



Freisprung Weißburgunder 2023

Rauschnitt Weine

Origin: Austria, Burgenland, Leithaberg, Breitenbrunn
Quality grade: Landwein
Site Type: hilly land
Varietal: Weißburgunder 100 % | 34 years | single guyot
Geographical Orientation: south east
Soil: limestone from Leitha



Weather / Climate

Climate: pannonic
Rainfall 2023: 700 hours
Sunshine 2023: 2000 hours

Vintage description:

The 2023 vintage was characterized by warmth and abundant rainfall. Temperatures remained above average throughout the year, yet without extreme heat peaks - the maximum reached around 34 °C. Heavy rain in spring, August, and late autumn helped to replenish Lake Neusiedl. Despite the warmth, the wet conditions slowed ripening, leading to a harvest from mid to late September. Even after picking, the weather stayed mild and rainy - a vintage combining ripeness with refreshing balance.

Cellar

Harvest: handpicked | September 12
Grape Sorting: manual
Malolactic Fermentation: yes
Sulfur Added: yes
Mazeration: squashed | 5 hour(s) | with stems: yes
Press: pneumatic
Fermentation: spontaneous
large wooden barrel | 500 L | used barrel | 3 week(s)
Filter: unfiltered
Maturing: large wooden barrel | 500 L | used barrel | 11 month(s)
Batonnage: 1 time per month
Bottling: natural cork | Aug. 9, 2024 | 600 bottles
SO2 added: 15 mg



Data

Wine Type:	Still wine white dry
Alcohol:	12.5 %
Acid:	5 g/l
Residual Sugar:	< 1 g/l
PH Value:	3.43
Total Sulfur:	< 10 mg
Allergens:	sulfites

Winery

We are Michael Nittnaus and Mathias Rauscher, a East-West connection from Vorarlberg all the way to Burgenland. Because of our mutual passion for wine, we decided to start the RauSchnitt Weine project in 2019. It includes 4 vineyards, in total 0.6 hectares in Breitenbrunn and Purbach, Leithaberg, Burgenland. Syrah, Weißburgunder, and Grüner Veltliner grow on limestone and Blaufränkisch on schist. We started to farm the vineyards organically in 2019, but are not certified.