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APPELLATIONS CUVÉES

LES BELLES VIGNES
SANCERRE BLANC AOP

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SANCERRE ROSÉ AOP

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SANCERRE ROUGE AOP

LES DEUX CAILLOUX
POUILLY-FUMÉ AOP

CÔTES DE MOROGUES
MENETOU-SALON BLANC AOP

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MENETOU-SALON ROUGE AOP

LES SABLONS
QUINCY AOP



Our Côtes de Morogues cuvée is a benchmark of the appellation. Born on the plateau and clay soil hills of the Moroques village, benefiting from various south and south-east exposures, Pinot Noir and Sauvignon Blanc thrive in this ideal environment.

The Menetou-Salon appellation stretches over a narrow strip of hills starting west of Sancerre and going up to the north east of the Bourges city.

The appellation covers 560 hectares of 'Terres Blanches' terroir of south facing hills tucked between the Pays Fort plateau and the Loire river plain.

Menetou Salon enjoys a long lasting history and was mentionned by Jacques Coeur in 1450. The diversity of the Terres Blanches terroir endows a legitimate identity to the Sauvignon Blanc and Pinot Noir.

Grape variety Sauvignon Blanc
Serving temperature 8 to 10°C
Ageing potential 2 to 4 years

WINEMAKING & AGEING

Planted on numerous steep hills with varying sun exposures, our vineyard requires a great deal of attention to get its essence. At harvest time, the daily tasting of the berries in each vineyard enables us precisely to choose the ideal picking date. The fermentation of the juices in temperature controlled tanks is followed by the ageing on fine lees (with a weekly batonnage) up to the bottling in the Spring following the harvest.

FOOD PAIRING

Seafood, citronella sea bream or a risotto with large prawns will release the potential of the Côtes de Morogues. Its sophisticated minerality will magnify your most delicate dishes.

TASTING NOTES

Pale yellow colour with green reflections. The nose reveals notes of apple blossom and almond, followed by pear, green apple and grapefruit. The mouthfeel is soft and fresh, with a subtle hint of citrus fruit enhanced by a saline minerality. Thr fruit-forward finish is fresh and releases persistent spicy nuances.

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The vines, planted in the communes of Parassy, Morogues and Humbligny, thrive on Kimmeridgian soils. The 2023 harvest was a generous one, so we monitored the parcels very closely to determine the best harvest dates and allow the grapes to reach the winery at optimum ripeness.

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