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GRANDS VINS DE BORDEAUX



A.O.C. Lalande de Pomerol

Château Haut Caillou is located in the commune of Néac in the heart of the Lalande de Pomerol appellation.

This tiny 2.5 hectare estate was taken over in 2002 by a young, talented grower, Laurent Rousseau.

Through the application of innovative and entirely quality-oriented techniques, in the vineyard as well as in the cellar, the net result matches the efforts deployed, with a truly great Lalande de Pomerol.

Nothing was in fact left to chance: integrated crop control, leaf removal, plot selection and cold working of the lees to extract a premium wine dominated by the Merlot grape.

Traditional vinification is followed by 12 months of ageing in French oak barrels to bring a mellow woodiness to support the superb ripe fruitiness.



Tasting

The wine from Haut Caillou has a deep colour with flashes of purple. The rich, clean nose combines the aromas of small soft fruit and black fruit with subtle hints of woodiness. Full-bodied on the palate with fine tannins and a marked texture. An enjoyable bottle with lots of potential.

- Serving temperature : 16°/18° C - 60°/65° F
- Serve with : Roast venison with a wine sauce ; Dish of soft fruit...



Owner		Laurent Rousseau
Consultant wine-maker		J.P. Fort
Area		2.2 Hectares
Soil		Clay and gravel
Grape varieties		95% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon
Age of the vineyard		30 years
Vats		Temperature controlled stainless steel
Ageing		12 months in barrels with a one third turnover
Average production		13,000 bottles a year

The details shown here are purely for informative purposes.