

TASTING SUMMARY

Date: 2/25/2019- **Session No.** 207 **Open** **Blind** **Theme:** Cabernet Sauvignon USA **No. of Participants:** 18 **Forms Returned:** 16

Wines	Price US\$	Number of marks given by participants in each category								
		Mediocre	Acceptable	Good	Very good	Excellent	Exceptional	Best Buy	Best Wine	Expert Rating
2014 Anam Cara Cellars, Riesling Nicholas State, Chehalem Mountains, Oregon	25			4	2	4				WE 92
2015 Mullan Road Cellars, Red Wine Blend, Columbia Valley	48			4	8	2	1			RP 91
2015 Canvasback, Cabernet Sauvignon, Red Mountain, Yakima Valley	37			4	6	5				RP 92
2009 Januik, Cabernet Sauvignon, Columbia Valley	39			1	8	5	1			WS 91
<p>Overview: This tasting includes a selection of 2 Cabernet Sauvignon and one Bordeaux blend wines from Washington State, and a Riesling from Oregon, in NW USA. Sixteen participants assessed the wines from very good to excellent before disclosing wines price.</p> <p>Opinions were quite diverse regarding the identification of the red blend as opposed to the varietal wines. Similarly, there was almost a split in terms of assessing the best wine between the red blend and the Januik Cabernet</p>										