

France, AOP Sancerre | 2020

SANCERRE ROUGE LES BELLES VIGNES

”Velvet Loire’s Pinot Noir”

Story

The grapes for this wine come from the twelve Terres Blanches and Caillottes vineyards, offering the best Pinot Noir can offer in the Sancerre area. The vines are planted on steep slopes and in different directions of sunlight, which brings diversity to the wine. Grape bunches are carefully selected by hand and only the best is accepted. Whole bunches are macerated in the cold for a week and alcoholic fermentation and malolactic fermentation takes place in steel tanks. The finished wine is matured for 12 to 18 months in oak casks from Bourgogne. Year 2020 gave plenty of colour and silky tannins.

Producer

Fournier Père & Fils has been recognized as one of the world's top 100 wine producers for two consecutive years. This recognition significantly reflects the expertise, understanding, and passion for quality that has been the cornerstone of the winery since its inception in 1926 in Verdigny, at the heart of Sancerre. The history of the estate is deeply intertwined with the entire Sancerre region, and its wines are best enjoyed as companions to gourmet-level cuisine, embodying authentic French savoir-faire, traditions, and heritage. Though Sauvignon Blanc has found its way into many corners of the wine world, often with great success, tasting the wines of Fournier Père & Fils can easily evoke the idea of this grape variety's original home. Its name might not be found on the label; you have to know it. After all, we are in France. However, much has evolved since the time of Hélène and Léon Fournier: traditional values are still honored, yet today's cellar is equipped like a winemaker's paradise, merging expertise with determination as Fournier competes at the level of the world's best wines."

COLOR Ruby red

AROMA Cherries can be spotted in the fragrance, raspberries, strawberry jam, leather, vanilla and red pepper.

TASTE The taste is velvety with berries, rich, lightly spicy, long and well-balanced.

TIPS FOR USE Sancerre Les Belles Vignes Rouge pairs well with white meat, cold cuts, grilled duck breast, with ratatouille and mild cheeses.


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| WINE TYPE | Red wines | PACKAGE SIZE | 6 bottle(s) |
| GRAPES | Pinot Noir 100% | BOTTLE CLOSING | Natural cork |
| MANUFACTURER | Domaine Fournier Pere & Fils | BOTTLE SIZE | 0,75 l |
| ALCOHOL CONTENT | 13% | PRODUCT NUMBER | 232004 |

Norex Responsibility Indicator: Domaine Fournier Pere & Fils



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