

Chardonnay 2023

Leithaberg DAC, Gebietswein

Wine Description

Our Chardonnay impresses with an elegant combination of fresh fruit and mineral notes. The nose reveals aromas of ripe apples, citrus fruits and fine herbs, while on the palate it presents itself with a creamy texture and balanced acidity. This wine perfectly reflects the terroir of the Leithaberg.

Tasting Notes

Light golden yellow, silver reflections. Inviting scent of golden delicious apple, orange blossom and zest, mineral note, stimulating bouquet. Juicy, elegant, delicately sweet tropical fruit at the core, tightly woven, salty-mineral in the aftertaste, already very harmonious, a multi-faceted companion at the table. (tasted by Peter Moser, Falstaff)

Food Pairing

Our Chardonnay goes well with a variety of dishes, especially those from Mediterranean cuisine. It goes well with grilled fish, poultry dishes or creamy pasta and risotto variations. It is also an excellent choice with mild cheese or fine starters.

Wine Type: still wine | white | dry

Alcohol:13%Residual Sugar: $3.3 \, \mathrm{g/l}$ Acid: $5.1 \, \mathrm{g/l}$ Certificates:veganAllergens:sulfitesDrinking Temperature: $10 - 12\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$

Aging Potential: medium (5 years)
Optimum Drinking Year: 2024 - 2028

Award

Falstaff: 93

Falstaff: Burgunder - Trophy - Sieger

Vineyard

Vineyard Site:

On the limestone and slate soils of the 2,995 hectare Leithaberg-DAC area, not only great white wines (Pinot Blanc, Chardonnay, Neuburger and Grüner Veltliner) but also top-class mineral Blaufränkisch wines thrive.

Origin: Austria, Burgenland, Leithaberg

Quality grade: Leithaberg DAC
Site: Leithaberg DAC

Normal Classification: Gebietswein Site Type: hilly land





Varietal: Chardonnay | 24 - 33 years

3300 - 4900 liter/ha

Sea Level: 116 - 356 m

Soil: limestone from Leitha

slate loam

Weather / Climate

Climate: pannonic
Average Hours of Sun per 2102 hours

Vintage:

Average Rainfall Per Vintage: 673 mm Rainfall 2023: 786 mm Sunshine 2023: 2084 hours

Harvest and Maturing

After the selective hand-picking, the grapes are destemmed and lightly crushed. A short maceration period of a few hours is followed by slow and gentle pressing. The resulting fresh must is naturally clarified by settling (sedimentation). Fermentation takes place with natural yeasts in large and small oak barrels. Following the alcoholic fermentation, the malolactic fermentation takes place and the wine is matured on full yeast for eight months. The young wine is then clarified/filtered and prepared for bottling.

Harvest: handpicked | September 19

Malolactic Fermentation: yes

Mazeration: destemmed and squashed

Fermentation: spontaneous

Pre Clarification: yes oak barrel | 500 - 1500 L

Skin Contact: 2 - 4 hour(s)
Filter: filtered | fine

Sulfur Added: yes

Maturing: 40 % | large wooden barrel | 1500 L

60 % | small wooden barrel | 500 L

Time on the Full Yeast: 8 month(s)

Bottling: screw cap | Aug. 1, 2024 | Lot Number: L o1 N17409/24

screw cap | Nov. 20, 2024 | Lot Number: L 02 N17409/24

Product Codes

 Prüfnummer:
 N17409/24

 EAN:
 9120041300011

 EAN / carton 6:
 9120041300318

Winery

The Wagentristl winery in Burgenland, in the Leithaberg region, is a family-run business with a long tradition. Generations of the family combine traditional craftsmanship with modern techniques to produce high-quality wines full of character. The diversity of grape varieties and the special terroir of the Leithaberg are reflected in elegant and authentic wines that stand for quality and closeness to nature.