

BEAUNE 1^{ER} CRU
Les Grèves

2023



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 —

2023 - An year of plenitude. The 2023 spring weather was unsettled, with many storms that fortunately did not have damage on the vineyards. Thanks to a high rainfall in August, grapes were numerous and juicy. We feared that achieving perfect maturity would be a challenge because of the high volume of grapes, but the fruits finished ripening and the aromas concentrated extremely fast thanks to an unexpected heatwave that hit us at the beginning of September. It is also around that time that harvest started (on the 5th of September). Yeast did transform sugar into alcohol at a relatively slow pace, alcoholic fermentation finished in December. While tasting, we get a dominance of fruit driven aromas and a gourmet, elegant vintage. We note that 2023 is more refined than 2020 vintage for both reds and whites. What a blessed vintage!