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VALCKENBERG
WEINHANDELSHAUS

Estate Red Riesling

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Producer


The Estate Baron Knyphausen is known as a Riesling pioneer and cultivates 12 hectares in the Rheingau region


Vintage report

The Knyphausen Team is expecting an outstanding vintage 2020. The year started with frequent rainfalls in spring, so the soil was able to store enough water for the hot summer days, that started in June and continued all the way into September. Harvest started with 100% healthy grapes, unusually early, in mid- September. The vintage is characterized by relatively high sugar levels and relatively low acidity, which will result in nicely balanced, structured and full-flavored wines.

Characteristics

 peach, apricot, ripe lemon.

 well integrated acidity, intense fruit, spicy finish.

 strong cheese

Facts

Grape Variety	Roter Riesling
Terroir	Riesling grapes from the best Rheingau vineyard sites
Appellation	Rheingau
Vinifikation	The red Riesling is a variant of the "white" Riesling with red grapes. It is nevertheless pressed as a white wine, since the grape skin does not provide sufficient colorant for red wine production.

Alcohol	Residual Sugar	Acidity
11 %vol	15.5 g/l	6.6 g/l

Award

87 - 89 pts. Falstaff



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