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**ZINFANDEL FESTIVITIES TEE OFF AT RIVER OAKS**  
***Vina Robles and Seasons Restaurant Host "Zin's in Season" on March 18***  
***PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT EXPLORERS COMPETITION***

*Paso Robles, California—Zinfandel Festival weekend tees off at River Oaks Golf Course on March 18 as Vina Robles and Seasons Restaurant team up for "Zin's in Season," a four-course dinner prepared by Seasons Restaurant Chef Michael Gray and paired with four vintages of Zinfandel presented by Winemaker Matthias Gubler. Event proceeds—to include a wine and merchandise raffle—will benefit the Central Coast Law Enforcement Explorers Competition scholarship fund.*

*The festivities will include jazz by Ken Warrick and gourmet appetizers, including oysters, caviar and pistachio-crusted brie cheese. The dinner will include courses of grilled Portobello mushroom, braised pork loin and dark chocolate dessert. The cost is \$95 total per person for wine, dinner, tax and gratuity.*

*The courses will be paired with the 2001 through 2004 vintages of Zinfandel Westside from Vina Robles. The 2003 vintage is a final pre-bottling blend from the cellar, and the 2004 vintage will be a barrel sample selected by Gubler. The dinner coincides with the Paso Robles Zinfandel Festival, a weekend-long celebration of one of the region's signature varietals.*

**"ZIN'S IN SEASON" DETAILS**

**Date:** Friday, March 18, 2005

**Time:** Appetizers begin at 6 p.m., dinner begins at 6:30

**Location:** Seasons Restaurant at River Oaks Golf Course at 700 Clubhouse Drive in Paso Robles

**Cost:** \$95 per person, all inclusive

**To RSVP:** Call Seasons Restaurant at (805) 226-2096 before March 16

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*The **Central Coast Law Enforcement Explorers Competition**, an extension of the Boy Scouts of America, provides an opportunity for young men and women to experience first hand how a police department functions and what it takes to get started with a challenging career in law enforcement. The Central Coast Law Enforcement Explorers Competition is hosted annually by the Paso Robles Police Department and Templeton CHP, with the grand finale presentation of scholarships to the competitors for advancement in law enforcement education.*

***Vina Robles** is a small premium California winery with a unique Swiss-European imprint and a vision for estate-crafted wines that express both the excellence and individuality of their noble terroir. Under the guidance of owner Hans Nef and Winemaker Matthias Gubler, Vina Robles specializes in varietals that excel amid the amenable growing conditions of Paso Robles, specifically Cabernet Sauvignon, Petite Sirah, Petit Verdot, Syrah and Zinfandel. Selecting fruit from only the finest blocks at two estate vineyards—Huerhuero and Jardine—Vina Robles produces distinctive red wines that embody the Central Coast's adventurous spirit and world-class viticulture.*