



Château Tour d'Horable

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Your main character trait?
I'm patient

Your favourite activity? Sport, mainly rugby

Your favourite thing about wine?
Its diversity, the character given by the winema-

The natural gift you would like to have? To never grow old

I joined the family estate in 2008, founding EARL Vignobles Faytout to perpetuate the know-how built up by my family over five generations. The Château Puisseguin La Rigoderie vines were my grandmother's, and those at La Tour d'Horable belonged to my grandfather, who came from a family of coopers. But the family tree doesn't end there: the parents of some of my employees worked with my grandparents. A true family business! The wines we craft together are expressive and authentic, just like our soil and our winegrowers.



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CASTILLON CÔTES DE BORDEAUX

Village: Castillon la Bataille

Total surface of the vineyard: 6,5 hectares

Type of soils: Clay-limestone

Blend of grape varieties: 90 % Merlot, 10 % Cabernet Franc

Wine vinification : The juice is cold-racked. Temperatures are kept at 25°C during alcoholic fermentation with cap-punching for gentle extraction. Maceration for three weeks and running off. Aged in thermoregulated stainless steel vats.

Tasting notes: The colour is deep; the powerful nose is a delicate combination of caramel, vanilla and intense fruit. The palate is clean with firm tannins, nuanced with crushed blackcurrant. The delicate whole is very powerful yet also subtle and elegant. This is a well-crafted wine by an expert winemaker.

Wine and Food pairing: Grilled white meats

Awards:

Vintage 2016 : Gold medal Féminalise 2017, Gold medal Gilbert & Gaillard 2017, Silver medal Bordeaux 2017, Bronze medal International Wine Awards 2018, Bronze medal International Wine Awards 2017, Wine Enthusiast 88/100