

WORKSHOP TIMETABLE - SATURDAY SESSION

	WORKSHOP 1	WORKSHOP 2	WORKSHOP 3
3.30 - 3.50	<p>Bubbles - How do I choose? <i>Presenter: Neil Phillips, The Wine Tipster</i> Champagne, Cava, Sparkling Wine... everybody loves some bubbly. Let the Wine Tipster take you on a journey through France, Spain and Australia to explain why these wines are so different and help you make that all important choice next time you feel like celebrating!</p>	<p>Medal Winners <i>Presenter: Graham Nash, Tesco Wine Buyer</i> We're constantly striving to bring our customers best-in-class wines, so come and taste the best of the bunch with these stunning medal winners!</p>	<p>European Masters <i>Presenter: Nick Juby, 'Wine by the Case' Wine Buyer</i> Taste some of the great red wines of Europe, from Spain, Italy and France.</p>
4.00 - 4.20	<p>'Tour de Varietal' <i>Presenter: Emma Ackerman, Brand Ambassador for Distell</i> Nederburg wines, sponsors of South Africa's celebrated Tour de France team, Team Dimension Data, will take you on your very own tour of four very different varietals – perfect for you to find a winner.</p>	<p>The Chardonnay Revival Begins <i>Presenter: Simon Woods, Wine Writer</i> Ignore those who tell you that you should avoid Chardonnay, here are four wines that show just how good this versatile grape can be.</p>	<p>Love Prosecco? Try... <i>Presenter: Lisa Moreton, WSET</i> In the UK, we absolutely love Prosecco. It's bubbly, refreshing and the perfect drink for a summer's day! If you ever fancy a change, there are plenty of wines that tick the same boxes. Let the Wine & Spirit Education Trust help you to confidently branch out and find a new favourite.</p>
4.30 - 4.50	<p>Brancott Estate - Wine Pioneers <i>Presenter: Neil Phillips, The Wine Tipster</i> Come and find out about the latest pioneering stories from Marlborough, New Zealand with Brancott Estate. Try our fantastic Sauvignon Gris and let our Sauvignon Blanc demonstrate how our vineyards produce different styles of this famous grape variety. The winery is celebrating its 40th anniversary – join the celebrations!</p>	<p>The Magic of Marlborough <i>Presenter: Matt Patterson-Green, Jackson Estate Winemaker</i> Discover the very best of Marlborough, New Zealand with Jackson Estate Winemaker Matt Patterson-Green. The wines are testament to the vision and determination of the Stichbury & Jackson families who have farmed the land on the Wairau River plain at Jacksons Road for more than 160 years. Specialising in small batch, handmade wines, the iconic Stich Sauvignon Blanc is loved world over, while the Pinot Noirs are fast becoming as popular.</p>	<p>Explore the delicious flavours of South Africa <i>Presenter: James Griswood, Winemaker</i> Come and enjoy the delights of South Africa with a tasting of some great wines from this beautiful country. South Africa is currently the most dynamic winemaking country in the world and offers some of the greatest value wines. Join wine expert James Griswood as he takes you through the range of <i>finest*</i> South African wines with a whistle-stop journey through 350 years of winemaking in South Africa.</p>
5.00 - 5.20	<p>East Coast style Ciders - Premium Cider production in the style of Champagne! <i>Presenter: Jon Hopkins, Head of Take Home Sales at Aspath Cider</i> Learn the unique production style of East Coast Cider, which uses the depth and versatility of the apple to produce ciders which are comparable to some wines, while tasting a variety of cider styles.</p>	<p>Shiraz Showdown <i>Presenter: Simon Woods, Wine Writer</i> Four different Shirazes, four different countries – which is your favourite?</p>	<p>Food and Wine Pairing <i>Presenter: Lisa Moreton, WSET</i> In this eye-opening session WSET will explore how the key components in food – acidity, salt and sweetness – impact the way we taste wine. Leave the session armed with skills that can be applied to any menu or wine list.</p>
5.30 - 5.50	<p>Campo Viejo - Bringing colour to the World of Wine <i>Presenter: Neil Phillips, The Wine Tipster</i> Join us on a trip to Rioja to discover the UK's favourite Spanish wine by sampling the delights of Campo Viejo and understanding the wine oak-ageing process. The vibrancy and colour of Spanish life is captured in these bottles waiting to be uncorked!</p>	<p>Finest* Exploration <i>Presenter: Graham Nash, Tesco Wine Buyer</i> Taste through a selection of the top Tesco <i>finest*</i> wines with resident wine buyer Graham Nash.</p>	<p>European Masters <i>Presenter: Nick Juby, 'Wine by the Case' Wine Buyer</i> Taste some of the great red wines of Europe, from Spain, Italy and France.</p>
6.00 - 6.20	<p>A night in with Jacob's Creek <i>Presenter: Neil Phillips, The Wine Tipster</i> How often do you spend the night in with friends or family and wonder which wine to drink with dinner? Jacob's Creek has the answer in this no nonsense approach to wine and food matching. Discover the ideal wine to pair with your everyday favourite dish!</p>	<p>Sticky treats for Christmas <i>Presenter: Simon Woods, Wine Writer</i> Got a sweet tooth? Then prepare for a sugar rush as we try some of the richer, stickier wines on our list, including some that will be perfect with – or instead of – Christmas pud.</p>	<p>Celebrating Chardonnay <i>Presenter: Lisa Moreton, WSET</i> It's time to forget about those heavy, over-oaked Chardonnays of the 90's – Chardonnay is back in a range of different styles. In this workshop the Wine & Spirit Education Trust shows you just a little bit of what Chardonnay has offer.</p>

ONLY ONE WORKSHOP OR THEATRE TICKET PER PERSON