



WEIN VOM LEITHABERG

Neuburger Privat 2017

Origin:	Austria, Burgenland, Leithaberg, Eisenstadt
Site:	Eisenstaedter single vineyard Golden Erd
Site Type:	hilly land
Varietal:	Neuburger 26 - 41 years 44 liter/ha
Geographical Orientation:	south east
Sea Level:	180 - 220 m
Soil:	calcareous large brown earth humus medium coarse surface



Vineyard Site:

This very special, small vineyard parcel is located within in the larger Ried Feiersteig. It was documented in the mountain ledgers of 1579 as the best vineyard parcel. This southeast-facing vineyard is characterised by pure, coarse-grained Leithakalk (Leitha shell limestone) with shallow humus cover. In this particularly meagre soil, the vines thrust their roots deep and produce grape bunches with small, aromatic grape berries. Cool breezes from the adjacent forest create a unique microclimate that lends wines depth, length and an inimitable aroma.



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Weather / Climate

Climate: pannonic

Cellar

Harvest: handpicked | September 9
Bottling: natural cork | June 18, 2018 | 732 bottles
70 x 1.5 L

Data

Wine Type:	Still wine white dry
Alcohol:	13.5 %
Residual Sugar:	1 g/l
Acid:	5.7 g/l
Drinking Temperature:	9 - 11 °C

Awards

Falstaff:	94
A la Carte:	95
Gault Millau:	18

Wine Description

jugendliche Farbe, intensives Bukett, Grapefruit, Birne, am Gaumen gehaltvoller Wein, lebendige Struktur, guter Trinkfluss, fruchtiger Abgang, gute Länge, kandierte Mandeln im Rückaroma

Food Pairing

kräftige Speisen mit Geflügel und Fisch, auch mit pikanten Saucen, Hartkäse

Winery

Erwin Tinhof owns vineyards in Eisenstadt, that grow on the slopes of the Leitha Mountains. The grapes nurtured are indigenous varieties, and this has been so for 11 generations. The 15 hectare estate is cultivated in tune with local nature; Erwin Tinhof practises dry farming and does not apply any use of insecticides or herbicides, nor artificial fertilisation, to any of his vines. The estate vineyards are up to 50 years old, and contain grape varieties that are virtually completely Austria, such as the white Neuburger and Weißburgunder (Pinot blanc) as well as the black varieties Blaufränkisch and increasingly Sankt Laurent. The wines are produced from estate vineyards and following a hand harvest and winemaking with minimal intervention, the wines are bottled in the Tinhof winery. Effective from the 2012 harvest, the winery became a certified naturally organic producer.