



Wijnfiche

Artner – Höflein Rot | Carnuntum Austria (NIEDERÖSTERREICH) – 2020

Domain

Weingut Artner

All vineyards of Weingut Artner are located in Carnuntum (Lower Austria), a wine-growing region situated on the banks of the Danube River between the cities of Vienna and Bratislava (Slovakia). The history of the winery dates back to the mid-17th century. Since 1980, the family has stepped up their game and focused on producing authentic quality wines with character. Weingut Artner is run by 2 brothers and their nephew: Hannes, Peter, and Christoph. The total vineyard counts 40 hectares and is, since the 2021 vintage, organically certified.

Vinification

The name "Cuvée Barrique" was created in 1980 to refer to the Bordeaux style wines. Recently, it was renamed Höflein Rot to meet contemporary appellation standards. All grapes are sourced from the Bühlweingarten and Ried Aubühl, vineyards with gravelly loam and loess soils with lime-rich inclusions. Aged in wood for 1 year. Only use of old wooden barrels.

Taste

Muted ruby red, cassis and sour cherry in the nose, fruit and structure harmonize very well, juicy soft tannins, delicately roasted and full-bodied, fine acid structure, a lot of fruit in the finish, ideal food companion

Food pairing

Pork - roasted | Vegetable platter | Casserole - wild | Cheese - aged

General information

Type: Red wine

Grape varieties: Zweigelt (60%), Merlot (20%), Blaufrankisch (20%)

Viticulture: Traditional

Storage (years): + 5-7

Serving temperature: 16-18 °C

Taste profile: Elegant refined

