# JUSTIN GIRARDIN

# **MEURSAULT**

Surface: 0.36 hectares

Average production: 48hl/ha

Age of vines: 40 years

Grape variety: Chardonnay

#### Ageing:

French oak barrels
Origin of wood: Allier and Bertranges
25 % of new oak.
Wine remained 24 months in barrels.

#### Viticulture:

Pruning style: Guyot simple Manual harvest Green work (de-budding, leaf-thinning,...)

## Winemaking:

The grapes are pressed upon arrival at the winery. We practice a fermentation with a low temperature to keep all the flavours.

We start the alcoholic fermentation in vats to have a regular fermentation , then when alcoholic fermentation is running we put the wine into barrels . We use only natural yeasts to keep the charm and character of each wine.

# Maturing:

In French oak barrels. The malolactic fermentation is performed in barrels with ageing on fine lees. We made a fining to have clearer wine, then we filtered it lightly to remove impurities (a light deposition in a bottle does not alter any taste in the wine ) Bottling in favourable lunar day.

### Characteristics:

Pale yellow colour, offers a nose plenty of fruit flavours: peach, melon, apricot and exotic fruits. The palate is also very intense with a long finish on minerality.

Serve between 12°C and 14°C; keep 5 to 7 years.

#### Wine pairings:

Prawn cocktail avocado, grilled sea bass stew of veal in a cream sauce - Beaufort cheese





