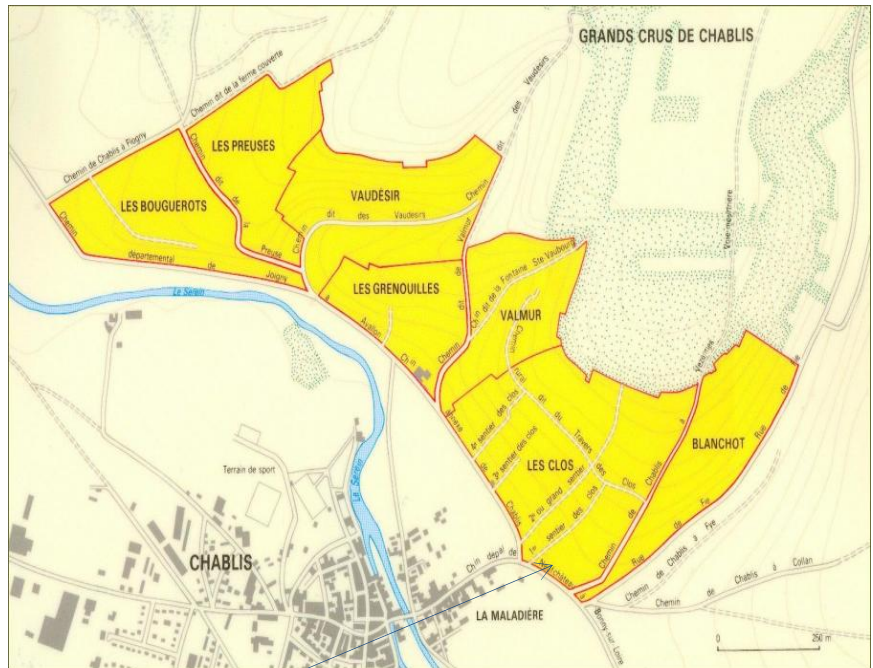


2019 Vintage



Chablis Grand Cru Les Clos – Clos des Hospices

Surface : 0.5 ha south exposure – eastern part of les Clos.

Location : right bank of Chablis.

Soil : clay-limestone marls from Kimmeridgien (Upper Jurassic), very rocky with white and dense clays.

Planting density : 7000 plant/ha.

Average age of the vine : 41years old.

Organic Agriculture certification with Ecocert since 2013 vintage.

Vinification

Manual harvesting and **grape selection** on a sorting table. Pneumatic press.

Cold settling and fermentation with a temperature of around 20°C. **Natural yeasts.**

Winemaking and aging : **100% in barrels during 9 months** (1 to 5 year-old barrels – no new oak) and 6 months blending in tanks before bottling.

100% of the malolactic fermentation.

Natural tartaric stabilisation after 12 to 16 months aging.

2019 vintage : after a pretty cold winter and almost no rain, flowering did well despite a few spring frosts. The summer was particularly hot and dry. No disease at all in the vineyard ! The rain early september unblocked the maturity and the harvest which started on sept. 12th was totally healthy. Nothing to pick out ! 2019 is a rather ripe vintage like the 2018, but with a higher level of acidity. This cuvee has the finess of les Clos and shows more richness and spicy flavours. Comes perfectly with scallops, lobster, fine fish, white meat, cheeses...

Grape : 100% chardonnay / Alcohol : 13.5% / To taste between 12 and 14°



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