



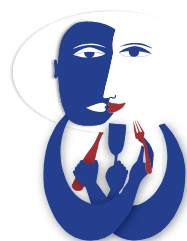
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TASTING LIST

CIABOT BERTON



Paola Oberto

Winemaker and Owner Family

By the end of the 1950s, Luigi Oberto (Paolo's father), was tending 2 hectares of Nebbiolo vines on the hill of Bricco San Biagio. That was until the family took the decision that aware of the potential of their grapes, they decided to stop selling them and transform them into wine instead. Their

first Barolo was bottled in 1961, and changed the history of Ciabot Berton. From the 1990s, Luigi's children Paola, an agronomist, and Marco, an oenologist, began working with him. Increasingly aware of the quality and full potential of their Nebbiolo grapes, they decided to produce single vineyard wines.



Ciabot Berton
Barolo
2009
Piedmont, Italy
HK\$ 363



Ciabot Berton
Ruten Dolcetto d'Alba
2013
Piedmont, Italy
HK\$ 122

GAROFOLI



Daria Garofoli

Owner

Vini Garofoli is the oldest producer in the Marche, making Verdicchio and supplying UK supermarket giant Tesco with its own-label version for a near, record-breaking 25 years. Its secret weapon is Daria Garofoli who remained behind the scenes for 33 years as a full-time mum, English teacher and wife to her husband, Gianfranco Garofoli.

"When I retired in 2001, I asked him if I could have something to do," she explains. "He offered me two afternoons a week and said, 'Don't imagine, you'll become export manager because you've got to stay here with me!'" The irrepressible Daria Garofoli force of nature Daria had other plans. Within three months Daria Garofoli had flown the nest to promote the company's wines abroad, averaging 100 days a year on the road. Now, Gianfranco prefers to stay at home where he is also president of the Verdicchio producers association. This is probably just as well for beyond the Marche, Gianfranco might simply be known as: "husband of the more famous Daria".



Garofoli Piancarda
2014
Marche, Italy
HK\$ 157



Garofoli Podium
2014
Marche, Italy
HK\$ 185



Garofoli
Serra del Conte
2016
Marche, Italy
HK\$ 92

MAZZOLINO WINERY



Sandra Braggiotti

Owner

In the 1980's Enrico Braggiotti (Sandra's father), has found the perfect place to bring his family together. His four children and 12 grandchildren settled down that made up Corvino San Quirco, a village surrounded by vineyards. Sandra realized her father dream of making a great wine. She set about redeveloping the winery and replanted the vineyards to reach the current 22 hectares. They are now the cradle of a culture that fully exploits the character of the area, (once part of old Piedmont) bringing back its strong link with France that is deep-rooted both in the land and the Braggiotti family.



Mazzolino
Blanc Chardonnay
2013
Lombardy, Italy
HK\$ 185



Mazzolino
Noir Pinot Nero
2014
Lombardy, Italy
HK\$ 363



Mazzolino
Terrazze Pinot Nero
2014
Lombardy, Italy
HK\$ 138

POGGIO SALVI



Poggio Salvi
VINO Nobile di
Montepulciano
2013
Tuscany, Italy
HK\$ 225

Laura Bicchi

Owner

Laura Bicchi's Poggio Salvi began in 2004 to encourage the sale of wines produced directly in the family company in Sovicille, on location in Montepulciano and in other wineries with which it has entered into partnership agreements. Laura Bicchi, deeply knowledgeable of the sector, continues the family tradition that, uninterrupted since 1872, has always been dedicated to the production of wine, managing the activities directly, with innovative and sometimes courageous decisions, but maintaining a constant and unwavering respect for tradition and the land.

TENUTA DI RISECCOLI



Tenuta di
Riseccoli
Chianti Classico
2012
Tuscany, Italy
HK\$ 207

Ilaria Romanelli

Owner

The Romanelli family acquired the Riseccoli estate since the early 1900s. Tenuta di Riseccoli is now owned by Ilaria Romanelli. Ilaria carries on the winemaking tradition established by her father, helped by her French husband, and their 4 sons. Through their dedication to maintaining the family legacy and producing outstanding wines, they have turned Riseccoli into an acclaimed Tuscan wine estate.

SUAVIA



Arianna, Meri, Valentina e Alessandra Tessari

Owner Family

For generations the life of the Tessari family has been dedicated to tending their vines in the Soave area, one of the oldest white wines producing area in Italy. Since 1887 the family has owned vineyards at the very heart of the "Soave Classico" area, around the small village of Fitta' where the Suavia winery is located.

In 1982 Giovanni Tessari and his wife Rosetta decided to stop selling their grapes and started instead to produce and bottle their own wine. Today Arianna, Mari, Valentina and Alessandra Tessari, daughters of Rosetta and Giovanni, run the estate. The Tessari sisters dedication to craft wines that best express the terroir and their philosophy balanced between innovation and tradition, have made Suavia one of the leading Soave producers. for tradition and the land.



Suavia
Massifiti
2014
Veneto, Italy
HK\$ 170