

Wednesday Evening Dinner Social Wednesday, 8 October 2008



**TAYLOR'S®
PORT**

On the south bank of the Douro River, where the waters gently lap against the Vila Nova de Gaia Promenade, port wine lodges and cellars can be found blended neatly into the bold granite and intricate arcades of this charming riverside community.

It is here, in the oasis of Taylor's Port Lodge, where one steps inside the domain of Três Séculos Restaurant - the perfect space to please and welcome, which offers refined gastronomy, skilful friendly service and the best port wine. Surrounded by leafy quarters, resistant to the city's influence, Três Séculos elegant interiors lie within beautiful natural gardens; an ambiance that lends luxury to grand banquets.



Our dinner location has spectacular views over old Porto and proclaimed World Estate Area by Unesco; being a pleasure that daily renovates to indulge yourselves with the spectacular views to the riverside Porto zone known as "Ribeira".

Founded in 1692 by Job Bearsley, Taylor's is now over 300 years old and is accepted by most wine authorities to be the greatest of all port shippers, famous especially for its sublime and long-lived Vintage port or old, distinguished Tawny ports.

When we arrive at Taylor's, we will enjoy a variety of welcoming hors d'oeuvres such as codfish balls, meat balls, "chamuças", vegetable pies, pâtés, and cheeses. For the main course, there will be beef, fish and vegetarian and options, followed by the almond and sweet egg cream pie and Douro almond and fresh cream charlotte, with hot chocolate sauce for desert ... and of course, with the best selection of Taylor's port wines.



Itinerary

- 6:30 pm -- Buses begin departing the Porto Palacio Hotel, buses will park in front of the hotel, on the street.
- 7:00 pm -- Last bus departs the hotel
 - Welcome Reception at Taylor's
 - Tour of Taylor's caves
 - Sit-down dinner
- 11:00 pm -- Last bus will return to the hotel by 11:00 pm