

# The Robert Burns Scholarship Fund in Association with DAAssociatesPR & The Hudson House NY Presents



  
HUDSON HOUSE  
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Friday  
Oct 14th • 6-9:30p  
The Hudson  
House Distillery  
West Park, NY

Welcome to our Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration featuring the world renowned "King of Latin Jazz" **Tito Puente Jr.** with the Latin Jazz Express and the Dojo Dancers. Performing for our 1st Annual Mambo Harvest Celebration- Celebrating the 2022 Harvest & our Hudson Valley Farmers! Proceeds benefitting the Robert Burns Scholarship Fund.

This Celebration is part of our ongoing series of events including the annual Robbie Burns Supper to be held here at the Hudson House on Fri. Jan 27th, 2023 benefitting the Robert Burns Scholarship Fund. Reservations Recommended. Reserve online @ eventbrite. A very special thanks to our Hosts Charles and Melissa, proprietors of the Hudson House and to James Chapman, proprietor of the Rhinecliff for his co-creation of the Robbie Burns Supper and for his vision, smiles and liberal pour over the years. Now residing in Roxbury, NY proprietor of Chappie's Good Food and the Olde Mill Restaurant.

The Robert Burns Scholarship Fund Inc, a newly formed non profit 501c-3 organization, is an annual scholarship supporting the study of distillery sciences in the Hudson Valley, given in memory of Gable Erenzo, in acknowledgement of Gable and Ralph Erenzo's contributions to the distilling industry in the Hudson Valley." Gable "Gabe" Erenzo, a spirits innovator paved the way for craft distilling in the Hudson Valley. Gable and his father Ralph created two nationally popular spirits brands: Hudson Whiskey and Tuthilltown Spirits. He also was the owner of local bar Gardiner Liquid Mercantile in Ulster County. Gable passed away unexpectedly last year.

The Puente name is synonymous with Latin music, Tito Jr. is on a mission to bring his father's music to the world. "My father's big band arrangements from the 1940s and 1950s brought the horn sections and combined them with the Afro-Cuban sounds of the conga, timbale and the bongo." For many listeners, the gateway into the musical world of Puente was through the song "Oye Como Va." Originally released in 1963, it was picked up and recorded by guitarist Carlos Santana in 1970.

The Latin Jazz Express Dance Band a Hudson Valley crowd favorite, kicks off the evening while dancers from

the Dojo Dance Company will be giving a pre-concert dance lesson in Salsa and dancing during the concert as well with willing audience members.

The Dojo Dance Company is a dance school that performs and teaches Argentine Tango & Latin Rhythms. Dojo's main goals are to share cultural values, create community through dance and improve life style by inspiring people to move. Join us and get your dance to the next level!  
[www.dojodancecompany.com](http://www.dojodancecompany.com)



We Invite You to Join us in this Endeavor as a founding Member of the Robert Burns Scottish Society of the Hudson Valley. Please make your tax-deductible contribution tonight and Join us as an "Honorary Member." Your Donations This Evening to Support this Event and The Robbie Burns Scholarship Fund are Appreciated. The Robert Burns Scholarship Fund is a project of the Robert Burns Scottish Society of the Hudson Valley.

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**We Invite you to Join us for our 14th Annual Robbie Burns Supper, Fri. Jan 27th as we celebrate his birth and life's work. Hosted by the world renowned Hudson Valley Storyteller Jonathan Kruk with Piper extraordinaire Jeremy Freeman & Special guests. Robbie Burns Suppers are celebrated across the globe around this date every year.**

**Robert Burns** (25 January 1759 – 21 July 1796), also known as **Rabbie Burns**, was a Scottish poet and lyricist. Widely regarded as the national poet of Scotland, a pioneer of the Romantic movement, an inspiration to the founders of liberalism and socialism. Celebration of his life and work became almost a national charismatic cult during the 19th and 20th centuries. As well as making original compositions he also collected folk songs. His "Auld Lang Syne" is sung on New Year's, and "Scots Wha Hae" is as an unofficial national anthem. Other poems and songs that remain well known include "A Red, Red Rose", "A Man's a Man for A' That", "To a Louse", "To a Mouse", "The Battle of Sherramuir", "Tam o' Shanter" and "Ae Fond Kiss".

