

N°23 - International edition

VertdeVin®

MAGAZINE

Special dossier

BORDEAUX EN PRIMEURS

one of the greatest vintages of the last 50 years

What to drink this summer?

**BOURGOGNE, LOIRE,
LANGUEDOC,
PROVENCE ROSÉ
SESSIONS**

Great wine lists
4
selected
restaurants

Economic focus

THE CHINESE MARKET

Focus on

CAMPANIA WINES

Discover one the greatest Maremma winery

MONTEVERRO

A german wine lover in New Zealand

SCHUBERT WINERY

Bordeaux, Bourgogne, Loire, Provence, Languedoc, Rhône, Campania, Umbria,
Prosecco, Derthona Timorasso, Austria, Central Europe, Rioja, Basilicata...

+ 1 900 WINE REVIEWS

*Selection by Vertdevin :
Don't forget to book your ticket!*

LEARN EVERYTHING
ABOUT
**GRAŠEVINA
GRAPE**



Loire white wines

gooseberries, as well as a sweetness of candied lemon zest and acacia flowers. After aeration, the wine also expresses a mineral note of dry stone and a slightly smoky touch. On the palate, the wine offers freshness and lightness with a salty mineral touch on the finish. It expresses notes of lime, lime zest, lemon, green apple, gooseberries and apple blossom. The finish is medium-long, but chiselled, very tart and fresh, with a hint of bitterness. A straightforward and refreshing wine.
Score : 14.5+/20 (88/100)

Isabelle et Pierre Clément - Classique 2022 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color. The nose is aromatic, pure and tangy. It expresses notes of green apple, green pear, fresh quince, lemon, gooseberries, white flowers (field flowers, apple blossoms) as well as a fine mineral touch (flint) in the background. On the palate, the wine offers concentration, ripe and fresh fruits, as well as roundness and a beautiful structure. It expresses the flavors of fresh lemon, lime jam, crushed green apple, white peach, as well as refreshing touches of cut grass, mint (in the background) and white flowers (apple blossom, acacia). The finish is long, chiseled, with lively acidity and a certain roundness, on notes of fresh and candied citrus fruits and a delicate bitterness. There is also a more pronounced minerality at the end of the mouth. A refined, fresh, complex and well-structured wine.
Score : 15.75+/20 (91-92/100)

Roger Champault 2022 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color with green reflections. The nose is aromatic and mineral. It expresses aromas of flint, dry stone, as well as fruity notes: lemon, lime, white peach, green apple and green pear, combined with floral notes of apple blossom, acacia, as well as a fine peppery touch. On the palate, the wine offers fruit, a refined minerality (flint), combined with tangy notes of lime, lemon juice, grapefruit, green apple and crunchy apricot. The acidity is salivating and lively. Nice length, on citrus fruits, an expressive minerality and a slight salinity on the finish. A fragrant, dynamic and balanced wine.
Score : 15.5+/20 (91/100)

Joseph de Maistre - Prieuré de Saint-Céols, Cuvée Valentine 2020 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color. The nose is aromatic and offers a subtle minerality, a hint of bitterness, as well as juicy fruit. It expresses notes of ripe yellow peach, apricot, ripe yellow lemon, grapefruit zest, candied lime, as well as a precise mineral touch (wet stone, a hint of chalk), beeswax, chestnut honey with a delicate bitterness and flowers (lemon blossoms, apple blossoms, dried lime blossom, dried field flowers). On the palate, the wine offers a nice concentration and an expressive acidity. We find notes of fresh citrus fruits (yellow lemon, grapefruit), stone fruits (yellow peach, apricot), a touch of exotic fruits (fresh pineapple, passion fruit), flowers (apple blossom, acacia, dried lime), as well as a sweet touch of chestnut honey, beeswax and delicate spicy notes (cloves, ground vanilla). The finish is persistent, juicy and round, balanced by a lively and salivating acidity. On the finish, there are also notes of quince jam, crushed green apple and tea leaf (infusion), as well as a pleasant bitterness of grapefruit jam. A generous, balanced and complex wine.
Score : 16.75/20 (93-94/100)

