

KALTERERSEE

CLASSICO SUPERIORE DOC 2019

VARIETAL: Schiava

AGE OF VINES: 20 – 50 years

TEMPERATURE: 13 – 15 °C

OPTIMAL AGING: 2020 – 2022

YIELD: 85 hl / ha

TRELLISING SYSTEM: Pergola

ALCOHOL: 13.0 %

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 2.0 g/l

TA: 4.6 g/l

Contains sulphites

» A brilliant red that sets the world to rights at the end of a long day. Feel your tensions fall away as the intense hue takes you to the lakeside vineyards that produced the grapes. «

ORIGIN

The Kalterersee for us is both reference and identification point: Firstly, there is a large part of our vineyards around the lake, which bear, just as our winery, the name of the village Caldaro. On the other hand also the wine, that is produced from the Vernatsch grapes from the vineyards around the lake, is called „Kalterersee“.

VINTAGE

The weather conditions made 2019 a challenging year for our winegrowers. A relatively mild winter and early spring were followed by a wet and cool April and May. After the flowering of the vines, which was not until June, the weather changed and it became hot and dry. In late summer, some rain and below-average temperatures delayed the ripening of the grapes. Harvesting the healthy grapes began in early September and continued until the end of October.

VINIFICATION

A one week fermentation on the skins with a controlled temperature of 24°C, malo-lactic fermentation and a four month aging on the fine lees in stainless steel and large casks.

VINEYARD

South and east facing slopes between 230 and 450 meters above sea level. Loamy, limestone gravel, with a small proportion of sand.

TASTING NOTES

- light cherry red
- dominant fruit tones of cherry and raspberry, with a touch of bitter almonds
- voluminous, very soft on the palate, pure drinking pleasure

RECOMMENDATION

This wine is ideal as an aperitif, an accompaniment to appetizers, or to typical Tyrolean fare such as speck and sausage, but also to lighter meats and mild cheeses.

AWARDS

BEREBENE DEL GAMBERO ROSSO – 2008, 2009, 2011-2014: Oscar qualità prezzo