

## Domaine Berthelemot

GRANDS VINS DE BOURGOGNE

BEAUNE 1<sup>ER</sup> CRU
Les Grèves

2020



Domaine Berthelemot is a family business based in Meursault and cultivating 15 hectares in the Côte de Beaune area (Meursault, Puligny-Montrachet, Pommard, Beaune....). Our pledge is to produce wines revealing the true quality characteristics of the land and take care to protect the environment. Our wines are certified "organic" from vintage 2021.

## The vine -

Plot /climat Grèves (total surface area 34ha 22a).

History The word « grève » means « gravel ». Nowaday, the soil is both gravelly and sandy. This type of soil is great for drainage when heavy rain. Grève « climat » is the biggest of Beaune appellation.

Soil Sandy at the foot of the slope and more stony, higher up.

Our plot(s) 67a 93ca planted in 1976.

Age of vines
Planting date 1976

Surface67a93ca

## The wine -

100% Pinot Noir from handpicked grapes; raised in oak casks.

Taste Robust and richly coloured with both finesse and elegance on the palate; the wine will age well with characteristic sauvage tones.

Serving temperature 15/16°C. It is recommended to decant recent vintages so as to enhance the aroma.

## The vintage -

The mild Winter meant that vegetation growth started early; we began debudding mid-April and with fine sunny weather the vine developed and flourished gradually in good conditions. The Summer was very dry which accelerated the maturing process with a lower yield but a high aromatic concentration for the Pinot Noir grape; for the Chardonnay however, the conditions were satisfactory for both growth and maturity. The grape harvest commenced on 20 August. The red wines are deep, bright in colour, they reflect red fruit together with full and elegant tannins.