



Château d'Eyran

Pessac-Léognan

Blanc 2018



AWARDS

Gold medal at Elle à Table Wine Awards 2019

Silver medal at Concours Général Agricole de Paris 2020

HISTORY

Place at the top of Saint-Médard d'Eyrans, near Bordeaux, the Château d'Eyran dates back to the 14th century. In 1796, it became the property of the de Seze family which still possesses it today. The restoration of the vineyard has been pursued by Brigitte and Stéphane Savigneux since 1984. And their son Charles took over in 2015.

WINE MAKING

Sustainable viticultural practices, certified in Haute Valeur Environnementale Niveau 3 (High Environmental Value Level 3). After manual grape harvests with successive sortings, the fermentation, winemaking and maturation take place in oak barrels.

SOILS-GEOLOGY

The 25 hectares vineyard is on sandy and clay-limestone ground called « Graves ». The white and dry wine is produced on 1,5 hectare.

GRAPE

65% Sauvignon and 35% Sémillon.

CELLARING

4 to 5 years.

TASTING NOTE

Beautiful golden color, a nose with citrus, white fruits, peach and pear aromas, it is full and silky in the mouth, well balanced, with notes of freshness and some exotic and toasted touches.

Serving temperature : 7-8°C

Accompaniment : Oysters, fish, cheese (like comté). A very good and fine wine of aperitif.

QUOTATIONS

Guide Gilbert & Gaillard 2018 : « Gold 90 - Pale gold color, glittering highlights. Fine nose, between vanilla notes and exotic fruits, wild flowers sensation. Soft palate, smooth, polished. Balance between a racy breeding and a crunchy and juicy fruity costume. A very pure vintage. »

Guide Dussert-Gerber 2020: « Château d'Eyran Pessac-Léognan white wine 2018 is rich in the nose, with great aromatic complexity where we find nuances of nuts, lemon and apple, it gives off a powerful mouth and a long finish. »

Guide des vins Hachette 2021 2* : « With its beautiful straw yellow color nuanced with jade reflections, the color immediately sets the tone. The bouquet initially a little hesitant, opens upon airing on aromas of citrus and acacia flower. It is on the palate that the wine is fully recovered: volume, full-bodied, delicate touch, a well-felt freshness supporting it, and length. A very balanced pessac, and for a long time. »

