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**THE FEARRINGTON HOUSE RESTAURANT'S WINE TEAM
EARNS WINE SPECTATOR RESTAURANT AWARD IN 2017**

*The Fearrington House Restaurant Among 3,592 Winners;
Full 2017 Dining guide Revealed in Wine Spectator's August Issue*

Fearrington Village, NC – The Fearrington House Restaurant has been honored for its outstanding wine program in Wine Spectator's 2017 Restaurant Awards. This distinction marks The Fearrington House Restaurant as a top destination for wine lovers, and is the most recent award for the wine team in addition to recognition by World of Fine Wine and the Ruinart Challenge.

“Restaurants continue to raise their game when it comes to wine, and we are particularly proud to present this year's winners,” said Marvin R. Shanken, Editor & Publisher, Wine Spectator. “As wine becomes more important to diners, the Awards program is thriving—with an increasing number of entries, as well as growing print, digital and social audiences. Wine Spectator congratulates each and every award winner.”

Wine Spectator began its program to recognize the world's best wine lists in 1981. There are three levels: the Award of Excellence, the Best of Award of Excellence and the Grand Award -- with 2,335; 1,168; and 89 winners this year in each respective category. Five of this year's Grand Award winners are first timers.

The Fearrington House Restaurant has won the Best of Award of Excellence. Best of Award of Excellence recipients offer more extensive selections with significant vintage depth and excellent breadth across multiple regions. The complete list of award winners is available in print in Wine Spectator's August issue and online at Restaurants.WineSpectator.com.

About Wine Spectator

Wine Spectator is the world's leading authority on wine. Anchored by Wine Spectator magazine, a print publication that reaches more than 3 million readers worldwide, the brand also encompasses the Web's most comprehensive wine site (WineSpectator.com), mobile platforms and a series of signature events. Wine Spectator examines the world of wine from the vineyard to the table, exploring wine's role in contemporary culture and delivering expert reviews of more than 18,000 wines each year. Parent company M. Shanken Communications, Inc., also publishes Cigar Aficionado, Whisky Advocate, Market Watch, Shanken News Daily and Shanken's Impact

Newsletter.

About The Ferrington House

The Ferrington House is a member of Relais & Chateaux, an association of the finest hotels and restaurants in the world. The 32-room Inn features exquisitely decorated rooms and stunning garden views. The Restaurant serves locally sourced European cuisine with a regional influence. The Ferrington House Restaurant opened in 1980, followed by the Inn in 1987, and the Spa in 2010. Ferrington House is located eight miles south of Chapel Hill and 20 miles west of the Raleigh/Durham Airport. For more information, visit www.ferrington.com.

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