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REDS

VOSNE-ROMANÉE 1^{ER} CRU LES MALCONSORTS Domaine du Clos Frantin 2021: 16.5+

Some real pace on this wine and quite a bit of tannin too. A little bitter on the end but good fruit on the way there.

VOSNE-ROMANÉE Domaine du Clos Frantin 2021: 16

Rich and solid – not quite as pacy as a typical Vosne. Some depth and pleasure here already.

NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES 1^{ER} CRU CHÂTEAU-GRIS 2021: 16.5

Rich, layered, dramatic, verging on flashy! Lots going on here – who says Nuits is dull...?! Quite a powerhouse! Tannin currently in evidence but the fruit should come to the fore eventually.

CORTON GRAND CRU CLOS DES MARECHAUX Domaine du Pavillon 2021: 16.5++

Rich, dense and somehow rather sparkling-bright on the nose! The note of bitterness on the end is positive rather than negative in this case. But it tapers to a point on the end at the moment. Needs time.

BOURGOGNE CÔTE D'OR PINOT NOIR Domaine du Clos Frantin 2021: 16

Light and very much leaning in to the vintage character. There is some ripeness and even richness as well as the very modern transparency. Nice!

BOURGOGNE CÔTE D'OR PINOT NOIR SECRET DE FAMILLE 2021: 15.5

Sweet and seems a little simple after all the energy of the Moulin-à-Vent! But there is pure black-cherry fruit – less funky, and perhaps more mainstream, than the Clos Frantin counterpart.

MOULIN-À-VENT Domaine de Rochegrès 2021: 16.5

Edgy and lively with real punch, fruit and direction. Long, quite impressive.



WHITES

CHABLIS 1^{ER} CRU LES MONTMANS Domaine Long-Depaquit 2021: 16

Bone dry and mineral – true to Chablis. A little riper than some, and maybe a little too ripe for Chablis purists?

CHABLIS GRAND Cru LES CLOS Domaine Long-Depaquit 2021: 16.5

Lots of edge and life with excellent energy and definition. Too young now.

Meursault 1^{ER} CRU LES CHARMES Domaine du Pavillon 2021: 16.5

Both rich and precise – well done! Lots of pleasure delivered. Definitely has premier-cru, if not grand-cru, weight. All stops pulled out for maximum impact and length.

Bourgogne CÔTE D'OR CHARDONNAY SECRET DE FAMILLE 2021: 16

Broad and creamy with a streak of lime to keep it zippy. Lots of acidity in here!

Bourgogne ALIGOTÉ CHAMP RENARD Domaine Adélie 2021: 16

Sufficient fruit and breadth on the palate – quite a surprise in fact! Grip and ripe fruit with a hint of passion fruit.

Mercurey LES CHAMPS-MICHAUX Domaine Adélie 2021: 16+

Lots of fruit here. With acidity and more precision than many Côte Chalonnaise whites.

