

*“Wine makes a man better pleased with himself, I do not say that it makes him more pleasing to others”*

- Samuel Johnson

### *History of Beaujolais Nouveau*

Every year at one minute past midnight on the third Thursday of November, the first bottles of Beaujolais Nouveau are opened, and hundreds/thousands of celebrants begin drinking this young wine from the Burgundy region of France. This international party actually began as a local tradition in Lyon. Bars and Bistros in the area would receive barrels of wine, which had just been harvested and crushed in September, from local growers. Patrons loved the light, fruity taste and due to the marketing and promotion efforts of George Deboeuf in the 1960's this local tradition has become a worldwide celebration of this unique French wine.

*“This is one of the disadvantages of wine: It makes a man mistake word for thought”*

- Samuel Johnson

# Beaujolais Nouveau Day Menu 2011

## *Entrée*

Gambas grillées a l'ail

## *Plat Principal*

Médailles de Boeuf  
Sauce au Poivre

## *Dessert*

Fondant au Chocolat, Glace Vanille

## *Pour Finir*

Assiette de Fromage et ses Biscuits

*Bon Appétit!*