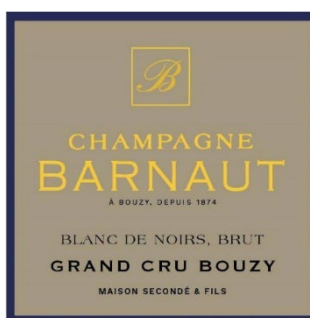


# Champagne Barnaut

## Bouzy



### Blanc de Noirs Brut Grand Cru NV

*The new release of Champagne Barnaut's Blanc de Noirs non-vintage Brut is from the base year of 2021 and is made entirely from Bouzy pinot noir, with the vines averaging thirty-five years of age. The vins clairs are fermented and raised in stainless steel and the wine is given at least two years aging sur lattes. This wine was disgorged in July of 2024 and finished with a dosage of six grams per liter. It offers up a lovely nose of apple, white peach, bread dough, a fine base of soil tones, incipient notes of hazelnut and plenty of upper register smokiness. On the palate the wine is crisp, full-bodied and complex, with fine depth of fruit at the core, lovely soil inflection, frothy mousse and fine focus and balance on the long and classy finish. This is a fine bottle.*

**92 pts**, John Gilman, View from the Cellar, July-August 2025

*The NV Champagne Grand Cru Bouzy Blanc De Noirs Brut reveals a golden/copper color and is another fleshy offering from winemaker Philippe Secondé, opening to ripe and perfumed aromas of freshly baked croissants, orange marmalade, golden plums, and honeycomb. It fills the palate with a pillowing mousse and a well-balanced and broad finish and retains a ripe core of acidity. This is a strong showing to enjoy now or over the next 5-6 years. Disgorged in October 2022.*

**91 pts**, Audrey Frick, jebdunnuck.com, December 2024

*Philippe Secondé makes excellent wines that fully capture the full-bodied style that the village of Bouzy has been famous for down through the ages...The new release is from the base year of 2020 and was aged a bit more than two years on its fine lees, prior to disgorgement in September of 2023, with a finishing dosage of six grams per liter. The wine offers up a deep and precise bouquet of white peach, nectarine, fresh-baked bread, chalky soil tones and plenty of smokiness in the upper register. On the palate the wine is bright, full-bodied, focused and complex, with a fine core, good soil signature, frothy mousse, a good spine of acidity and lovely length and grip on the well balanced finish. Good juice that will be even better with a few years in the cellar to stretch its wings.*

**91+ pts**, John Gilman, View from the Cellar, March-April 2024