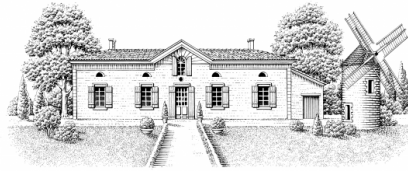


CHÂTEAU HAUT-BRULY



Château Haut-Bruly 2022

AOP Saint-Emilion grand cru, Bordeaux, France

A tiny production just 12 000 "or so" bottles, this property is firmly in the garagiste camp. The wine is sourced from just 2.36 hectares of vineyards, located on a top spot of the south-eastern part of the Saint Emilion plateau. The vines are only Merlot with vine age typically 25 to 30 years. A superb wine.

TERROIR

Clays and clay-limestone soils

IN THE VINEYARD

Harvested by plots and grape varieties selections

HARVEST

08/09/2022

WINEMAKING

Gravity flow winemaking with temperature control

Pre-fermenting maceration

From 25 to 30 days maceration

AGEING

Aged in French oak barrels (20 to 40% new oak barrels) from 12 to 14 months

VARIETAL

Merlot 100%

TECHNICAL DATA

Surface area of the vineyard: 2.52 ha

Contains sulphites.

SERVING

Serve at room temperature.

ON THE PALATE

Liquorice, ink and orange peel on the palate along with pepper and spice. Rather soft tannins, this wine has a big extraction for the full and ripe fruit to live up to. There is an appealing texture, with a little freshness, this is delicious stuff.

FOOD PAIRINGS

This is a perfect partner for red meat, such as lamb or beef. But it is also great on its own.

REVIEWS AND AWARDS

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91/100

"Dark cherries, graphite and a touch of tar, smoked herbs and black spices. Fruity then lightly chewy on the palate with a firm grip at the end. Slightly attenuated but should be better in two more years when the wine unwinds with more length and the tannins round off further."

James Suckling



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