*As it turns out Robert Burns created a poem about drink!*

## Scotch Whisky- The Water of Life! (abbreviated version)

Gie him strong drink until he wink  
That's sinking in despair  
An' liquor guid to fire his bluid  
That's prest wi' grief an' care  
There let him bowse, and deep carouse  
Wi' bumpers flowing o'er  
Till he forgets his loves or debts  
An' minds his griefs no more  
Let other poets raise a fracas  
'Bout vines, an' wines, an' drucken Bacchus  
An' crabbit names an' stories wrack us  
An' grate our lug  
I sing the juice Scotch bear can mak us  
In glass or jug  
O thou, my Muse! guid auld Scotch drink!  
Whether thro' wimplin worms thou jink  
Or, richly brown, ream owre the brink  
In glorious faem  
Inspire me, till I lisp an' wink  
To sing thy name!  
Let husky wheat the haughs adorn  
An' aits set up their awnie horn  
An' pease an' beans, at e'en or morn

Perfume the plain  
Leeze me on thee, John Barleycorn  
On thee aft Scotland chows her cood  
In souple scones, the wale o' food!  
Or tumblin' in the boiling flood  
Wi' kail an' beef  
But when thou pours thy strong  
heart's blood  
There thou shines chief  
Food fills the wame, an' keeps us leevin'  
Tho' life's a gift no worth receivin'  
When heavy-dragg'd wi' pine an' grievin'  
But oil'd by thee  
The wheels o' life gae down-hill, scrievin'  
Wi' rattlin' glee  
Thou clears the head o' doited Lear  
Thou cheers the heart o' drooping Care  
Thou strings the nerves o' Labor sair  
At's weary toil  
Thou ev'n brightens dark Despair  
Wi' gloomy smile  
Aft, clad in massy siller weed  
Wi' gentles thou erects thy head  
Yet, humbly kind in time o' need  
The poor man's wine  
His wee drap parritch, or his bread  
Thou kitchens fine  
Thou art the life o' public haunts  
But thee, what were our fairs and rants?  
Ev'n godly meetings o' the saunts  
By thee inspir'd  
When, gaping, they besiege the tents

Are doubly fir'd  
That merry night we get the corn in  
O sweetly, then, thou reams the horn in!  
Or reekin' on a New-year mornin'  
In cog or bicker  
An' just a wee drap sp'ritual burn in  
An' gusty sucker!  
When Vulcan gies his bellows breath  
An' ploughmen gather wi' their graith  
O rare! to see the fizz an' freath  
I' th' lugget caup!  
Then Burnewin comes on like death  
At every chaup.  
Nae mercy, then, for airn or steel  
The brawnie, bainie, ploughman chiel  
Brings hard owrehip, wi' sturdy wheel  
The strong forehammer  
Till block an' studdie ring an' reel  
Wi' dinsome clamour.  
When skirlin' weanies see the light  
Thou maks the gossips clatter bright  
How fumblin' cuifs their dearies slight  
Wae worth the name  
Nae howdie gets a social night  
Or plack frae them.  
When neibors anger at a plea  
An' just as wud as wud can be  
How easy can the barley-brie  
Cement the quarrel!  
It's aye the cheapest lawyer's fee  
To taste the barrel.

*The Hudson House New York in West Park, NY is the first of its kind waterfront destination distillery. A craft distillery in the cellar of a former monastery, event space and soon-to-be-boutique hotel that is located in the heart of the Hudson Valley. Situated on an iconic 27-acre waterfront property enabling both land and water access, The Hudson House is home to a one-of-a-kind farm distillery, producing ultra-premium, limited batch spirits. Ales will also be on tap, Specialty drinks and Hudson House Distiller's own whiskeys will be available for sale and tasting.*

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