



Terres de Guennec

Vignoble familial



This is at the heart of Bordeaux vineyards, in the small Auriolles village, near to the highest point of Gironde: the Butte de Launay, we decided to seal our Project of Life. Our passion for the vine and the wine, and our family experiences led us to take over the Vignoble de Castenet in 2010. This 50 ha property is located on a land we come from and we know the values.

We named it: "Terres de Guennec"

Mylène and Guillaume Guennec



The family vineyard "Terres de Guennec" is certified High Environmental Value (level 3)

CHÂTEAU CASTENET AOC BORDEAUX SUPERIEUR 2018



Vineyard

Age of vines : 20 years old

Dominant soil : Clayey limestone



75 % Cabernet Sauvignon



25 % Merlot



Cultivation

- Grassing controlled and every other row is ploughed
- Removing bad vine-branch by hand
- Trellising between wires by hand
- Mechanical thinning out the leaves.
- Phytosanitaires chemicals with economic and environmental approach: doses reduce at first of season (¼ doses), then half-doses (or ¾ doses if there is a high risk of disease)



Vinification

- Controls of analytical and taste maturities
- Mechanical harvest, at night if necessary to keep temperatures low.
- Skin maceration pre-fermentation 10 days
- Alcoholic fermentation
- Malolactic fermentation
- Barrel aging
- Filtration on land and bottling



Tasting

With its beautiful purple color, this Bordeaux Supérieur from Château Castenet has a powerful nose which develops aromas of black fruits. It's plump with ripe tannins and has a long finish. Serve chambered at 18°C with red meat or game, or with cheese. This is a wine to share with family or friends on hearty meals.