

Vignerons de Caractère

Vin de Pays des Portes de la Méditerranée

Culture Sud Red



Founded in 1957, the Cave de Vacqueyras is one of the youngest cooperative wineries in France. It is located on the great Terroir of Vacqueyras, which obtained the "Cru" appellation in 1990.

In 1997, the Cave invested in a second winery in order to vinify grapes from individual owners separately under their own estate names. This enables the Cave de Vacqueyras to sell authentic estate wines at reasonable prices.

Location : Between the villages of Vacqueyras, Sarrians and Beaumes-de-Venise.

Terroir : Pebbly terraces laid on clay and sand.

Age of the vines : 25 years

Yields : 48 HI/Ha – 2.50T/ acre

Grape varieties : 50% Grenache / 50% Syrah

Vinification : Harvest at maturity from the bays for a perfect expression of the particular character of the grape varieties

Winemaker : Serge Ollivier

Owner : Group of producers

Type of ageing : The harvest is destemmed and trampled, then made into wine traditionally in vats at a controlled temperature.

Tasting note : This wine, garnet colour, expresses to the nose the fruitiness of the Grenache married with the intensity of the Syrah. In the mouth, the fullness and freshness combines with the aromas of small red fruits and liquorice, in order to provide you with a maximum of pleasure.

Accompaniment advice : Will perfectly suit a roasted saddle of lamb, duck aiguillettes with green peppercorns, small stuffed vegetables.

Awards/Comments : 2009: 86 Wine Spectator "Juicy, direct notes of black cherry, tobacco and herb linger on the medium-weight finish. Grenache and Syrah. Drink now. 27,549 cases made. –JM"