Tenuta Il Cascinone Crocera, Barbera d'Asti Superiore DOCG 2022

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Tenuta Il Cascinone

— Piemonte, Italy

Crocera is a perfect fresh juicy red which over-delivers on everything from seductive spicy notes to a charming chocolate and cherry combination. Outstanding example of youthful, juicy oak-aged Barbera.

Production

The Barbera grapes are sourced from 6 ha of vines on south east and west facing slopes, on the estate of Il Cascinone in the Monferrato hills of Piemonte. While these grapes were planted in 2000, other grapes from younger vines are also included in the blend. Barbera is the most important grape in the region, producing distinctive wines. The wine is aged for 12 months in French oak barriques (2nd and 3rd use), of which 10-15% is new oak.

Tasting note

Aromas of ripe black cherry, damson and toasty spice. A rich palate with plum and sour cherry fruit, juicy acidity, and notes of dark chocolate on the finish.

Food Match

Duck in plum sauce... or rich beef stews, cassoulet or even belly of pork.

ABV:
14.50%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Cork

Category:
Sustainable

Appellation:
Barbera d'Asti DOCG

Winemaker:
Carlo Manera

Grape Varieties:
Barbera 100%

Suitable for:
Vegan

Bottle Barcode:
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