



Do you want to join us for a glass of wine, gourmet bites and more info about the grape stomp and La Vendemmia?

What: Kick-off La Vendemmia 2009 + Charity Grape Stomp Team Registration and La Roma Restaurant Open House. Come by to sign up your Grape Stomp Team, explore our new Cin Cin private event rooms, and have a glass of wine & some of our gourmet bites.

When: Monday, September 14, 2009, 7pm to 9pm.

Where: La Roma Restaurant (430 Preston Street) - Cin Cin Private Rooms Upstairs.

Parking available from Rochester Street and Norman Street near Preston.

RSVP: Click [here](#) to RSVP or visit <http://www.prestonstreet.com/lavendemmia/schedule.php>

About La Vendemmia:

In Italian tradition, harvest time is when Farmers gather together to celebrate the earth's bounty, catch up with their neighbours, and offer their produce. It is a time of merriment, celebrating the end of the intense work involved in planting, growing, and harvesting. Wine - being such an integral part of any gathering of friends - has its own celebratory harvest tradition. Fresh off the vine grapes are poured into huge vats, and crushed in the first stage of this centuries old art form.

Since 1997, La Vendemmia has been Ottawa's Celebration of Italian Wine & Food held in the heart of Little Italy, Preston Street. La Vendemmia is a series of Italian wine and food seminars, dinners, cooking demos, wine tastings and a charity grape stomp.

Mark your calendars September 14-20, 2009 for this year's La Vendemmia, highlights include:

- Chef cooking demonstrations
- Wine tastings
- The Moveable Feast walkabout dining experience
- Feature dinners at Preston Street restaurants
- Taste of Little Italy Wine and Food Show
- Charity Grape Stomp in support of **Ottawa Regional Cancer Foundation**

Visit www.prestonstreet.com/lavendemmia for more information!

We're also participating with a La Vendemmia Feature Menu available between September 14th and 20th.

Details to follow soon.