PETIT MÉTRIS 'CLOS DE LA MARCHE' SAVENNIÈRES

2022

Country France

Region Loire

Varietal

Cabernet Franc

Winemaker

Pascal & Hervé Renou

Alcohol Content

13%

Total Sulfur

No data

Residual Sugar

Acidity

No data No data

HISTORY

Founded in 1784, Vignerons Idependent Domaine du Petit Métris is situated in le Grand Beauvais hameau, near the village of St Aubin-de-Luigné. Known as the "pearl of Layon" they are situated in the heart of the Chaume and Quarts de Chaume appellations.

Covering 30 hectares (72% Chenin Blanc, 15% Cabernet Franc, 10% Grolleau and some Gamay and Chardonnay), today, 6th generation brothers Pascal and Hervé Renou run the family winery today.

Pascal primarily in the vineyards and Hervé in the cellar. All wines are fermented exclusively with indigenous yeasts.

VINIFICATION and MATURATION

Hand-harvested and de-stemmed, stainless steel tanks for fermentation with indigenous yeasts for 2 months, 30% of the wine is aged stainless tanks, 70% in neutral French oak barrels. Both on fine lees for 8 months. The wine is filtered, rested for one month before bottling.



VINEYARD

Schist, tuffeau and gravel soils from a plot in Anjou. Organic practices, dry farmed. No ploughing between rows, maximum biodiversity in the soils and attracting pollinators. All in accordance with Terra Vitis regulations.



TASTING NOTES

Rich in cherry and black currant, pomegranate with undertones of anisette. Berry flavors persist on the palate with notes of peppery spice. Balanced acidity and gentle tannins.



FOOD PAIRING

Pan roasted duck breast, grilled rack of lamb, mushroom stroganoff, ratatouille.



