

### **News**



Gros Manseng plot

# After spring frost , June rain, here is July heat wave!

The weather has (at last!) become beautiful. After the frost wave that hit northern France at the end of April and a very wet spring, sun came back in July, so as smiles on winemakers faces! A little heat wave even crossed France this week (with a very limited impact on the vines).

We now just need to safely pass through the summer storms until harvests!



Four winemakers working

# Annual meeting in Jurançon!

This year, Sébastien welcomed us in Béarn (don't tell him it is the Basque country!) for our annual "vignerons" weekend. Program: meetings, talks, winery visit, tastings, local meal, walk in the Pyrenees, and even a quick visit in Spain. All this in the usual cheerfulness. Thank you very much to Sébastien for having hosted us all!



#### Château Frédignac La Favorite: RVF coup de cœur!

Château Frédignac top cuvee *La Favorite* 2012 was selected coup de cœur by the RVF (Revue des Vins de France, the most influential French wine newspaper). It scored 14/20 for *«its smoothness, its fresh balance »* and *« its aromatic fineness with a floral finish »*.

#### **Zoom on Domaine Dumas**



Pierre-André Dumas

#### Vigneron's quote

«Every cuvée tells us a story. Our cellar is full of anecdotes to taste and enjoy!»

#### Why it's good?

Because the wines are fruity (thank you Gamay!), but not only! They are rich, structured AND complex (fruity, spicy, peppery, floral). In short, they're good because they are the opposite of the technological "modern" Beaujolais that sadly taste the same from Saint-Amour to Brouilly...



## Good to know

Domaine Dumas has been certified *Terra Vitis* for 10 years. This label imposes strict specifications regarding phytosanitary limitations, ploughing, traceability, terroir and biodiversity protection.

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