



GEORG BREUER

Wine profile

2016 GB ROSÉ – PINOT NOIR

Region

The Rheingau covers approximately 3.000 hectares of vineyards and is one of the smallest wine growing regions in Germany. The southerly exposed vineyard sites protected by the Taunus mountain range are a reliable source of one of the finest Riesling and Pinot Noir wines of the country.

Vintage

2016 will be remembered as a very difficult one! A strenuous fight to do everything right! A wet spring and heavy rainfall in June resulted in widespread and heavy downy mildew. As it finally dried up extreme temperatures in August led to partial sunburn of the grapes. All of these extremes resulted in very low yields! At least we were rewarded with lovely weather during autumn and brought home very few but beautiful grapes.

Grape variety

The right location and the vintner's skill is essential for Pinot Noir (Spätburgunder) to fully express its elegant aroma profile. Early harvest and gentle pressing result in a delicate Rosé resembling a lot of white wine characteristics.

Soils

Deep, gravelly clay soils with layers of quartz and slate prevail in these southerly exposed steep vineyard sites.

Wine estate

Implementing a strict quality philosophy Bernhard Breuer turned the family-owned wine estate with its 34 hectares into a leading estate in the Rheingau. Today it is managed by his daughter Theresa Breuer and production manager of many years, Hermann Schmoranz, with the assistance of cellar master Markus Lundén.

Wine description

Brilliant light pink with aromas of red fruit and a fresh acidity make this a nice aperitif option, especially in Stockholm with a view to die for! Hopefully the weather is nice!

Alcohol 11,5% · Residual sugar 5,0g/l · Total acidity 8,0g/l

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