**WINTERTHUR OFFERS POINT-TO-POINT PREPARATION EVENTS FOR MAY STEEPLECHASE**

Plan Your Best Food, Fashion, and Tailgating Experience for Region’s Premiere Spring Social Event

**Winterthur, DE**—Ahead of the Brandywine Valley's premiere spring social event, Point-to-Point, Winterthur has arranged pre-event activities to help guests prepare for the excitement and pageantry of the 35th annual steeplechase on May 5, 2013.

**Tailgating Tips:**

For those who want to prepare the most festive tailgate spread for the event on May 5, there are three opportunities to learn from local celebrity chefs, Master Chef Jennifer Behm and Julio Lazzarini. Their demonstrations will include tips and tastings to “spice up” your tailgate. Join them at these classes:

- **Wednesday, March 20, 6:30–8:30 pm** -- Cooking Demonstration at Kitchen & Company Christiana, Center Pointe Plaza, 1307 New Churchman’s Rd., Christiana, Delaware, 19713.
- **Wednesday, April 3, 6:30–8:30 pm** -- Cooking demonstration at BBC Tavern, 4019 Kennett Pike, Greenville, Delaware, 19807.
- **Wednesday, April 10, 6:30–8:30 pm** -- Cooking Demonstration at Kitchen & Company Wilmington, Route 202 Shopping Center, 5333 Concord Pike, Wilmington, Delaware, 19803.

*Limited to 30 people. $20 per person (includes recipes).*

**For more information, PLEASE USE THE SIGN-UP LINK ON OUR WEB SITE, winterthur.org/ptp.** For any additional information, please call 302.888.4992.

**Win a Tailgate Spot:**

Guests are invited to attend a special Tamaya Wines event on **Friday, April 12, 6:30–8:30 pm** at the BBC Tavern & Grill, 4019 Kennett Pike, Greenville, Delaware, 19807.

**What to Wear:**

For the perfect ensemble in keeping with the grand horse racing tradition of beautiful headwear and a striking dress that celebrates spring, arrangements have been made for a day of shopping:

- **Thursday, April 18, 1:00–5:00 pm** -- Helen Kaminski Anniversary Hat Trunk Show featuring the official headpiece of Point-to-Point, the Vilamoura design, at Houpette Powder Mill Shopping Center, Greenville, Delaware, 19807.
- **INVITATION ONLY -- Thursday April 18, 6:00–8:00 pm** -- Private Point-to-Point Party shopping event at Peter Kate boutique, Powder Mill Shopping Center, Greenville, Delaware, 19807. Food and wine provided by Lisa’s Gone Nuts.

**For more information about the activities planned before and during the 35th Annual Point-to-Point, visit winterthur.org/ptp.***

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