

# Château de Chamirey Mercurey blanc

## 'EN PIERRELET'

2018



### **TERROIR**

Plots : 2 plots 'En Pierrelet', planted in 1990, located right behind Château de Chamirey Surface : 2,9670 hectares. Only 1 hectare in the heart produces this cuvée.

Climat & Soil: smooth terrasse offering a mix of clay and limestone with a limestone predominance. Huge concentration of small white stones on the surface. South-East facing.

#### WINEMAKING

To preserve their integrity, grapes are carefully harvested and sorted out by hand. Full clusters.

Following the pneumatic press, juices stay in a vat overnight for a cool settling down and then are directly filled in barrels by gravity.

# AGING

Fermentations and aging are taking place in 400 litres barrels during 11 months with around 10% of new barrels.

We only use light toasted French oak coming mainly from Bourgogne, Allier and Vosges forests.

## **Key points**

White Mercurey: unique!
Château label
Single vineyard
Price/quality ratio
Salty touch
Enjoyable from now

#### **TASTING NOTES**

#### EYE

Bright yellow colour.

#### NOSE

Considerable minerality expressed in flinty notes. It develops citrus, vanilla and white pepper aromas.

#### PALATE

Ample and structured, great volume. Mineral and long lasting finish with a nice freshness.

### **SERVICE & CELLARING**

It can be served from now at 12-14°C or kept in cellar for 8 to 10 years.

#### **FOOD & WINE PAIRING**

Sea-bream ceviche or risotto with seafood will be some tasty receipes for our Mercurey 'En Pierrelet' 2018.

