

Saint-Romain 'La Perriere' AOC

<i>Code</i>	<i>Producer</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Region</i>
BILROR	Domaine Billard Père et Fils	France	Burgundy
<i>Varieties</i>	<i>ABV</i>	<i>Oak</i>	<i>Capsule Type</i>
Pinot Noir	13%	20% New oak, 14 months	Cork

Background

The Billard family home is situated 15km south of Beaune in a small village called La Rochepot. Jérôme Billard is the fifth generation to head the establishment and has managed the vineyards since 1999 with a continuous passion to create the best Burgundian wines. With a drive to work the vineyards using organic principles, no pesticides and natural yeasts are used in the production of their wines. As a result, the family create wines which are an expression of their individual terroirs and celebrates a more natural way of winemaking.

Winemaking

Grapes are hand harvested and fermented in a vat with natural yeasts. Fruit is pressed partly via a pneumatic press but also, by foot. Wine is matured in 20% new oak for 14 months before being bottled.

Tasting & Pairing

Expressive with plenty of red fruit aromas; raspberries, redcurrants and some red cherry present. Fresh pomegranate and some spice also lends itself to its character.

Would be a great pairing to soft cheeses, but also cured meats.

Sustainability & Extra Information

n/a

