



CLIMATE

A very wet autumn. Temperatures quite cold in january and february. Milder in march. Fear of frost in april but temperatures on the up towards normality in may.

On the other hand, june has seen very high temperatures that carried on until the end of july. The average temperatures in august were 5°C above normality. Finally in september, high temperatures continued but were nevertheless conform to normality, thus ensuring optimal maturation conditions.

GRAPE HARVESTS

Merlot : 15th - 20th september

Cabernet Sauvignon & Petit Verdot : 20th september - 2nd october

9 JUNE 2012 TASTING:

Dark red, bright and unclouded.

A sumptuous nose with a hint of caramel wrapped in freshness.

Straightforward attack.

Flavours of red fruits, macaroon.

Dense tannic structure, supple fine-grain.

Persistent final - may now be drunk.