





# Alsace, Domaine Paul Kubler, Les Panetiers, Vin de France, Blanc

Vin de France, VSIG, France

Philippe Kubler, took over his family's domaine in 2004, carrying on the estate's history that started in 1620. The vineyard of 10 hectares is composed of five main soil types, and grape varieties are selected according to soil type, with the aim of achieving the best expression between grape variety and geological signature. Traditional, respectful winemaking methods such as fermentation in foudres are used, and no pesticides in the vineyard, respecting the biology.

#### **PRESENTATION**

Blend from different vineyards and different terroirs thanks to the geological mosaic of the soils, to obtain the noblest expression of each variety, combining the crispness of the grape variety with delicate minerality. A tribute to a family tradition dating back to 1620 and perpetuated until the early 20th century, when the family's winemakers were also bakers. The toasty, brioche notes of a bakery can be found throughout this cuvée.

#### **TERROIR**

Sandstone alluvium and pink sandstone, exposed North-East and West.

#### IN THE VINEYARD

Vines planted from 1976 to 2017, plantation density 5000 to 6000 vines.

# WINEMAKING

Hand-harvested, slow pressing for 5 hours with whole clusters. Slow settling down and fermentation in oak cask for a month. Ageing in oak coask on lees, bottled in spring.

### **VARIETALS**

Pinot auxerrois 90%, Pinot gris 10%

### 12,5 % VOL.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Production volume: 600 cs Residual Sugar: 2 g/l

# **SERVING**

12°C/54°F

#### AGEING POTENTIAL

5 to 10 years

# **TASTING**

The fresh, intense nose opens with springtime notes of elderflower enhanced by these brioche tones. With aeration, the scents of peaches, nectarines and nectarines seduce you. On the palate, it's full-bodied, with the sweet aromas of a flower garden, elegance, freshness and length.

#### **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Alsatian cuisine, early vegetables, asparagus, vegetable tarts, vegetable terrine, mussels, cockles, lean or fried fish, fish terrines, quiches, omelets, soufflés, poultry, pies, creamy cheeses.



