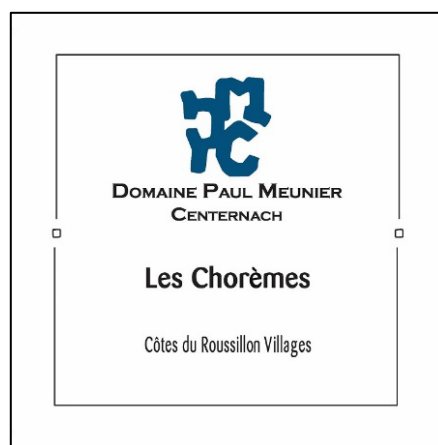


Domaine Paul Meunier Centernach, Roussillon



Côtes du Roussillon Villages “Les Chorèmes” Rouge 2020

Paul Meunier's and Lucile Morin's les Chorèmes Rouge bottling is their older vine cuvée, composed from a cépages of sixty percent Carignan, twenty percent Grenache, fifteen percent Syrah and five percent Lleduner Pelut, with all of the vineyards farmed organically. The wine is fermented with indigenous yeasts and raised in older oak for eighteen to twenty-four months prior to bottling. The 2020 les Chorèmes comes in at 13.5 percent octane and reveals a simply stunning bouquet of dark berries, coffee bean, bonfire, hung game, just a touch of pepper, a complex base of chalky-stony soil tones and a topnote of brown spices. On the palate the wine is deep, full-bodied, focused and seamless, with a superb core of fruit, excellent soil signature, ripe, buried tannins and impeccable balance on the long, complex and still moderately chewy finish. This is an excellent wine that is just starting to blossom at five years of age, but which will be an even better drink if given a few more years in the cellar to let the tannins continue to recede. 2025-2045+.

91+ pts– John Gilman, View from the Cellar, September-October 2025