Château Couhins-Lurton

ACTE II

Château Couhins-Lurton Acte II White 2022

AOC Pessac-Léognan, Bordeaux, France

PRESENTATION

This is undoubtedly the quintessential Bordeaux single-vineyard wine. Sauvignon Blanc on this very special terroir, where gravel outcrops onto clay-limestone subsoil, expresses itself with a precision and breed that make this classified growth unique.

THE VINTAGE

WEATHER CONDITIONS

2022 was a particularly atypical year due to extreme weather conditions. In addition to a very early frost in the spring, which affected the vineyard just as the vines were starting to bud, there was a long period of exceptional drought from May until the end of September. The result was low yields and a perfect state of health at harvest time throughout the vineyard.

HARVEST

25 August - 08 September 2022

THE WINE

VARIETALS

Sauvignon blanc 100%

ALCOHOL CONTENT

14.5 % vol.

TASTING

A very lovely pale yellow colour.
Quite intense, the nose exhales smoky notes, mixed with delicate citrus aromas (grapefruit, lemon, etc.).
Sweetness and roundness are present from the outset. The mid-palate is full-bodied and freshness that balances out the wine's fullness. The citrus notes on the nose follow us here, blending harmoniously with a few white fruit (pear) that come to the fore as the tasting progresses. The pleasant freshness adds length to this Act II.

FOOD PAIRINGS

Oyster platter, salmon chiffonnade, langoustine tartar, seafood kebabs

SERVING

Serve between 12°C and 14°C.

AGEING POTENTIAL

3 to 5 years

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THE VINEYARD

TERROIR

Clay and limestone soil.

SURFACE AREA OF THE VINEYARD

1 ha

AGE OF VINES

15 years old

IN THE VINEYARD

Pruning type: Guyot Double.
Grape Harvest: Manual harvest.

THE CELLAR

WINEMAKING

Fermentation in stoneware barrels and amphoras (Clayvers).

AGEING

Aged in barrels and amphoras for 8 months.

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