Rum, As Fast As You Can! | 3 PM | El Moro | \$25 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Channel your inner pirate and Rum enthusiast to enjoy a program of exploration, discovery and appreciation of great rums from around the globe in this interactive seminar. Five exceptional rums will be presented by a rum expert host, offering insight into the production, aging and blending of each expression. Participants will be invited to discern the aromas and flavor profiles of the various rums from different countries, created in various styles, looking for unique characteristics and differentiates which define their styles.

**Friday May 3, 2019 SIGNATURE TASTING EVENT:** Walk About Durango | 4:00-7:00 PM | Downtown | \$45 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Hundreds of wines featured with light appetizers at these multiple downtown Durango locations. The "Walk-About" is our signature, multi-location, tasting event. You will not only get a taste of wine, but a true taste of downtown Durango! Winery tables will be featured at some of our favorite Durango galleries, shops & outdoor spaces, all within a block or two of one another.



## **SATURDAY May 4th, 2019 EVENTS**

**Saturday May 4, 2019 SEMINAR:** Wine Makers, Movers, and Shakers | 11 AM | Bookcase and Barber | \$30 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Featuring the Winemakers and Owners from Left Coast Cellars, Gruet, and Gauchezco. Listen and taste along as a panel of winemakers share their stories, and process behind the label. Each will feature a wine that complements the story and personality of the story teller. Sit back, have a sip, and enjoy the show.

**Saturday May 4, 2019 SIGNATURE TASTING EVENT:** Grand Tasting BUYER'S INVITATIONAL | 2 PM | Smiley Building Lawn | **Exclusive and by Invitation Only**

**Saturday May 4, 2019 SIGNATURE TASTING EVENT:** Grand Tasting | 3 PM | Smiley Building Lawn 1309 East 3rd Ave | \$100 | Tickets: [www.durangowine.com](http://www.durangowine.com) | Hundreds of featured wines, beer and spirits. Wineries will be on hand from right here in Colorado to all over the world! Featuring 11 Distilleries, 4 craft breweries, 15 restaurants, a desert and photobooth lounge, and much more!