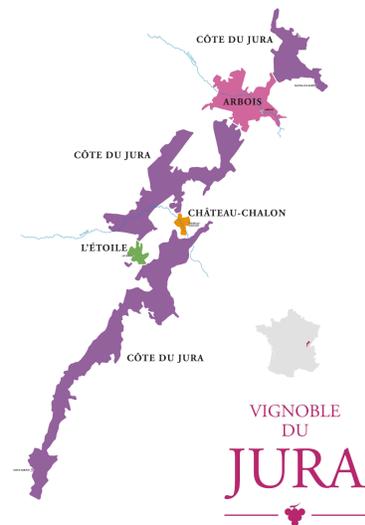




DOMAINE BENEDICTE ET STEPHANE TISSOT ARBOIS CHARDONNAY "GRAVIERS" 2023



The Jura is an old chain of mountains drawing a natural border between France and Switzerland. Even though just 80 miles east of the Côte de Beaune and west of the Valais, this region existed for centuries in splendid isolation. Unburdened by the ways of its neighbors, they protected their indigenous grapes and distinct vinification methods regarded as stubborn by the oenological conformists. If you are one of those people who long to escape from the shallowness and tedium of wine fashion, then the Jura is for you.

Stéphane Tissot's fascinating personality between candid kindness and an incredible obstinacy led him to become the most highly regarded of the regions' leaders. Certified organic since 1999 and biodynamic since 2004, Stéphane's estate is an example of natural practices. The 30 wines produced at the estate are showcasing all the "patchwork" of Terroir that Jura can offer, displaying an incredible "life" and a signature that you find nowhere else.

SOIL TYPE _____

Limestone rockslide from the Bajocien over clayous marl.
Single 7 acres south-west oriented parcel.

VARIETAL _____

100% Chardonnay – 50 years-old in average

CULTURE _____

Vines farmed Biodynamically with no use of herbicides or phytosanitary products. Use of sulfites and copper as well as plant infusions. Organic compost made at the estate. Traditional working of the soil.
Manual harvesting in cases.

Certified organic with Ecocert and Biodynamic with Biodyvin.

VINIFICATION _____

Slow pressing in pneumatic press of the whole bunches. Fermentation, with native yeasts, and 24 months ageing both happens in 228 liters French oak barrels (15% new oak). Light filtration before bottling. Total doses of SO2 below 20 mg/L.

TASTING NOTES _____

Perfumed and expressive, it displays white peach, lemon flesh and saline flavors. Vivid energy with an elegant texture. Long-lasting and discretely salty finish. A showcase of the stunning energy of Stéphane's style !

From the same Winery :

- Cremant du Jura Rosé Extra Brut & Crémant du Jura Blanc Extra Brut*
- Arbois Trousseau "Singulier"*
- Côte du Jura Pinot Noir "En Barberon"*
- Arbois Savagnin "Sous Voile"*
- Arbois Vin Jaune "En Spois"*

