



Château de Bellet

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LA CHAPELLE Blanc

AOP Bellet 2022



100% Rolle



8 years



Roast chicken with cream sauce, Guinea fowl  
with chanterelle mushrooms,  
Alpine cheeses (Comté, Beaufort)  
Pear tart

*"Elegance is when the inside is as  
beautiful as the outside"*

*Coco Chanel*

**TASTING NOTES**

The color is golden yellow.

The nose opens with buttery notes. After aeration, the varietal profile of Rolle emerges: aromas of citrus and pear, underscored by a hint of almond.

The attack is voluminous, the palate full and elegant, with woody notes, becoming crystalline. The finish is long and persistent, with a hint of saltiness. Overall, this is a rich and powerful wine.

Serve at around 22°C. Aerate before tasting.

**THE WINE**

*Organic wine*

Shoot thinning, vine specific

Hand harvested average yield of 25 hl/ha

Winemaking process: cold maceration, then barrel fermentation

Maturing process: 10 months in 500L French oak barrels

**THE VINES**

Total vines surface area: 10 ha including 3.2 of white grapes

Grape varieties: 90% Rolle, 10% Chardonnay

Average vine age: 30 years old

**THE TERROIR / THE LAND**

Planted on the hills of Nice, Château de Bellet vines overlook the Mediterranean Sea. In the background, we can admire the Alps and the Var Valley. The vineyard is located between 200 and 300 meters above sea level and benefits from great sunshine all year round (2,700 hours per year).

Coming from both the sea and the Alps, the wind provides a slow maturing process to the vines which is crucial for the freshness and elegance of Bellet wines. The unique soil is made of Poudingue (compact combination of pebble stones and sand) with a few clay veins.

**THE WINERY**

Located on the top of the appellation, the vines benefit from South and Southwest exposures. We practice traditional viticulture, weeding and working the soil in a natural way. The Barons of Bellet family gave their name to this winery and to the appellation while their motto, "res non verba", remains at the heart of everything we do. And so, for over 400 years, « actions rather than words » has made the greatness and uniqueness of Chateau de Bellet wines.

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