



CHATEAU PONTET BARRAIL 2012

2nd WINE OF CHATEAU LABADIE

MEDOC
CRU BOURGEOIS



Château Pontet Barrail is situated in the commune of Begadan and has belonged to the Bibey family since 1970. Château Pontet Barrail covers 17 hectares of land composed of clay limestone and sandy-gravelly soils. The vines have an average age of 38 years and thrive in this terroir which allows them to reach their full potential. The family's work in the Chateau's vineyards has been rewarded with "Cru Bourgeois" status which is a reference point in the Médoc region.

TERROIR

Siliceous clay-limestone soil and sandy gravelly soils

WINEMAKING

Traditional in stainless steel tanks.

AGING

12 months in oak barrel (1/3 in new oak)

GRAPE VARIETY

60% Cabernet Sauvignon
30 % Merlot
6 % Petit Verdot
4 % Cabernet Franc

ALCOHOL

13.50 %

SERVICE TEMPERATURE

16°C - 18°C

HOLDING AND PRESERVATION

5 – 10 years

TASTING NOTES

Garnet in colour. Toasty notes, spice, figs and black fruit on the nose. A round and distinctive palate complemented by a silky texture, complex tannins and aromas of black fruit.

FOOD PAIRING

Enjoy served alongside Marengo veal, an entrecôte steak in red wine sauce, fillet of beef 'rossini' and a mature cantal cheese to finish.

AWARDS :

2012 : Silver Medal Concours Agricole de Bordeaux
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2014 : Gold Medal Concours General Agricole de Paris
17 + Jancis Robinson
2015 : Silver Medal Concours General Agricole de Paris

