TONNINO AZIENDA VITIVINICOLA

JURNATA Nero D'avola

Grape variety: 100% Nero d'Avola

Appellation: DOC Sicilia

Soil: Farmed in Sicily in a mixture of clay and sand

Vineyards: Tenuta Cavallaro - Contessa Entellina

Grapes per hectare: 100-120 quintals

Farming system: Espalier with guyot pruning

Harvest: Grapes are hand-harvested during the middle of September, only when they are fully ripe.

Winemaking: Grapes are left to macerate with their skins for 13-15 days, and then fermented in stainless steel tanks at 68° F.

Ageing: Refined for 10 months in French oak barrels and an additional 4 months in the bottle.

Alcohol: 13 - 14%

Characteristics: Ruby red with purples hues. A very fruity bouquet with notes of cherries and blackberries that are harmonically mixed with hints of vanilla and balsamic. Dry and rich on the palate as it provides soft tannins. A persistent and well-balanced wine.

Food Pairing: Excellent with angus beef and other grilled steaks. Pairs nicely with red meats and aged cheeses. Best served at 64-68° F and when opened an hour before serving.

