



**Maison Du Vin**  
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July 15, 2010

Greetings from Maison du Vin!

As you know, we've been staying open late Sundays to accommodate the crowds for the summer concert series here on the green at Great Falls Village Centre. Well, this Sunday, July 18th, we're not just staying open, we're actually sponsoring the concert! In partnership with Great Falls Charitable Foundation, we'll be selling wine by the glass during the event, with all profits going to kick off the fundraising for next year's Great Falls fireworks display. We hope you'll join us on the green from 6:00 to 8:00 pm for a festive evening featuring another great acoustic set from the [Smallwood Brothers!](#)

We have a couple of ways to make entertaining easy this summer: our [July BBQ sampler pack](#) and a fantastic selection of steaks and sausages from [The Organic Butcher of McLean](#). This week we have dry-aged burger patties, boneless ribeyes, Wagyu ribeyes, flat irons, flank and sirloin steaks; and pork with bacon & mustard, pork with spinach feta & roasted red peppers and mild Italian sausages. Naturally, we're always happy to pass along special requests with a few days' lead time.

Our current exhibit from Great Falls Studios is a collection of watercolors from local artist Betty Ganley, which can be viewed anytime during opening hours. More information about Betty and her works is below.

See you soon!  
- John Fitter

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Now that the [summer concerts](#) here on the green at Great Falls Village Centre are in full swing, we've extended our Sunday hours to noon - 8:00 pm. And since our neighbors at The Old Brogue/Katie's Coffee House are organizing a "Cars & Coffee" event every Saturday morning, we've moved up our hours on Saturday to 8:00 am - 7:00 pm. When the weather cooperates, there are nearly 100 classic and collectible cars on display from 7:00 - 9:00 am, and it's well worth getting up early to come take a look. As a little incentive, pick up a coupon and bring your receipt from Katie's for a 10% discount here at Maison du Vin.

Take a look at our specials below for our July [BBQ Sampler Pack](#), on offer through the end of the month.

Don't forget our staff Twitter feeds - a great source of up-to-date information for last-minute tasting updates, interesting arrivals, limited special offers and the like. You can follow us at [@johnatmdv](#) - John Fitter, [@geraldatmdv](#) - Gerald Johnson, and [@bruceatmdv](#) - Bruce Hall.

## Current Specials

### July BBQ Sampler Pack \$59.99

We're going to branch out from rosés for this month's sampler with a collection designed to complement the flavors of the grill. Whether for shrimp or chicken or ribeye steaks, these wines have been selected to highlight and enhance the vibrant flavors of summertime cuisine. The assortment includes a variety of different styles from around the world, and is offered at a discount of 10% off the individual retail price.

To sweeten the deal even further, buy a sampler pack and take a 10% discount on any steaks or sausages purchased on the same order. \* That's one-stop shopping at its best!

#### The Wines

Paul D. Grüner Veltliner Weinland 2009 - Grüner Veltliner - Austria  
Kermit Lynch Blanc Vin de Pays du Vaucluse 2007 - Chardonnay/Viognier - France  
Xavier Clua "El Sola d'en Pol" Terra Alta - Garnacha/Cabernet Sauvignon/Syrah - Spain  
Le Lapin "Multiplicity" Paso Robles NV - Petite Sirah/Syrah/Zinfandel - California  
Paul D. Zweigelt Weinland 2008 - Zweigelt - Austria  
Cantina Gonzaga Lambrusco della Provincia di Mantova NV - Lambrusco - Italy

**Available through July 31, or while supplies last. Wines subject to change.**

\*Discount limited to items in-stock, and may not be combined with any other offers or discounts.

## Monthly Wine Club

### Maison du Vin Monthly Wine Club

We're very excited to announce a new monthly wine club at Maison du Vin, featuring wines hand-picked by our staff as some of the most outstanding offerings available. Each month we will select one red and one white wine for two membership tiers, with a combined retail value exceeding the monthly membership cost. Monthly selections will be available to members at 15% off normal retail for the remainder of the month in which they are offered. We'll even host a members-only pickup party the second Thursday of each month.

And now you have the option of adding a monthly selection of steaks or sausages from The Organic Butcher of McLean to your wine selections! Every month we'll choose a different type of sausage or cut of meat to match the monthly wine pick, again with a retail value exceeding the monthly cost of the option.

Standard level (\$39.99/month) and Premium level (\$74.99/month) pre-paid memberships are available for 3-, 6- or 12-month terms. Add the steak/sausage option for just \$19.99 more each month.

Offerings begin in June, so call us for more information at 703-759-9880, or stop by the shop and sign up today!

## Current Exhibit

### Watercolors by Betty Ganley Maison du Vin Through August 15th

Our current exhibit is a series of watercolors by Great Falls Studios member [Betty Ganley](#). Betty has won over 70 awards (over a dozen of them for BEST OF SHOW), for her vibrant watercolors. As a result of international competitions she has paintings featured in 6 major art books, publications noted for highlighting the art of the current top watercolorists. Articles about her and her paintings have appeared in several major art magazines, including International Artist, and Australian Artist magazines as well as the cover of Elan Magazine. As a result of an invitation by the editors of International Artist Publications to author and illustrate a book on painting gardens, her first book, "10 SECRET GARDENS IN WATERCOLOR", was published in 2005. Since then she has been in demand as a guest lecturer, demonstrator and judge. Her work is included in several major corporate collections as well as many noted private collections throughout the world. Artist Statement: "*The beauty of nature surrounding us never ceases to amaze me. To be able to see our world through an artist's eye is a constant joy. The doors that have opened, the people I have met, the opportunities and challenges presented and accepted have so vastly exceeded any dreams or expectations.*" .

#### Open

Monday - Friday  
11:00 am - 8:00 pm

Saturday  
8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Sunday  
Noon - 8:00 pm

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