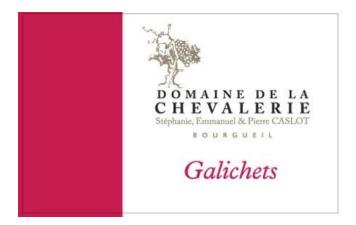
Domaine de la Chevalerie Bourgueil





Bourgueil "Les Galichets" 2017

Hailing from 45 -year-old vines that have their feet in gravels of a former river bed, the 2017 Galichets is savory yet shows mushroom, smoky, red cherry fruit. Classically styled but it just has the right ripeness - not overdone. Delightfully textured. Light on its feet but with plenty of concentration. 92 pts- Rebecca Gibb MW, Vinous Media, June 2022

Bourgueil "Les Galichets" 2015

From 45-year-old vines on clay-silex soils at the bottom of the coteau in the village of Restigné, the 2015 Bourgueil Galichets is a supple and tasty wine. Reductive and a bit leathery when young, this is an intense, structured and refreshing red with dense, dark fruit, fine and present tannins and good length. Aged in barrels for six months.

90 pts- Stephan Reinhardt, The Wine Advocate, August 2021

The 2015, which is the current release, offers up a superb, precise bouquet of red and black cherries, cigar wrapper, a touch of tree bark, a beautiful base of gravelly soil tones, a hint of juniper berry and a smoky topnote. On the palate the wine is pure, complex and full-bodied, with a rock solid core of fruit, excellent mineral drive, ripe, buried tannins and a long, vibrant and complex finish. I love the "cool fruit" profile of this wine, which even in the hot summer of 2015 comes in at a svelte thirteen percent octane. This is simply an outstanding young Bourgueil!

93+ pts- John Gilman, View from the Cellar, May-June 2021

