

Wehlener Sonnenuhr Riesling Auslese 2012




Produzent

Das berühmte Weingut Joh. Jos. Prüm wurde 1911 in Wehlen an der Mosel gegründet und ist eines der herausragenden Weißweinerzeuger Deutschlands.

Jahrgangsbericht

2012 in our part of the Mosel was marked by overall rather cool weather throughout much of the year, with some warmer episodes, but no real extremes. By mid-October Prüm was still expecting a predominately "Kabinett vintage", one with moderate ripeness and rather high acidity. However, summer-like weather surprised us at the end of October and our wait to harvest paid off. The sunny days pushed the ripening in the vineyards tremendously and harvest lasted until November 17th. The vintage was then "crowned" by the possibility to produce an Eiswein on December 12, in Graacher Himmelreich!

Charaktereigenschaften

-  floral aromas, apricot flavors
-  candied papaya, clove and a hint of smoky botrytis
-  Asian and spicy cuisine aswell as some richer main courses

Fakten

Rebsorte	Riesling
Terroir	Wehlener Sonnenuhr („Sonnenuhr“ literally means sundial) most famous and best vineyard of JJ Prüm; deep, weather-beaten grey slate soil, extreme steepness of 70%, south-southwest exposure; wines can be aged for years to express their fine minerality and depth
Appellation	Mosel
Vinifikation	grapes are hand-picked, single pole trellis, fermentation in stainless steel with wild yeast

Alkoholgehalt in %Vol
7.5 %

Prämierungen

- 97 points The Fine Wine Review
- 93 points Wine Enthusiast
- 93 points International Wine Report
- 92 points Stephen Tanzer

