YWAIN Merlot 2019

IGT Weinberg Dolomiten / Vigneti delle Dolomiti



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Wine Description

Vivid ruby red. Fruity bouquet: red berries, raspberries, cherries and currant, hints of green bell pepper and black pepper. Rich and mouth-coating, velvety tannins and lively acidity play together harmoniously.

Wine Type: Still wine | red | dry

Alcohol: 13.5% Residual Sugar: 1 g/l Acid: 4.6 g/l

Certificates: vegan, organic, bio-dynamic

Allergens:sulfitesDrinking Temperature:16 - 18 °CAging Potential:12 years

Award

Falstaff: 92

Vineyard

Origin: Italy, South Tyrol, Bozen & Umgebung, Bozen

Quality grade: IGT Weinberg Dolomiten / Vigneti delle Dolomiti

Site: St. Justina Schwarhof "Zypresse" (1990), St. Justina

Kohlerhof "Braun" (2000)

Site Type: hillside

Varietal: Merlot 100 % | 24 years
Geografical Orientation: south east, south
Sea Level: 470 - 480 m

Soil: moraine deposits | large | top soil

sand | medium | top soil loam | medium | top soil Porphyr | large | sub soil

Weather / Climate

Climate: alpin, mediteranian

Harvest and Maturing

Harvest: handpicked | 16 kg cask

Fermentation: spontaneous with pied de cuve

Malolactic Fermentation: yes

Fermentation Process: délestage | 1 - 3 x day | Duration: 5 days

pump over | 1 x day | Duration: 18 days

Maturing: 20 % | barrique | 225 L | new barrel | 12 month(s)

80 % | barrique | 225 L | used barrel | 12 month(s)

Bottling: glass cork | April 27, 2021 | 1400 bottles

Product Codes

EAN: 8032130029059

Curiosity

In 1973 a romantic fresco cycle from the 13th century was uncovered in the castle of Rodengo, near Brixen. These frescos tell the first part of the French-Celtic saga of Hartmann von Aue about the knight "Iwein" or "Ywain". It is the eponym for our Merlot, also for its obvious similarity to the name wine.

Food Pairing

Goes very well with game dishes, piquant cheese, strong pasta and creamy risotti.

Vintage 2019

Satisfied with Quality and Quantity Lively, Fresh Wines Filled with Character After a capricious winegrowing year with some extreme weather conditions, the ideal autumn weather before the beginning of harvesting led to a good harvest with some promising quality. (Südtirol Wein)