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“  
*We've created a place  
where sports fans and  
fine dining foodies  
can come together.*

— Teemu Selanne

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### Kevin Pratt and Teemu Selanne

**Coto de Caza Golf & Racquet Club,**  
Coto de Caza, Calif.

**Members since:** Pratt, 1998; Selanne, 2001

**Who they are:** Co-owners of Selanne Steak Tavern and the adjacent retail TS Gourmet Shoppe in Laguna Beach, Calif.

**How it happened:** Retired NHL great Selanne had dreamed of owning a restaurant, and when he learned his good friend, Orange County businessman Pratt, had the same idea, they joined forces. “Here we are a few years later with a restaurant in one of the most beautiful locations in Southern California,” Pratt says.

**What they offer:** The upscale tavern serves modern American fare and artisanal cocktails and boasts a wine list lauded by *Wine Spectator*. TS Gourmet Shoppe stocks many of the oils and seasonings used in menu items, as well as hockey memorabilia. “There’s a little something for everyone to take home,” Selanne says.

**A day in the life:** Both men oversee operations and Selanne sometimes slips behind the bar to mix drinks. “I love meeting the people who are dining with us.”

— PAUL A. FELPS

From left,  
Kevin Pratt  
and Teemu  
Selanne