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Chef Gordon Ramsay has his sights set on more Michelin stars, this time in Bordeaux.



Gordon Ramsay Lands in Bordeaux

Gordon Ramsay, enfant terrible celebrity chef, restaurateur and television star, has signed on to run Le Pressoir d'Argent, the gourmet restaurant in the Grand Hotel de Bordeaux & Spa. With culinary all-stars like Joël Robuchon and Nicolas Masse already cooking in the world-class wine region, the battle for Michelin stars in Bordeaux is about to get hotter than Hell's Kitchen. Is Ramsay excited? [Yes, Chef!](#)



NATE NAPIERALA
Lorenzo Trefethen enjoys the spoils of ... second place.



Trefethen Family Porsche on the Podium

Life in the wine industry is a winding road, full of ups and downs and a few hairpin turns. Just ask the folks at Trefethen Family Vineyards, who were hit hard by the Napa earthquake last year, but are celebrating after winery executive vice president Loren "Lorenzo" Trefethen's latest success at the racetrack. [Get the results.](#)



• POPE FRANCIS' FAVORITE WINE BAR

The Catholic church has sanctioned its first official wine bar since the Marriage at Cana. [Holy see for yourself.](#)

• BERINGER VINEYARDS TURNS KROGER INTO A STRIP CLUB

"Taste strips" are coming to Kroger supermarkets where Beringer wines are sold. [Do they contain alcohol?](#)