

Savigny-lès-Beaune

APPELLATION SAVIGNY-LES-BEAUNE CONTRÔLÉE

ARNAUD BAILLOT

Arnaud Baillot - Laure Comte - Laure et Arnaud

DOMAINE ARNAUD BAILLOT

Savigny-lès-Beaune Rouge

Arnaud Baillot wasn't born into a winemaking family, as is the case with so many generations-deep Burgundy domaines. He is a winemaker by choice, bringing a new energy and passion to this tradition-steeped region. Originally from Auxerre, Arnaud and his wife Laure (the granddaughter of the founders of Domaine Hudelot-Noëllat) started their adventure as small-batch negociants. Knowing that the character-driven wines they wanted to craft would only be possible when they farmed the land themselves, this focused pair put every penny they had into finding parcels they could own and tend organically. Today the estate is 25 acres of prime land mostly in the Côte de Beaune; their wines are precise, aromatic expressions of Burgundian Chardonnay and Pinot Noir.

WINERY: Domaine Arnaud Baillot

WINEMAKER: Arnaud Baillot

ESTABLISHED: 2015

REGION: FRANCE • Burgundy • Côte de Beaune • Beaune

APPELLATION: Savigny-lès-Beaune AOC

BLEND: 100% Pinot Noir

VINEYARDS: The vineyard 'Les Bas Liards' sits low on the slope, near the river Rhoin. Soils are richer, with clay, marl and some stones.

AGE OF VINES: 20-40 years

WINEMAKING: Hand-harvested. 30% full cluster; fermented on indigenous yeasts in tank with no added sulfites; only light pump-overs (no punch-downs). Aged in barrel (15% new) for 15 months. Unfiltered.

TASTING IMPRESSIONS: Aromas of red cherry, pepper spice, earthy notes. Medium-bodied, suave and juicy; tannins are fine

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: Burgundian jambon persillé (parsley and ham); Cuban pork sandwich; wild mushroom terrine



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