### THE ITALIAN AMERICAN VETERANS MUSEUM IS PROUD TO PRESENT

# PAIRINGS

An exquisite culinary experience featuring delectable dishes and fabulous wines in the grand Italian tradition

# MONDAY, OCTOBER 28 AT 7 PM

DES PLAINES THEATRE | 1476 MINER STREET | DES PLAINES Presented by Ron Onesti & Ed Badgett III



RON ONESTI is the president of Onesti Entertainment Corp., which produces concerts, festivals and events nationwide, and runs several entertainment venues across the Chicago area. Ron is president of the Joint Civic Committee of Italian Americans and the National Italian American Sports Hall of Fame and chairman of Casa Italia.

### ED BADGETT III is the

sommelier at Old North State Winery located in the Yadkin Valley of North Carolina. With a passion for food, wine and travel, Ed hosts a weekly wine club with the mission to share his experiences with other thirsty patrons. He possesses an extensive knowledge of Italian wines gleaned from <u>multiple</u> tastings in Italy.

### Participation limited to 100 lovers of fine Italian food and wine and reservations are an absolute must.

100% of proceeds benefit the Italian American Veterans Museum thanks to the remarkable generosity of Retired Navy Commander Joseph Troiani and Ron Onesti, president and third vice president of the museum respectively. APERITIVO Terriero Prosecco Rose di Treviso with a strawberry on the rim

## ANTIPASTO

Truffle honey Parmigiano Reggiano, endive, radicchio and cannellini bean salad and oven-roasted tomato burrata crostini **PAIRING:** Nomalas Pinot Bianco delle Venezie

# PRIMO PIATTO

Burrata ravioli with fresh mint and lemon sauce PAIRING: Nozzole Chianti Classico Riserva

# SECONDO PIATTO

Braised short rib ravioli topped with vegetable soffritto and beef demi-glacé **PAIRING:** Masseria Li Veli Susumaniello

### DOLCI

Sicilian cannoli with candied orange PAIRING: Michele Chiarlo Moscato d'Asti Nivole

Donation: \$75 per person

For reservations, call 708-338-0690 or email info@iavmuseum.org.

