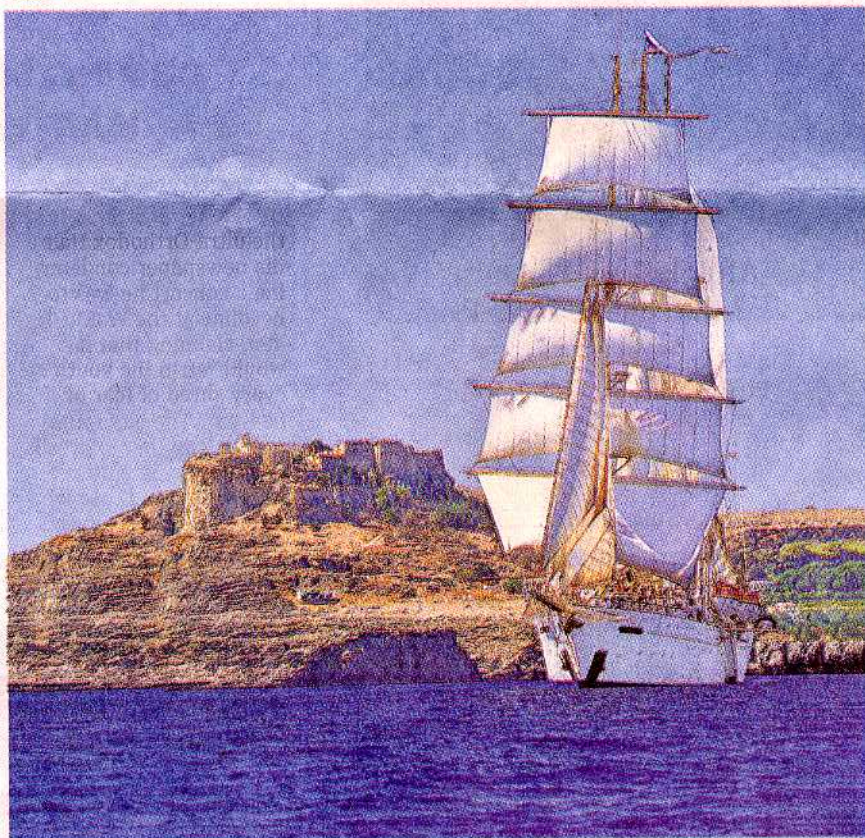


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▲ Greek Archaeology & Wine Cruise

Greek islands

Arblaster & Clarke offers a variety of wine tours. For this one, it has teamed up with Andante Travels, an archaeology travel group, to host a cruise focused on Greek wine and archaeology. Guests will sail the "tall ship" Star Clipper. There will be tutored tastings, gourmet dinners, art and architecture seminars and winery visits. There is an equal balance of archaeology and wine tours and plenty of day trips to choose from (for example, in Monemvasia, you can explore the Byzantine fortress, visit a winery or spend the afternoon on the beach). Fees include airfare from London. Full agenda at arblasterandclarke.com.

WHEN June 6 to 13

DEPARTS Piraeus, Greece

HOW MUCH £2,799 to £5,999 (\$4,005 to \$8,583)

B.R. Cohn Winery



Mediterranean

The B.R. Cohn Winery, in Glen Ellen, Calif., will host its first cruise aboard the Azamara Journey. The cruise is organized by Flying Dutchmen Travel of Santa Rosa, Calif., which has been organizing wine cruises for the last four years. Bruce Cohn will be aboard to host wine tastings

and seminars and B.R. Cohn wines will be served with dinner. The expected group will be about 60 people (the ship accommodates about 700 people). Information at brcohncruisecruise.com.

WHEN May 2 to 9

DEPARTS Venice, Italy

HOW MUCH \$1,699 to \$6,950

Thunder Cruise With Gary Vaynerchuk

Caribbean

Gary Vaynerchuk is director of operations at his family's Springfield, N.J., wine store, Wine Library. His video blog, "Wine Library TV," is a fun online show that appeals to all levels of wine lovers and

has attracted an enthusiastic following (fans are called Vayniacs). The MSC Orchestra cruise ship will host Mr. Vaynerchuk's first cruise and about 200 guests are expected. Activities with Mr. Vaynerchuk include a welcome party, food and wine pairings, seminars and tastings. He promises that the wine served will appeal to both novices and collectors with selections from all over the world. Details at garyvthundercruise.com.

WHEN April 18 to 25

DEPARTS Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

HOW MUCH \$899 to \$2,099



▲ Northwest Wine

San Juan Islands, U.S.

The Schooner Zodiac, first launched in 1924, sails the San Juan Islands and stops at five wineries en route for tours, tastings and to pick up wines for dinner. Rob Newsom, winemaker at Boudreaux Cellars of Leavenworth, Wash., will be onboard the entire cruise and will host a tasting of his wines and a food and wine pairing class. Mr. Newsom has hosted wine cruises with StarSail Cruises since 2006. All tours, tastings, and wines with dinner are included in the fare. The ship sleeps 24 guests. Details at starsailcruises.com.

WHEN July 30 to Aug. 2

DEPARTS Bellingham, Wash.

HOW MUCH \$750 to \$885



▲ Paumanok Vineyards & Wölffer Estate

Mediterranean

Food & Wine Trails began organizing cruises for gourmets about 20 years ago. The "Best of Long Island" cruise with Charles Massoud, owner of Paumanok Vineyards of Aquebogue, N.Y., and Roman Roth, winemaker at Wölffer Estate of Sagaponack, N.Y., sails on Oceania Cruises' Insignia. Guests will have ample opportunity to chat with Messrs. Massoud and Roth and to learn about winemaking on Long Island. Rates for this cruise have recently been reduced and include airfare. There are other deals on cruises with Franciscan and Simi wineries, Robert Mondavi winery and White Oak Vineyards & Winery. Information at foodandwinetrails.com.

WHEN June 24 to July 4

DEPARTS Piraeus, Greece

HOW MUCH Discounted rates until March 31; \$2,349 to \$5,149

Eberle Winery

Baltic Sea

Silversea Cruises offers "Wine Series" voyages throughout the year. Wentle Vineyards of Livermore, Calif., and Castello Banfi of Tuscany, Italy, are booked for upcoming cruises. Gary Eberle, of Eberle Winery in Paso Robles, Calif., has given wine cruise lectures for about 20 years. On this cruise, aboard the Silver Cloud, there will be wine tastings, including some Eberle wines, and an educational seminar on winemaking. Booking through the winery's travel representative will get you access to a special food and wine pairing dinner with Eberle wines, but you can also book directly with Silversea Cruises. Details at eberlewinery.com.

WHEN June 25 to July 4

DEPARTS Stockholm

HOW MUCH Fares are \$6,646 to \$24,956

DelFosse Vineyards and Winery

Mediterranean

Claude DelFosse, vintner at DelFosse Vineyards and Winery of Faber, Va., will host his first-ever wine cruise aboard the Celebrity Summit. The cruise includes wine tastings, a food and wine pairing meal, a private cocktail reception and wine-themed lectures. Details at delfossewine.com.

WHEN June 27 to July 9

DEPARTS Barcelona

HOW MUCH \$940 to \$1,670

—Melanie Grayce West

To submit information on wine events, travel and learning opportunities, email winecalendar@wsj.com. Saturday night is Open That Bottle Night 10; for more information, visit WSJ.com/OTBN.