Nantucket's Brant Point Grill and TOPPER'S Recognized by Annual Wine Spectator 2016 Restaurant Awards



The Wauwinet's TOPPER'S and the White Elephant's Brant Point Grill have been recognized by *Wine Spectator's* prestigious "2016 Restaurant Wine Awards." The Wauwinet was one of only 88 recipients worldwide to receive their most revered, "Grand Award." This is the 21st consecutive year TOPPER'S has been presented this accolade, making them the only Massachusetts restaurant with the longest winning streak on the list. The Brant Point Grill also received the "Best of Award of Excellence," which celebrates restaurants for their extensive wine list.

The results were announced in the August 31 issue and reflect *Wine Spectator's* judges' assessments of wine menus based on a number of criteria including variety, accuracy, and overall presentation.

TOPPER'S, having previously been listed as *Zagat's* top-rated restaurant in Massachusetts, showcases a wine collection of 1,450 bottles from around the world, all of which are carefully selected by Cellar Master, Craig Hanna. Hanna, who has been with The Wauwinet for 26 years, offers expert suggestions on pairings from the extensive collection.

Located directly on Nantucket Harbor, Brant Point Grill's wine list offers more than 400 bottles. Director of Food & Beverage, Mark Bronke, has more than 20 years of experience selecting wines for restaurants, and supports seasoned sommelier, Robert Pruett as he introduces guests to pairings that match perfectly with Brant Point Grill's steak and seafood-focused menu.

To book a reservation at <u>Brant Point Grill</u>, call 508.325.1320, and to book reservation at <u>TOPPER'S</u>, call 508.228.8768.