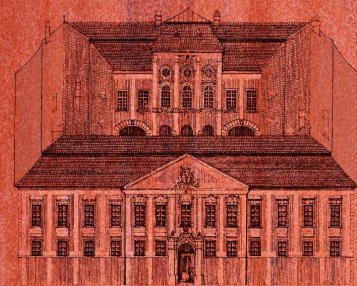




SCHLOSS GOBELSBURG WEINKULTurerbe ÖSTERREICHs



VINTAGE 2012 | Sparkling Wine

ORIGIN & METHOD: The VINTAGE style at Schloss Gobelsburg is a homage to the art of craftsmanship in respect to the past centuries of the estate. A minimum of ten years on the lees is required to achieve its finesse and elegance. It is only produced in years of outstanding grape quality (2001, 2004, 2008, 2010, 2012). Harvested in the vineyards Heiligenstein, Gaisberg, Lamm and Grub at the perfect moment, transported in small boxes and immediately pressed, whereby only the heart of the must is used. After 12 months of cask storage, it is bottled for the second fermentation. It matures for at least ten years in the bottle, developing a rich texture, until it is hand riddled and then disgorged.

CHARACTER: It offers a complex but fresh bouquet with delicate smoky notes intermixed with lemony and yeasty aromas. Full-bodied, round and complex on the palate, this is a dry and vinous sparkling wine with stimulating lemon aromas on the pure, clear and fresh finish. It is impressive and a great food match.

WINE LIST-DESCRIPTION: Our VINTAGE is the companion for those special moments in life. A true "Grand Reserve", perfectly balanced sparkling wine based on the typical varieties of the estate. Rich and fresh & long and dry.

Appellation & Category _ _ _ _ _ Sekt Austria Große Reserve NÖ g.U. Langenlois
Grape Variety _ _ _ _ _ Grüner Veltliner, Riesling, Pinot Noir
Soil _ _ _ _ _ Primary Rock (Perm, Gneis, Loess)
Harvest _ _ _ _ _ by hand, in small boxes, in September 2012
Pressing _ _ _ _ _ whole bunch pressing
Fermentation still wine _ _ _ _ _ Stainless steel
Maturation _ _ _ _ _ Austrian (Manhartsberg) Oak Cask (25 h l)
2. Fermentation _ _ _ _ _ 10 years on the lees, in the bottle
Statistics _ _ _ _ _ 12%, Extra Brut (3 grams)
Bottle sizes _ _ _ _ _ 75cl

SCHLOSS GOBELSBURG a Cistercian monastic estate, is one of the oldest wineries in the Austrian Danube area with a documented history that dates back to 1171. All the vineyards are located on slopes and terraces around the valley of the river Kamp near the town of Langenlois and the village of Gobelsburg. Schloss Gobelsburg specialises in Grüner Veltliner and Riesling and produces authentic and noble wines from different single vineyard, village and regional appellations. The winery is member of the association 'Österreichische Traditionsweingüter', which is working on a vineyard classification project for the Danube area.



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