

# LAREITH

## LAGREIN RISERVA DOC 2021

**VARIETAL:** Lagrein

**AGE OF VINES:** 10 – 20 years

**TEMPERATURE:** 16 – 18 °C

**OPTIMAL AGING:** 2023 – 2029

**YIELD:** 60 hl / ha

**TRELLISING SYSTEM:** Wire-trained

**ALCOHOL:** 13.5 %

**RESIDUAL SUGAR:** 1.5 g/l

**TA:** 5.5 g/l

Contains sulphites

» Impulsive. Provocative. Red passion that sweeps you off your feet before you know it. «

### VINTAGE

The winter months were mainly sunny but very cold. In spring the temperature was slow to rise, and that delayed the vegetative development of the vines. This was only partly compensated by the warm and sunny start to the summer, while the weather in July and August was very varied. The grape harvest accordingly began relatively late, on September 9. The wet September was an organizational problem for our wine growers, but ultimately a very good harvest was completed on October 26.

### VINIFICATION

Fermentation on the skins with an extended maceration of two weeks at 28 °C, malo-lactic fermentation in barrique, followed by a 12-month ageing (1/3 new oak) light filtration

### VINEYARD

Gently sloping vineyard with east to southeast exposition at 230 – 260 meters above sea level, on loamy, sandy, weathered chalk soil.

### TASTING NOTES

- dark violet-ruby
- fine, elegant fruit on the nose, reminiscent of ripe berries, bramble and cocoa, woody undertones
- dense and creamy on the palate, finely structured tannins with a long finish

### RECOMMENDATION

This wine pairs well with game, roasts, dark meats and hard cheeses.

### AWARDS

**ROBERT PARKER** – 2018: 92 p., 2019: 91 p.,

**JAMES SUCKLING** – 2016: 90 p., 2019: 91 p., 2020: 91 p.,

**I VINI DI VERONELLI** – 2016: 93 p., 2017: 91 p.

**BIBENDA** – 2016: 4 Grappoli, 2017: 4 Grappoli

**VINI BUONI D'ITALIA** – 2014: 4 Stelle; 2016: Golden Star, 2020: 4 Stelle

**VINUM** – 2018: 90 p.