

Château Le Grand Moulin

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Your favorite thing about wine?
Its finesse, its complexity

Your favorite activity?
I like meeting up with friends for a drink

The quality you most appreciate in friends?
Letting go

The natural gift you would like to have?
To be a musical genius

I love wines for their delicacy and complexity, and I am passionate about the right bank of Bordeaux vineyard. In 1980, without hesitation, I proudly took over the estate my great-great-grand-father had created in 1904 : Château Le Grand Moulin. When I got the farm, the culture was not only vines and the vineyard was only 7 hectares. Therefore, I decided to give it its original purpose and reorganized it, modernized it and expanded it to reach 75 hectares of vines. Château Le Grand Moulin is a pillar among my three wineries and represents my family legacy that I am proud to share with my two daughters today : Carole and Pauline. The building was built at the beginning of the 20th century and follows the traditional Gironde region architecture. It has become our family vineyard's symbol.



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BLAYE CÔTES DE BORDEAUX

Village: Saint-Aubin-de-Blaye

Terroir: Clay and clay-limestone soils - South / south-west / north-west exposure - 25-meter-high - 25-year-old vines

Winemaking and ageing: Mechanical harvesting in early October. Cold maceration depending on grape quality. Slow start to alcoholic fermentation with pump-overs twice a day, followed by rack and return. Gentle maceration for 15 to 20 days at 25°C. Lees stirring and ageing in stainless steel tanks with oak for 6 to 7 months.

Blend: 100% Merlot

Tasting comments: Deep, youthful colour. The nose reveals ripe black fruit aromas with delicate spicy notes. The palate opens with a supple, smooth attack, offering freshness and generous fruit flavours. Rich and generous, it is enveloped by polished tannins.

Food and wine pairings: Spinach, ricotta and mushroom cannelloni

