

**April 18: Matisse, Color & Fauvism and the wines of Southern France.**

*Art Inspiration –* Henri Matisse (1869 – 1954)

South of France – Outlines – Bright Colors

**Wine & Food Pairings**

*Moet & Chandon, Grand Vintage Rosé, 2004*

California bass tartare

roasted red bull onions, pickled Valencia orange, *The Farm* beet chips

*Château De Lugagnac, Grand Vin Rosé, Bordeaux, 2013*

Poached fired sable

wild arugula, farm chili, shaved black radish, Marcona almond

*Château Croizet-Bages, Grand Cru Classé, Pauillac, 2011*

Duroc pork belly

 frilly mustard, fava bean, birch syrup

*Vidal-Fleury, Crozes-Hermitage, 2010*

Brandt beef striploin

glazed market carrot, swiss chard, oak aged vinegar

cherry wood-smoked, dark chocolate mousse

Amarena cherry, génoise croutons, Indian mint

***Artist/host: E. Dominic Black***

***Wine Selections: Fairplex Certified Sommelier Mary Ellen Cole, Sheraton Fairplex***

***Food Pairings: Vinny Cavalli, McKinley’s Grille***

***Millard Sheets Art Center Manager: Thomas Canavan***