

2026 – 2027 BCGWJ Tasting and Education Schedule

DATE of TASTING	TRAINING PROGRAM	TASTING TOPIC	TASTING PRESENTER	DELIVERY DATES
September 16, 2026 Main September 16, 2026 Vic September 13, 2026 Nan	Lecture – Points vs Holistic Judging (Rev 2)	Zinfandel	Nanaimo	Delivery of wines & listing = Aug 23 Email Presentation Notes = Aug 23
October 21, 2026 Main October 21, 2026 Vic October 18, 2026 Nan	Aromas – Aromatic White	Aromatic White	Yannic Wolfe Axel Kroitzsch	Delivery of wines & listing = Sept 27 Email Presentation Notes = Sept 27
November 18, 2026 Main November 18, 2026 Vic November 22, 2026 Nan	Lecture – updated Presenter Instructions	Rhone	Victoria Sheridan Scott (Master Judge)	Delivery of wines & listing = Oct 28 Email Presentation Notes = Oct 28
December 09 2n Wed Main December 16 3rd Wed Vic December 06 1st Sun Nan	Aromas – Sweet and Nuts	After Dinner	Nanaimo	Delivery of wines & listing = Nov 15 Email Presentation Notes = Nov 15
January 20, 2027 Main January 20, 2027 Vic January 18, 2027 Nan	Lecture – Personal Conduct at Competitions	Digestivo	Jennifer Huva Bill Huva	Delivery of wines & listing = Dec 14 Email Presentation Notes = Dec 14
February 17, 2027 Main February 17, 2027 Vic February 14, 2027 Nan	Aromas – Berries	Other Dry Red	Victoria Laurie Dane (Judge) Trevor Curtis (Mentor)	Delivery of wines & listing = Jan 24 Email Presentation Notes = Jan 24
March 17, 2027 Main March 17, 2027 Vic March 14, 2027 Nan	Lecture – How to Avoid Palate Fatigue	Sherry	Nanaimo	Delivery of wines & listing = Feb 21 Email Presentation Notes = Feb 21
April 21, 2027 Main April 07, 2027 1st Wed Vic April 18, 2027 Nan	Aromas – Citrus	Rosé	Brian McConnell	Delivery of wines & listing = Mar 15 Email Presentation Notes = Mar 15
May 19, 2027 Main May 19, 2027 Vic May 16, 2027 Nan	Lecture – Comparative Judging (Rev 2)	Country	Victoria Donna Neve (Trainee) Mary Homer (Mentor)	Delivery of wines & listing = Apr 19 Email Presentation Notes = Apr 19
June 2027 - AGM Nanaimo TBD – location / date	Annual General Meeting	Sparkling	Nanaimo	Delivery of wines & listing = May 17 Email Presentation Notes = May 17

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