Isabelle et Pierre Clément - La Dame de Châtenoy 2020 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color. The nose is a bit reserved, but expresses its complexity after aeration. It reveals slight notes of toast and brioche, brought by aging on lees, a beautiful minerality and tanginess, enveloped in a fresh and ripe fruity bouquet. The wine offers notes of warm brioche, dry yeast (in the background), a fine touch of toasted bread and a delicate milky hint (yogurt), associated with mineral (limestone) and fruity notes (lemon, lime, green apple, lemon zest, grapefruit). On the palate, the wine is straight, savoury, lively and chiselled. It expresses notes of dry yeast, brioche, toast, a slight touch of lemon cream, combined with fruity notes of fresh quince, lime, lemon, grapefruit, as well as slight mineral (limestone) and floral touches (acacia, lime blossom). The finish is long, it expresses more the bitterness of grapefruit and lime, than the yeasty notes, with a sweet touch of grapefruit jam in the background. Nice balance between a delicate roundness, fleshy

fruits and a salivating acidity which gives the wine a lot of energy.
Score : 16.5/20 (93/100)

Joseph Mellot - Clos du Pressoir 2022 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon color. The nose is fragrant, complex and refined. It expresses notes of fresh citrus (yellow lemon, pomelo), dried lemon zest, white peach, white nectarine, as well as floral notes (linden, apple blossom, hawthorn). There are also very subtle spicy touches (fresh ginger, nutmeg), as well as a fine minerality (chalk notes, as well as a saline touch). On the palate, the wine offers roundness, depth, concentration and liveliness. It expresses pronounced notes of ripe citrus fruits (yellow lemon, lemon zest, pomelo), stone fruits (white peach, tangy apricot), crushed green apple, reine claudie plum, as well as refreshing and refined herbaceous notes (fresh tea leaf, peppermint) and touches of white flowers (apple blossom, lime blossom). The finish is long, chiseled, with a sharp acidity. It expresses lively and refreshing citrus notes, a delicate bitterness and a mineral note of chalk on the finish. A wine with character, freshness and great concentration.
Score : 16+/20 (92-93/100)

Domaine La Gemière - La Pointe 2021 Menetou-Salon

The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color with green reflections. The nose is aromatic and fresh. It expresses tangy notes of citrus fruits (lime, lime zest, pomelo), green apple, green plum, tangy apricot, fresh quince, as well as elegant floral touches of apple blossom, acacia and orange blossom (in the background), combined with a touch of acacia honey and a fine hint of wax and dried field flowers. On the palate, the wine offers a

certain complexity, juiciness, freshness and a nice tangy structure. It expresses notes of fresh citrus (yellow lemon, lemon zest, pomelo), green plum, green apple, fresh quince, as well as floral notes of apple blossom and lime blossom. There is also a slight salinity and a smoky mineral hint of gunflint on the finish. Nice length, with a pleasant lime bitterness and a lively salivating acidity. A chiseled and fresh wine, with a beautiful fruity substance on the palate.
Score : 15+/20 (89-90/100)

Domaine Philippe Gilbert - Clos des Treilles 2020 Menetou-Salon

(organic) The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color. The nose is a bit reserved, and delicate, but offers complexity, freshness and a refined tangy frame. It expresses notes of fresh lemon, green apple, fresh quince, white peach, as well as a fragrant floral bouquet (apple blossom, acacia), subtle and integrated oaky notes (vanilla, toasted hazelnut, cloves), toasted brioche, fresh yeast, as well as herbs (lemon thyme, a touch of peppermint) and a hint of honey, limestone and iodine in the background. On the palate, the wine is chiseled and tangy. It expresses the flavors of lime, fresh lemon, green apple, fresh quince, combined with notes of citrus jam, fresh rhubarb, crisp white peach, with a herbaceous touch (lemon thyme, lemon verberna), floral (apple blossom, acacia) and mineral (slightly saline) in the background. The finish is lingering, with lively, salivating acidity and tart citrus notes. Beautiful energy and complexity.
Score : 16.25/20 (92-93/100)

Domaine Philippe Gilbert - Les Chandelières 2019 Menetou-Salon

(organic) The wine has a pale lemon-yellow color. The nose is a little reserved and requires aeration. It expresses notes of crushed green apple, roasted apple,

lemon, candied quince, tangy lime jam, grapefruit, as well as floral notes (dried field flowers, dried lime blossom, acacia, apple blossom), herbaceous (hay, mint in the background), mineral (dry stone, a touch of limestone) and yeasty (a delicate touch of fresh yeast and fresh bread in the background). On the palate, the wine offers freshness, a chiseled structure and a sharp acidity. It combines notes of fresh fruit (yellow lemon, grapefruit, green apple, fresh pineapple, white peach), herbs as well as notes of evolution (roasted apple, a touch of quince jelly, hay, wet leaves, wax of bee, a touch of honey). There are also notes of lemon jam, lime peel and candied grapefruit, dried field flowers and a fine minerality (dry stone, chalk) in the background. The finish is long and offers roundness and a lively tanginess. Nice balance and complexity.
Score : 16.75/20 (93-94/100)

