

CHANSON

En Bourgogne depuis 1750



Pernand- Vergelesse

Pernand-Vergelesse Les Vergelesse 1^{er} Cru 2020



Grape Variety : Pinot Noir

Soil : Clay and limestone

Site : Chanson owns a vineyard of 5.4 hectares in premier Cru "Les Vergelesse". The plot is located in a hollow at the bottom of the hill of Corton and its clay and limestone soil combination gives wines with a specific structure.

The Vintage 2020 : After a very mild winter, spring arrived with warm temperatures in March which engendered a very quick and sustained growth of the vines. After a very short frost episode early May with no consequence in the vineyards, a mild weather with some rains settled down until end of June. Summer was punctuated in July by several and quite long heat waves. Vineyards with a clay soil were less affected by the low level of rainfalls during spring and by the summer heat. The harvest in Burgundy started around August 20, which was historically early for the region. At Chanson, they started on August 24 under a bright sunshine. 2020 red wines are generous, concentrated and beautifully terroir-driven.

Tasting : Dark purple colour. Intense aromas of ripe dark fruit (cherries, blackcurrent and blackberries) mixed with spices and roasted notes. Complex and powerful. Deep and tight texture. Solid tannic structure. Long and ample aftertaste. Score : 16/20 Jancis

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Food pairing : Enjoy with grilled steack (entrecôte), game, stuffed meat, and all the local cheeses (Brillat-Savarin, Epoisses, Citeaux, Langres).