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Attention wine lovers and science enthusiasts:

“Science of Wine” is back at Explora on Friday, February 23; the first of 2024’s ‘Science of’ Series!

Albuquerque, NM—According to chemistry, wine is a solution! Discover the science and nuance behind your local favorites at Explora’s “Science of Wine” event on Friday, February 23 from 6:00 to 10:30 PM. The fourth iteration of this annual, sell-out favorite, the Science of Wine presents an oenological odyssey as visitors journey through the delicate composition, nature, and discipline of wine, with all of Explora at their fingertips to play, learn, and discover.

Sample original New Mexico wines from the esteemed local wineries of Sheehan, Noisy Water, VARA, D.H. Lescombes, and Casa Rodeña at tasting stations throughout two museum levels. Learn the secret of simmering mulled wine with the coziest winter flavors. Attend engaging expert talks with Southwest Grape and Grain and CNM’s Wine Technology Program. Enjoy varied activities including wood-burning coasters, painting with wine, DIY resin wine toppers, and more. Savor live music while sampling provisions from M’Tucci’s, Three Sisters Kitchen, and The ABQ Sweet Spot. Peruse a gorgeous variety of Kendra Scott custom jewelry—an ideal way to commemorate the evening!

Designated Driver tickets are only \$11 and include a glass of sparkling grape juice and access to all activities. VIP tickets sell out fast and include 6:00 PM entry, a private cocktail room with a welcome toast, specially catered snacks, exclusive wines, and VIP-only activities! Science of Wine is a special 21 and older Explora *Adult Night* event: IDs will be checked at admission, and visitors are encouraged to bring cash, expediting purchases of food and beverages. Science of Wine tickets are advance purchase only at: www.explora.us/adult-night

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Explora is a science center and children’s museum in Albuquerque, with a mission of creating opportunities for inspirational discovery and the joy of lifelong learning through interactive experiences in science, technology, engineering, art, and math (STEAM). Explora serves thousands of people each year and is dedicated to improving New Mexico’s educational and economic outcomes.