



Château Peybonhomme-les-Tours

Les Vacances de Mr Merlot - 2019

AOC: Blaye-Côtes-de-Bordeaux Rouge

Vintage: 2019

Vol: 12.5 %

RS: 0 g/L

S02: 25 mg/L

Total Production: 6,300 bottles

Grapes: 100% Merlot

Soils: Clay-Gravel

Vegan: Yes

Allergens: None

Closure: Cork + Foil

Drinking Window: 2 - 3 years

Ethos: Certified Demeter Biodynamic

Producer: Brother and sister winemaking duo Rachel and Guillaume Hubert inherited Château Peybonhomme-Les-Tours in 1997 and immediately introduced biodynamic practices.

Their bright, accessible Bordeaux has been a long running favourite for customers of my wine tasting business, not just for the high quality, but also the affordable price. It's the only wine from my range that I do not have exclusivity over, but I have managed to keep the price competitive.

When I met with Rachel and Guillaume I was struck by the calibre of their wines across the full range

Viticulture and Vinification: Double guyot pruning, spontaneous winter grass cover. Spring tillage, plow one row out of two. Treatments combining Bordeaux mixture in small quantities with herbal teas such as horsetail or nettle. 30hl/ha. Fermentation with indigenous yeasts from the estate, pomace removed early so as not to extract any aggressive tannins. No Fining, no filtration and bottled on a fruit day.

Tasting: A mixture of red and black fruits on the nose with slight earthy notes and grippy tannins that create a chewy mouthfeel that make you crave another sip.



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