

## Ried Langenloiser Spiegel

Grau- & Weißburgunder 2015



The name of the vineyard "Spiegel" (mirror) is said to derive from Latin "spectaculum" ("look-out"). In the ancient times of the "Limes", the Romans probably used the spot to observe the Germanic tribes to the north of the Danube.

However, still up to now most of the folks think that the name is linked to the convex vaulting of the 300 meter hill, a kind of "mirror" to the sky. The height and exposure of the vineyard with perfect aeration allow to harvest the burgundy varieties a bit later and give both physical ripeness and freshness to a clean fruit.

Both varieties ferment in 300 liter Austrian oak barrels and then mature in 2.500 l barrels before assemblage.

## Tasting Note:

Fine-tuned - this time as a Cuvée with the Grauburgunder (Pinot Gris) making up the lion's share. Notes of caramel and cotton candy, also a little cornelian cherry; intense yet elegant. A powerful, firm body; polished and straightforward; uncomplicated on a high level. With a delicate touch of yeast underneath; good persistent length. A good prognosis!

## **ORIGIN & VINIFICATION**

Region: Qualitätswein

Single Vineyard: Langenloiser Spiegel

Soil Type: Loess Elevation: 260 – 270 m Slope Face: ESE

**Harvest Date:** 16. – 17. September 2015

Skin Contact: -

Ageing: wooden casks & stainless steel

Bottling Date: August 2016

## WINE DETAILS

Alcohol: 13 %vol. Acidity: 6 g/l Residual Sugar: dry

Serving Temperature:  $10 - 12^{\circ}$  C

Food Pairing: fish, poultry, veal, beef, pork,

Asian Cuisine

Bottled in: 75cl – 150cl