



# 2017

## WEATHER CONDITIONS

Winter 2016-2017 was generally **mild with low rainfall**. The first buds developed very early but unfortunately **terrible frosts** struck our vineyard in the night of April 26<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> with temperatures reaching -6°C. The **young branches** did not resist to this frost and we had to face a loss of 50% of our crop.

The weather was temperate for the rest of the growing season. It enabled us to harvest **perfectly ripe grapes**.

## HARVESTS

The harvests took place from September 12<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup>. Vintage 2017 can be listed among the earliest harvests of **Château Beaumont**.

The harvested grapes were beautiful and enabled us to produce **silky and elegant wines** with lovely fruity notes and smooth tannins.

## CARACTERISTIC

The **merlots** display ripe fruits ont un fruit très mûr et des **tanins charnus et suaves**.

Les **cabernets sauvignons** sont puissants et **d'une belle longueur**.

Les **petits verdots** sont très fruités et ont **une belle vivacité**.

## BLEND

|                  | Cab. Sauvignon | Merlot | Petit verdot |
|------------------|----------------|--------|--------------|
| Château Beaumont | 50%            | 48%    | 2%           |

## PRODUCTION

Rendement : 25 hl/ha

