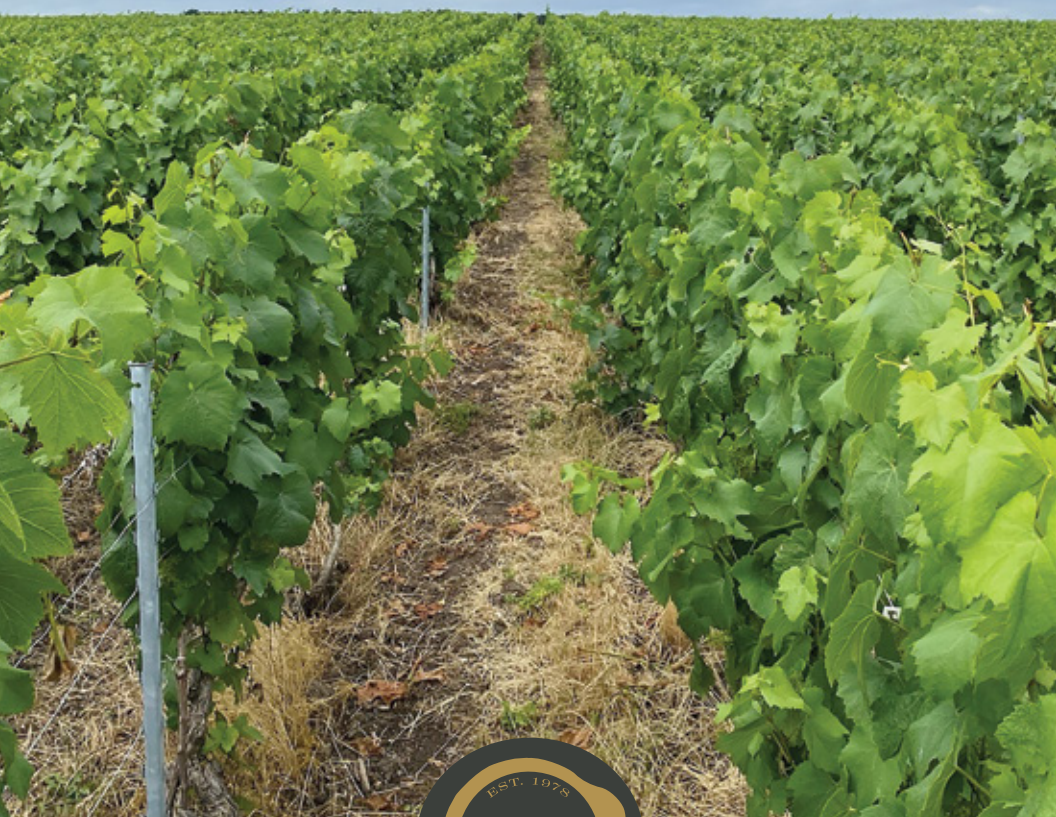


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# DOMAINE LES MONTS FOURNOIS

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*Juliette Alips, Winemaker*

Born in Champagne in a grower's family, Juliette Alips rapidly found her passion. With the mentorship of her close cousins, Raphaël and Vincent Bérèche, she discovered and learned all the ins and outs of producing champagne, from farming, to vinification, tasting and blending.

Graduated from oenology school in Beaune in 2020, Juliette already has a few vintages under her belt with acclaimed producers like Louis Latour in Bourgogne, G.D. Vajra in Piedmont, and closer to home, Roederer Estate where she spent more than a year learning from this iconic maison.

Now, with the help of her two cousins, she is starting this new adventure with Domaine les Monts Fournois. Located in the north part of the Montagne de Reims, in the sub-area called La Grande Montagne, the Premier Cru Les Monts Fournois will be the focus of the domaine. Until the first vintage of those wine releases in a couple of years, the Domaine is offering a very small selection of vintage Grand Cru Champagnes. Using the extensive and strong family grower relationships developed by her cousins, Juliette is able to source tiny quantities of superb champagne from iconic vineyards to craft these exceptional wines.

We are pleased to present this inaugural offering: the 2020 Coteaux Champenois Blanc, a 2016 Côte Grand Cru from the Côtes des Blancs, a 2017 Côte from the Oger Grand Cru in the Côtes des Blancs, a Non-Vintage de Luxe Grande Vallée from the Mareuil/Aÿ Premier Cru, and a few, highly coveted cases of 2012 Montagne Grand Cru from the Montagne de Reims.

