

HEINRICH



naked white 2018

CHARACTER

Long live the everyday wine!

Entertaining, reduced to the essentials and seriously uncomplicated, just like the naked white “Calvin & Hobbes” by Bill Watterson. While great wines can be compared to challenging literature that demands questioning, discussion and understanding, this honest sip tells short stories about life that simply make you smile. And all this with the same high quality standards, a precise stroke of the pen and the same competence; simply with a wink and a healthy touch of self-irony. You look forward to the next issue from time to time in restrained euphoria, let it enrich your life with a little joy and at some point, you bring the complete collected volume home, so that pleasurable reading material never runs out. This is exactly how a wine for every day works. While the naked white initially tiptoes on the nose, then appears on the palate with the entire foot. Its finely woven density is by no means heavy and its bold, unfiltered charm comprise 750 millilitres, that four people can drink in as many seconds. **For best enjoyment, shake before you pour!**

ORIGIN

The “naked white” is sourced from both sides of the Neusiedler See (Lake Neusiedl). On the west side, vines are rooted in the limestone and schist of the Leithaberg (Leitha Mountains) slopes – on the east side of the lake vines in the gravelly Parndorfer Platte (Parndorfer Plain) and humus-rich Heideboden.

GENESIS

Bottled with conscientious handcraft and great care throughout the entire life cycle. Organic and biodynamic cultivation of the vineyards. Handpicked end of August to beginning of September and macerated with the stems overnight. Spontaneous and malolactic fermentation. Matured for over a year on its natural yeast lees in used large oak casks and bottled unfiltered with minimal sulphur.

SOBER FACTS

91% Chardonnay, 6% Pinot Blanc, 2% Muskat-Ottonel 1% Pinot Gris • 12.5% a.b.v. • 6.3 g/l acidity • 1.9 g/l residual sugar • format(l): 0.75 • bottled mid-February 2020