CHAMPAGNE Marie-Courtin

Polisot, Côte des Bar Certified Biodynamic

OVERVIEW

- Tiny "renegade" grower located in the village of Polisot in the Côte des Bars next village over from Cedric Bouchard, owned by Dominique Moreau
- Produces single-vineyard, single-vintage, single varietal (Pinot Noir) from biodynamically-grown grapes
- First vintage was 2005
- 100% hand-harvested grapes, with indigenous yeast fermentations from yeasts gathered from her vineyards and cultivated at the winery
- 35-40 year old hillside vineyards
- Southeast exposure with soils of clay/limestone with bands of Kimmeridgean that give the wines extra energy and cut
- Uses pendulums in vineyard and cellar to aid in decisions for vineyard treatments, harvesting and winemaking
- Recommends serving her wines in regular wine glasses to allow for development through increased aeration



WINE LIST

CHAMPAGNE RESONANCE EXTRA BRUT NV [2007]

Certified Biodynamic

Grape(s): 100% Pinot Noir

Vintage(s): 100% 2007

Vineyard(s): Hand-harvested, 35-40 yr old vines, *massale selection*; single parcel located in Polisot (Côte des Bar); clay-limestone soils with east/south-east exposure

Vinification: Fermented in stainless steel; native yeasts used for both fermentations; non-dosé; 9,000 bottles produced

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Certified Biodynamic Grape(s): 100% Pinot Noir Vintage(s): 100% 2006

Vineyard(s): Hand-harvested, 35-40 yr old vines, *massale selection;* single parcel located in Polisot (Côte des Bar); clay-limestone soils with east/south-east exposure; grapes sourced from bottom of hill Vinification: Fermented in used barriques; native yeasts used for both fermentations; non-dosé; 6,000 bottles produced