



Smithsonian Associates

Island Time: Exploring Wines from the World's Best Island Regions

Tasting Kit Pick-Up Instructions

Thank you for registering for “Island Time: Exploring Wines from the World’s Best Island Region” which will take place on **Friday, March 17**.

Please read these instructions carefully, as they have changed from previous wine programs.

You may pick up your tasting kit(s) on **Thursday, March 16, from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** OR **Friday, March 17, from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** **The new pick-up location is:**

**Smithsonian Associates Office
(inside S. Dillon Ripley Center)
1100 Jefferson Drive SW Suite 3077, Washington, DC
Metro: Smithsonian, Mall exit (Blue, Orange, Silver lines)**

In order to pick-up your wine kit, you will need to:

1. Enter the Ripley Center kiosk (see photo further below) and take the elevator or stairs to Sublevel 3.
2. Walk down Sublevel 3’s Concourse to locate the office of Smithsonian Associates in Suite 3077.
3. Inside Suite 3077, a distribution station will be set up for patrons.
4. Please provide your first and last name (please make sure to use the name that is registered) and the number of kits in your order.

Note: *Staff may request to see ID before distributing your kit(s). Unfortunately, we are not able to provide curbside service at this venue.*

Please note that **parking in the area is limited**. There is metered parking along Jefferson Drive SW as well as Independence Avenue SW. In addition, there is construction work taking place at the Smithsonian Castle, which is next door to the Ripley Center entrance.

Please refrigerate the white wines in advance of the program.

Glass bottle recycling: You may return your glass bottles to the Ripley Center to be washed, sanitized, and reused. If you are signed up for a future wine program, you may return your glass bottles when you pick up your next tasting kit.

Looking forward to “seeing” you!

The S. Dillon Ripley Center is located at 1100 Jefferson Drive SW (between Freer Gallery of Art and Smithsonian Castle):

