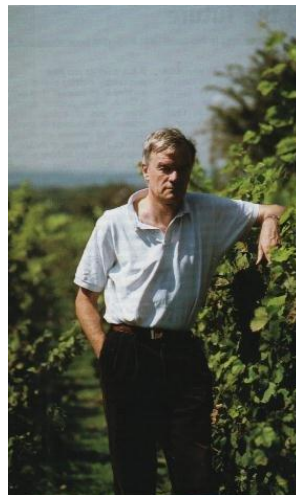




Royal British Legion, Paris Branch host,
A wine tasting by Paul Tracy, of [Fine Wine World](#),
At the club house,
Tuesday 9th May 1900hrs after the branch general meeting.



From an early age, Paul Tracy seems never to have been far from a glass of wine. He was fortunate that his father considered that tasting fine Bordeaux when young – and the wine was much cheaper then – could only be beneficial. Oxford helped cultivate this taste, and in the 70's wine was beginning to spread around London without ruining the pocket.

After he moved to France in 77 to complete an MBA at INSEAD, it was only a short step before (fortuitously) his name cropped up when Remy Martin cognac was recruiting. After some years in Cognac, he joined Moët-Hennessy in Paris to look after the modest division making wines outside France in Argentina, California and Australia.

In 2000, he left to set up his own company, Fine Wine World, based in Paris, importing wines from a dozen countries to sell in France to trade and the general public. He poured some of his acquired wine knowledge into Red Stream, a wine thriller, published in 2013. His wife is French and his 3 daughters have spread themselves across the world in totally different professions.

Tonight he would like to offer RBL members a “Tour du Monde du Pinot Noir”, brief world view of this famous grape, with examples from Chile, California, Tasmania, Italy and of course France !

The cost of the tasting with a variety of cheese and biscuits will be **16€**. Payable to ADVB on the night. Please indicate your intention of participating by e-mail to reservation@advb.paris

You may also wish to sign up for the RBL club lunch on the 18th May.

Regards,

Edouard Plunkett