



Chateau La Clare 2017

AOC Médoc

Owned by Paul de Rozières from 1960 to 2001, Château La Clare is a homogeneous plot of 10 ha planted on one of Bégadan best ridge. Jean Guyon definitely has an incomparable flair for awakening the best hidden terroir. Noticed during the first Crus Bourgeois classification in 1932 and recognised in 1978, Château La Clare offers all the traits of a Cru Bourgeois but with added affordability.

Vintage 2017

Situated between the Atlantic and the estuaire de la Gironde, our vineyards have been once again spared from the weather tantrums. Following a hot and dry summer, early September rain came in good time and harvest was picked in ideal conditions with cool nights and warm days. As a result we picked ripe but juicy grapes with great aromas.

Vineyards

A 10 ha (25 acres) vineyard located on a sand-gravel hilltop terroir. The vines are on average 25 years old, the density is 7.500 plants per hectare. Double Guyot pruning. Sustainable farming with carefully managed soils and enherbed rows.

Blend

Merlot - Cabernet Sauvignon - Cabernet Franc

Harvest Information

Hand-picked, machine and manual grape sorting.

Winemaking

Thermo-regulated stainless steel and cement tanks. Cold pre-fermentation maceration, vatting during 4 to 5 weeks. Malolactic fermentation in tank.

Barrel ageing

Lees stirring for 3 months and maturation for 12 months : 50% in French oak barrels and 50% in tanks.

Yves Beck

88-91/100

Concours General Agricole de Paris

Silver medal



DOMAINES ROLLAN DE BY

J. Guyon

Domaines Rollan de By - Jean Guyon

18 Route de By - 33340 Bégadan - T. : 05 56 41 58 59 - infos@rollandeby.com - www.rollandeby.com