

## Destination 9 - "AUSTRALIA"

November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

DEPARTURE @ 7:00PM – GATE: RNDC

Australia spent millions of dollars to build a brand around Shiraz – Australia's word for Syrah. The marketing paved the way for Australian wine production to *triple* since 1990. However, despite the success, Australian wines have suffered some serious drawbacks in the media. Wine critics often disregard most Aussie wine as "Critter Wines" –referring to the cute animal designs that adorn wine labels. It's time to dig deeper than the bottom shelf at the grocery store and find out what Australia wine regions are all about!

### **Prawn Cocktail**

Prawn Mosaic, Heart of Romaine, Pickled Cucumber, Compressed Tomato, Louie Dressing

#### **Wine Pairing:**

**Bulletin Place Chardonnay,  
S.E. Australia**

### **Australian Crab & Asparagus Soup**

Asparagus, Cream, Jumbo Lump Crab, Mirepoix, Sherry, Rice

#### **Wine Pairing:**

**Are You Game Pinot Noir,  
Victoria**

### **Ale Meat Pie**

Angus Beef, Mirepoix, Tomato, Mushroom, Pale Ale, Cheddar, Flaky Pastry

#### **Wine Pairing:**

**Barossa Valley Estate GSM,  
Barossa Valley**