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## 2020 COTEAUX CHAMPENOIS BLANC

6/750 ml

*Combining elegance and finesse, this white Coteaux Champenois made from Chardonnay grapes from the Montagne de Reims Nord region reflects the freshness of its region. The slight reduction of the first nose evolves, giving way to a beautiful fruitiness, with a touch of exotic notes, reflecting the terroir of Les Monts Fournois.*

<b>Varietal</b>		<b>Vine Age:</b>	Planted in 1961
<b>Composition:</b>	100% Chardonnay	<b>Vineyard:</b>	South exposure, Chalk soil
<b>Vineyard</b>		<b>Bottled:</b>	May 2022
<b>Region:</b>	Ludes, Premier Cru, Montagne de Reims		

## 2016 CÔTE CRAMANT GRAND CRU

6/750 ml

*The Cramant Grand Cru, located within the Côte des Blancs in Champagne, is located south-southeast of the town of Épernay. It is a small sub-region with a mere 351 ha planted to 99.9% Chardonnay and 0.1% Pinot Meunier. Champagnes grown in Cramant tend to be creamier, more concentrated, mineral driven wines, compared to those from neighboring Grand Crus with different vineyard exposures.*

<b>Varietal</b>		<b>Bottled:</b>	April 2017
<b>Composition:</b>	100% Chardonnay	<b>Disgorgement</b>	
<b>Vineyard</b>		<b>Date:</b>	September 2022
<b>Region:</b>	Côte des Blancs, Cramant Grand Cru	<b>Dosage:</b>	3.4 g/L

## 2017 CÔTE MESNIL OGER GRAND CRU

6/750 ml

*Le Mesnil-sur-Oger is located south, southeast of Épernay. The vineyard areas cover 433.8 ha, of which the majority is planted in Chardonnay (432 ha) with very small plantings of Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. This Grand Cru is located on the Côte des Blancs slope, consisting of mainly hillside vineyards. Champagnes produced from vineyards in Mesnil-sur-Oger are quite mineral driven and firm in style. They are “complete” expressions and certainly quite age-worthy. Le Mesnil-sur-Oger was promoted from Premier Cru to Grand Cru status in 1985 alongside Chouilly, Oiry, Oger, and Verzy.*

<b>Varietal</b>		<b>Bottled:</b>	July 2018
<b>Composition:</b>	100% Chardonnay	<b>Disgorgement</b>	
<b>Vineyard</b>		<b>Date:</b>	November 2022
<b>Region:</b>	Côte des Blancs, Mesnil sur Oger Grand Cru	<b>Dosage:</b>	4.5 g/L

# GRANDE VALLÉE – MAREUIL/Aÿ PREMIER CRU

6/750 ml

*The town of Mareuil-sur-Aÿ is a neighbor of the town of Aÿ, located at the Marne River, south of Montagne de Reims. The majority of vineyards are located on south-facing slopes planted mainly to Pinot Noir. Mareuil is generally considered to be the best premier cru village.*

<b>Varietal</b>		<b>Bottled:</b>	June 2016
<b>Composition:</b>	70% Pinot Noir; 20% Chardonnay; 10% Pinot Meunier	<b>Disorgement</b>	
		<b>Date:</b>	September 2022
<b>Vineyard</b>		<b>Dosage:</b>	5.6 g/L
<b>Region:</b>	Grande Vallée de la Marne, Mareuil sur Aÿ- Premier Cru		

# 2012 MONTAGNE VERZY GRAND CRU

6/750 ml

*The Verzy Grand Cru is located on the slope of the Montagne de Reims, Southeast of the town of Reims. Most of the vineyards are on north-facing slopes and are planted mainly to Pinot Noir. Verzy was promoted from Premier Cru to Grand Cru in 1985 alongside Chouilly, Oiry, Oger, and Mesnilsur-Oger.*

<b>Varietal</b>		<b>Bottled:</b>	June 2013
<b>Composition:</b>	50% Pinot Noir; 50% Chardonnay	<b>Disorgement</b>	
		<b>Date:</b>	November 2022
<b>Vineyard</b>		<b>Dosage:</b>	3.4 g/L
<b>Region:</b>	Montagne de Reims, Verzy Grand Cru		



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