

Notes et commentaires de dégustation



Château Clément Pichon




Crus Bourgeois Haut-Médoc

Primeurs 2018



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Journalistes	Primeurs /20	Primeurs /100	Commentaires
 winedoctor by Chris Kissack		92-94	This is 85% Merlot, with 12% Cabernet Sauvignon and 3% Cabernet Franc, more Cabernet than usual as the Fayat family have recently purchased Château Aney in Cussac-Fort-Médoc, and are using the fruit from both vineyards for the first time this year. The yield was 34 hl/ha, down from the more usual 45 hl/ha. The nose is all black cherry, currants and violet fruits, elegant and quite perfumed, showing a great precision. Fresh, pure and beautifully textured on the palate, with wild plum, damson and black cherry fruits, all underpinned with ripe grip of tannins. An elegant poise, a real change from the usual style, gripped but showing lovely fruit and definition. This is a real smart vintage for Clément-Pichon.
JAMESSUCKLING.COM		92-93	A firm and dense red wine with blackcurrant and blueberry character. Medium body. Silky and polished tannins. Huge improvement here.
<i>Yves Beck</i>		90-92	30% barrel ageing, with 60% of new barrels and 40% of one-year barrels. Purplish. What a blend between freshness, maturity, charm and precision! Notes of graphite, eucalyptus, black currant and liquorice root. The mouth is elegant, balanced and slightly creamy. Tannins are perfectly integrated and the structure is refreshing. A wine to follow in time but clearly promising, combining precision and charm. 2024-2034
 Anthocyanes Yohan Castaing		90-92	Floral, iris, beautiful black fruit, a bit spicy when ventilated. Fleshy et juicy on the palate, nice tannins with a tense style, and wonderful cabernet.

		90	Generous, riped, nice tannin structure, a slight alcohol warmth.
Markus Del Monego		90	Dark purple red with violet hue and almost black core. Elegant nose with restrained fruit but promising quality. Blackcurrants and black cherries, slightly ethereal fruit, on the palate well balanced with ripe fruit, sweet tannins, good length.
Jeff Leve		87-89	Medium bodied, ripe, earthy dark red red fruits with tobacco leaf are easy to find. The wine focuses on its freshness in an open, forward style.
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